



23 November 2010

Jim Blaha  
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USA

Dear Mr. Blaha:

On behalf of the IEEE Member Geographic Activities (MGA) Board, I am pleased to formally advise you that you have been selected as a 2010 recipient of the **MGA Achievement Award**. Larry Hause placed your name in nomination, and Paul Tindall and Mark Juds endorsed the nomination. The selection was made by the MGA Awards and Recognition Committee and approved by the IEEE MGA Board during its 20 November 2010 meeting.

This is a very prestigious award, and we are pleased to honor you for the outstanding contributions you have made to numerous IEEE activities and the example you set in carrying forward the goals and objectives of the IEEE MGA Board.

This award consists of a cash prize of US\$250 and a plaque, which carries the following citation:

**2010**  
**Jim Blaha**  
**(IEEE Milwaukee Section)**

“For his vision, leadership, and commitment in assisting the professional development of IEEE members by organizing the Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) seminars in Milwaukee from 2001 to 2010.”

Please accept our congratulations on being recognized for this most deserving honor.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Barry L. Shoop'. The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping underline.

Barry L. Shoop  
Vice President, Member and Geographic Activities  
Chair, IEEE Member and Geographic Activities Board

cc: Don Bramlett, Region 4 Director  
Karen Pedersen, Region 4 Awards Chair  
Larry Hause, Nominator  
Ralph Ford, MGA Awards and Recognition Committee Chair  
Cecelia Jankowski, Managing Director, IEEE Member and Geographic Activities