Dianne Polseno’s legacy:

integrity, professionalism, leadership, volunteer service, massage research and an unquestionable commitment to the advancement of the massage education profession

AMTA wants to honor the person who also manifests these qualities.

Tell us whose lifetime of achievements should be recognized.

• Eligibility: A minimum of 15 years of service to massage education
• Award includes a trip to the AMTA 2020 National Convention, as well as a cash prize.
• Nominations due April 1, 2020.
Nomination Form

The Lifetime Achievement nominee should have manifested a history of unquestionable leadership, volunteer service, professionalism, integrity and a commitment to research to advance the massage education profession. Nominee must have a minimum of 15 years of service to massage education.

To receive consideration, form and supporting materials must be received by April 1, 2020.

Name of Nominee: ________________________________  Position of Nominee: _______________________________________
Nominee’s School (if applicable): _______________________________________________________________________________
Nominee’s Phone/Email: ______________________________________________________________________________________
Address: ____________________________________________________________________________________________________
Nominated by (Name/Position): _____________________  Your Phone/Email: __________________________________________
Relationship to Nominee: _____________________________________________________________________________________

ALONG WITH YOUR NOMINATION FORM, please include the following:

- Brief Essay – No more than one page.
  What has been this person’s influence on massage education profession? Please include specific examples of how this person’s work has set the standard while balancing the art and science in massage education profession.

- Biographical sketch (no more than two pages) to include: Areas of expertise, positions held and all involvements within the massage education profession, research promotion and volunteer activities. Also include any representation of the nominee’s high standing within (and outside of) the massage education profession.

- Current Curriculum Vitae (no more than three pages)

- Letters of Reference (no more than one page per letter)
  Please include (3) separate letters from (3) different colleagues having experience of the nominee in ONE each of the following categories; 1) leadership capacity or 2) volunteer capacity or 3) research capacity.

Important Information
- All supporting documents should be typed, double-spaced and no smaller than 11pt font.
- The number of pages submitted, including this nomination form, should total a minimum of 7 but NO more than 10.
- Additional pages/letters will NOT be considered.
- Incomplete nomination packages will NOT be considered.

Please include specific examples as supporting materials will allow the committee to evaluate the following criteria: Leadership, Volunteer Service, Professionalism/Integrity/Ethics, Research

Email nomination materials in pdf format to:
Colleen Leeders, AMTA School Awards Team Leader – ckleeders@amtamassage.org

Questions should be directed to:
Cindy Farrar, AMTA School Awards Operational Committee Leader farrarcindy@bellsouth.net

• The recipient will receive the award among peers at the AMTA 2020 National Convention.
• Recipient will have an opportunity to address attendees at the AMTA 2020 Teachers Luncheon.
• Airfare, hotel and conference registration are paid for in advance by AMTA.
• Ground transportation and meals are reimbursed per the AMTA Reimbursement Policy.