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## **Westinghouse's Warren Bamford Named 2006 ASME Bernard F. Langer Nuclear Codes and Standards Award Winner**



Warren Bamford, consulting engineer within Westinghouse Electric Company's Nuclear Services business unit, has been selected by the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) to receive the organization's prestigious 2006 Bernard F. Langer Nuclear Codes and Standards Award. Warren has been honored for his contributions to the nuclear plant industry through the development and promotion of ASME nuclear codes and standards.

The Bernard F. Langer Nuclear Codes and Standards Award was established in 1977 in honor of Bernard Langer -- a Westinghouse employee from the late 1930s to the early 1970s -- who was instrumental in the development of the codes and standards for nuclear vessels.

Warren has dedicated more than 30 years of service to the development of consensus standards dealing with integrity of major components and structures in nuclear power plants. He is a world-renowned authority on the development, application and codification of fracture mechanics methods to support the safe, economical operation of nuclear power plants around the globe. He is highly respected by his peers from both industry and regulatory authorities in the U.S. and abroad. Warren's academic credentials include a bachelor's degree in Mechanical Engineering from Virginia Tech and a master's degree in Mechanical Engineering from Carnegie Mellon University. He has completed course work toward his doctorate in Mechanical Engineering at the University of Pittsburgh.

Warren will receive the award during the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel meetings which are scheduled to be held in Nevada in August 2006.

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