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Asia Pacific Quality Organization Announces Winners of the International Individual Awards

Walter L Hurd Executive Medal:

Alfredo Elias Ayub

Harrington / Ishikawa Professional Medal:

Hesameddin AREF KASHFI

Miflora M. Gatchalian Quality Professional Women Medal:

Elizabeth M. Keim

President's Award of Excellence:

Victotria M. Vallesterro

Tang Xiao Fen

H. James Harrington

The awards will be presented at the 15th APQO/ International Conference in Mexico City, Mexico on October 7-10, 2009. For more information please visit: www.imecca.org.mx or e-mail: dg@imecca.org.mx.

This is the ninth **year** of the International Asia Pacific Quality Awards process.

About the Asia Pacific Quality Organization (APQO)

The APQO was founded and organized by National Quality Organizations in Asian and Pacific Rim countries including the American Society for Quality and was incorporated in the Philippines in 1985. It is a non-profit organization formed to be a primary mover for quality and continuous improvement for goods and services and quality of life in the Asia Pacific Region. APQO has several hundred National Quality Organizations (Core members), Corporate members, and Individual members. For more information about APQO and the International Asia Pacific Quality Award visit www.apqo.org.

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