

The Henry C. Pusey Award is presented for the outstanding technical paper and/or literary contribution in the field of shock and vibration presented during the last calendar year. The award is named for Mr. Henry Pusey, who was a significant contributor to the shock and vibration forums and who served as the SAVIAC (Shock and Vibration Information Analysis Center) Director from 1973 until 1983. The award is presented at the annual Shock & Vibration Symposium.

Criteria for Award: The paper would be well presented and well written in a manner consistent with the status of the award, and should make a significant technical contribution as well as advance the state-of-the-art in the author's field.

Uses the following rating system for each paper:

5 - outstanding paper, advances the state-of-the-art in the author's field and is written and presented well (eg, new technique, new application for old technique)

4 - above average paper, contribution to the state-of-the-art in the author's field and is written and presented well (eg, technology review)

3 - good paper, application in the author's field and is written and presented well

2 - average paper, contribution to the state-of-the-art in the author's field but is not written and/or presented well

1 - marginal paper, will not be remembered in 5 years

0 - paper should not be considered

N - no opinion because paper is outside of reviewer's expertise