



William B Long, III  
Meritorious Achievement Award

**Award Profile:** Given in honor of William B Long, III to an individual who has made significant contributions to operative and non-operative management of chest wall injury.

**Criteria for Selection:**

- scientific publications and presentations
- national and international stature
- impact as a teacher and mentor
- contributions and volunteer service

**Lecture/Publication of Lecture:**

- Recipient will deliver the William B Long, III Award Lecture at the 2024 Chest Wall Injury Summit, Salt Lake City, Utah, United States of America.
- Offered the opportunity to publish lecture, either in pending society-journal-partner or on [www.cwisociety.org](http://www.cwisociety.org).

**Registration:**

- Includes complimentary registration to 2024 Chest Wall Injury Summit for recipient.

**2024 Nomination/Submission Process:**

- 2024 nominations must be submitted using the electronic nomination form. All submissions must be received on or before 11:59 PM ET on November 1, 2023.
- Nominations are accepted from any member of the Chest Wall Injury Society.
- Nominees from any country are eligible for award.

All award nominations should include the following documents sent in one email submission:

- Three letters of nomination (no more than one page per letter). Letters of nomination should address criteria for selection as stated above.
- Nominee's biography (if available)
- Nominee's CV with career, mentoring, and publication highlights (PubMed search is acceptable)
- List of current and former mentees/trainees (not necessarily exhaustive, but please include CWIS members that may be contacted for additional information if needed)

**Questions?** Contact SarahAnn Whitbeck by email at [sarahann@cwisociety.org](mailto:sarahann@cwisociety.org).

**Selection:** All applications are carefully reviewed, then the recipient will be selected and confirmed by the Executive Committee of the Chest Wall Injury Society, December 2023.