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## **AOLP ANNOUNCES TOP INDUSTRY LIGHTING AWARD WINNERS FOR 2013**

**HARRISBURG, PA-** The Association of Outdoor Lighting Professionals (AOLP) hosted its 2013 Annual Conference & Expo in Atlanta, Georgia. The conference featured two certification training sessions, as well as numerous educational speakers and seminars. On February 14, 2013, AOLP held its annual awards reception to honor professional excellence in outdoor lighting design. During the reception, AOLP announced the 2013 Lighting Award winners.

In this year's competition, there were five category winners, six honorable mentions, a Best of Show winner, and world renowned lighting expert Janet Lennox Moyer, COLD, was also on-hand to present her annual Janet Lennox Moyer Award for distinguished work in the lighting industry, which was distributed to two recipients for the first time ever in the history of the award.

The award winners are as follows:

**2013 AOLP Award of Merit – Best of Show Lighting**

Jim Ply, Oak Crest Landscape, Pasadena, CA; Project: *Beverly Hills 9/11 Memorial*

**2013 AOLP Award of Merit – Best Residential Lighting**

James K. Boyd, CLVLT, Boyd Lighting Designs, San Antonio, TX; Project: *Bretford Project*

**2013 AOLP Award of Merit – Best Commercial Lighting**

Sandy Iliopoulos, Knight Lighting, Inc., Saint Laurent, QC, Canada; Project: *Hotel Saint James*

**2013 AOLP Award of Merit – Best Creative Use Lighting**

David Bilik, Outdoor Accents Inc., Joliet, IL; Project: *Kaye Residence*

**2013 AOLP Award of Merit – Best Feature-Focused/Specialty Lighting**

Jim Ply, Oak Crest Landscape, Pasadena, CA; Project: *Beverly Hills 9/11 Memorial*

**2013 AOLP Award of Merit – Best Outdoor Living Lighting**

Phil Costello Jr., CLVLT, COLD, Illumascape Lighting LLC, South Hadley, MA; Project: *Tall Woods*

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**2013 AOLP Honorable Mention – Commercial Lighting**

David Sloan, Outdoor Accents Inc., Joliet, IL; Project: *The Rialto Theatre*

**2013 AOLP Honorable Mention – Feature-Focused/Specialty Lighting**

Tommy Herren, CLVLT, The Lighting Geek, Fair Oaks, CA; Project: *Nassif Residence*

**2013 AOLP Honorable Mention – Outdoor Living Lighting**

Scott Ruhoff, CLVLT, After Dark Landscape Lighting, Boise, ID; Project: *Foothills Residence*

**2013 AOLP Honorable Mention – Outdoor Living Lighting**

Tommy Herren, CLVLT, The Lighting Geek, Fair Oaks, CA; Project: *Glassman Residence*

**2013 AOLP Honorable Mention – Residential Lighting**

Tommy Herren, CLVLT, The Lighting Geek, Fair Oaks, CA; Project: *Elk Grove Residence*

**2013 AOLP Honorable Mention – Residential Lighting**

William Knowles, Northern Outdoor Lighting, Westford, MA; Project: *Marblehead Estate*

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**2013 Janet Lennox Moyer Award**

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For more information about AOLP, visit our website at [www.aolponline.org](http://www.aolponline.org). The Association of Outdoor Lighting Professionals is an international organization representing the interests of lighting professionals. The mission of the organization is to establish standards, educate industry professionals and increase awareness of the outdoor lighting industry.

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*Photos of winning projects are available. Interviews can be arranged with any of the winners.*

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