The International Ranger Federation Lifetime Achievement Award
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The Award
The International Ranger Federation Lifetime Achievement Award is presented on a three-yearly basis to an individual who has been involved in a career relating to the conservation, preservation, promotion and/or protection of the natural environment, especially those whose actions have positively impacted Rangers*.

Selection Criteria
This award is open to any person with a role related to conservation, at any level whether it be grassroots or management level, who has not previously been awarded.

The successful candidate must have shown a great capacity for achieving conservation goals throughout their career in the conservation and preservation of cultural and natural assets.

*A Ranger is defined as a person involved in the practical protection and preservation of all aspects of wild areas, historical and cultural sites. Rangers provide recreational opportunities and interpretation of sites while providing links between local communities, protected areas and area administration.

The Process
Go to the following link and provide the following information: http://internationalrangers.org/awards/

Nominator and Nominee:
- Full Name
- Date of Birth
- Country of employment
- Employer
- Current Position

Then briefly outline the following:
- The candidate's career, appointments, and highlights.
- The awards, achievements, and/or recognition the candidate has received as a result of their efforts.
- The changes and/or results the candidate has achieved and gained notoriety for.
- If the candidate has been recognised by fellow colleagues as an inspiration, mentor and leader during their career.
- How has the candidate contributed to global conservation and Ranger initiatives?

A summary of the nomination of no more than 350 words must be provided.

Please provide low resolution photos of the nominee along with any additional media formats (under 2 MB) to support the nomination.
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If you can’t to complete the form online then please submit your nomination via email or post (allow for postage time) as per the below details:

Email: executiveofficer@internationalrangers.org
The Thin Green Line Foundation
PO Box 4088
Richmond East
VIC
Australia
3121

Applications for this award close on 30th September, 2017.

The successful candidate will be selected by the current IRF elected committee. The decision of the selection committee is final and no correspondence will be entered into.

The successful candidate will be notified in November 2017.

The Prize
The award recipient will receive funds to meet the reasonable travel and accommodation costs for the World Ranger Congress 2019 in Nepal (up to a value of US$4,000) to accept their award at a dedicated ceremony.

The International Ranger Federation reserves the right to use any part of the supplied application provided by nominees, however, this will be done in consultation with the nominees as not to compromise sensitive information.

It is preferred that award recipients have valid passports and be able and willing to travel to the Congress.