

AFTA AWARDEES Through 2019

EARLY PIONEERS / DISTINGUISHED CONTRIBUTION TO FAMILY THERAPY

Contribution to Founding of Association & as its First President

Murray Bowen (1982)

Distinguished Achievement in Family Therapy

Edgar Auerswald (1981)

Gregory Bateson (1981) (Posthumous)

Ivan Boszormenyi-Nagy (1981)

Murray Bowen (1981)

Milton Erickson (1981) (Posthumous)

Jay Haley (1981)

C.F. Midelfort (1981)

Salvador Minuchin (1982)

Virginia Satir (1981)

John Spiegel (1981)

Carl Whitaker (1981)

Distinguished Contribution to Family Therapy

Carol Anderson (1985)

James Framo (1984)

Don Jackson (1983) (Posthumous)

Clifford Sager (1983)

Women's Project (1986): Carter, Papp, Silverstein, Walters

Israel Zwerling (1983)

Distinguished Professional Contribution to Family Therapy

Donald Bloch (1982)

Pioneering Contribution to the Application of Family Systems Theory and Practice

Nancy Boyd-Franklin (1991)

Pioneering Contribution to Family Therapy

Alice Cornelison (1985) (Posthumous)

Stephen Fleck (1985)

Theodore Lidz (1985)

Multiple Impact Group (1986): Goolishian, MacDonald, MacGregor, Ritchie, Serrano, Schuster

Special Tribute (Posthumous)

Nathan Ackerman (1984)

DISTINGUISHED CONTRIBUTION TO FAMILY THERAPY RESEARCH

Distinguished Contribution to Family Therapy Research

Constance Ahrons (1988)

James Alexander (1986)

Robert Beavers (1989)

Linda Bennett (1991)

Guillermo Bernal (2009)

Pauline Boss (1990)

Linda Burton (1996)

Carolyn Cowan (1999)

Philip Cowan (1999)

Ivan Eisler (2014)
Marion Forgatch (2012)
Myrna (Micki) Friedlander and Laurie Heatherington (2010)
Jerry Gale (2006)
Ira Glick (2002)
Michael Goldstein (1985)
John Gottman (1994)
Robert-Jay Green (2001)
Scott Henggeler (2013)
Mavis Hetherington (1992)
Neil Jacobson (1983)
Susan M. Johnson (2005)
Howard Liddle (1996)
Gayla Margolin (1993)
Howard Markman (2008)

Hariette McAdoo (1995)
William R. McFarlane (2002)
David Olson (1983)
Gerald Patterson (1984)
Joän Patterson (2000)
Melanie Domenech Rodriguez (2016)
Michael Rohrbaugh & Varda Shoham (2015)
Daniel Santisteban (2004)
Duncan Stanton (1997)
Peter Steinglass (1981, 1987)
Sandra M. Stith (2007)
Frederick Wamboldt (2017)
Robert Weiss (1983)
Steven Wolin (1991)
Beatrice Wood (2011)

Distinguished Achievement in Family Therapy Research

Denver Group (1981): DeYoung, Flomenhaft, Kaplan, Langsley, Machotka, Pittman

Nathan Epstein (1981)

Alan Gurman (1981)

Mental Research Institution Group (MRI) (1981): Bodin, Fisch, Riskin, Sluzki, Watzlawick, Weakland

David Reiss (1982)

Bernice Rosman (1982)

Margaret Singer (1981)

Lyman Wynne (1981)

Special Contribution to Cultural Diversity as Researcher, Clinical Theorist and Mentor

Jose Szapocznik (1993)

Distinguished Contribution to Family Systems Research

Andrew Cherlin (2018)

Barbara H. Fiese (2019)

[DISTINGUISHED CONTRIBUTION TO FAMILY THERAPY THEORY & PRACTICE](#)

Distinguished Contribution to Family Therapy Theory and Practice

Celia Falicov (1997)

Harlene Anderson (2008)

Harry Aponte (1992)

Tom Erik Arnkil & Jaakko Seikkula (2018)

Betty Carter (1998)

Lee Combrinck-Graham (2005)

David Epston (2007)

Charles Figley (2009)

Eliana Gil (2006)

Virginia Goldner (1996)

Rachel Hare-Mustin (1993)

Evan Imber-Black (1990)

Neil Jacobson (2000)

Carmen Knudson-Martin (2017)

Wai-Yung Lee (2014)
William Madsen (2013)
*Making Families Safe for
Children: The Incest
Project (2004):* Fraenkel,
Sheinberg, True
Laurie MacKinnon (2012)
William Madsen (2013)
Monica McGoldrick (1988)
Braulio Montalvo (1994)
Peggy Papp (1991)
William Pinsof (2001)
Janine Roberts (2011)

Jochen Schweitzer (2016)
Douglas Sprenkle (2010)
Cheryl Storm & Thomas Todd (2015)
*The Multicultural Family Institute Group (2019):
(McGoldrick, Garcia Preto, Front, Petkov,
Petry, Belli, Sutton, Hines)*
Froma Walsh (1995)
Kaethe Weingarten (2002)
Rosmarie Welter-Enderlin (2003)
Carl Whitaker (1987)
Michael White (1999)
Lyman Wynne (1989)

SOCIAL JUSTICE AWARDS

Distinguished Contribution to Social Justice Award (formerly Cultural and Economic Diversity Award)

America Bracho & Promotores of Latino
Health Access (2019)
Jorge Colapinto (2012)
Marietta Collins (1998)
Lillian Comas-Díaz (1999)
Jose Luis Flores (1995)
Nydia Garcia-Preto (2006)
Kenneth V. Hardy (2005)
Pilar Hernández-Wolfe (2013)
*The "Just Therapy" Team: Tuhaka, Campbell,
Tamasese, Waldegrave (2007)*
Jean Malpas and Ben Davis (2018)
Paulette Moore Hines (2001)
Hugo Kamyá (2003)
Bruce Koff and Jeff Levy (2016)
Michael LaSala (2017)

Roxana Llerena-Quinn (2011)
Matthew Mock (1994)
Deniece Reid (1997)
Maria Root (2002)
Ramón Rojano (1996)
Jack Saul (2008)
Martha Adams Sullivan (2004)
CharlesEtta Sutton (2015)
William Turner (2000)
Marlene Watson (2009)
thandiwe Dee Watts-Jones (2014)
Hinda Winawer and Norbert Wetzel (2010)
Luis Zayas (1993)

MISCELLANEOUS AWARDS

Distinguished Service to AFTA

Anne C. Bernstein (2005)
Jay and Joyce Lappin (2006)
John Lawless (2011)
Jane Ariel (2014)

Meritorious Service & Commitment to AFTA

Morris Taggart (1999)

EARLY CAREER AWARD

Early Career Award

Andraé Brown (2014)
Karni Kissil (2015)
Deborah Coolhart (2016)
Yajaira Curiel (2017)
Lana Kim (2019)
Jean Malpas (2011)
José Ruben Parra-Cardona (2013)
Laurel Salmon (2018)
Amy Tuttle (2012)

INNOVATIVE CONTRIBUTION TO FAMILY THERAPY

Innovative Contribution to Family Therapy

Rhea V. Almeida (2005)
Judith Myers Avis (2001)
Khawla Abu-Baker (2017)
Mary Jo Barrett (2019)
C. Christian Beels (2003)
Milan Group (1982):
 Boscolo, Cecchin, Palazzoli, Prata
Lois Braverman (1994)
Gladis D'Avila Brun (2002)
Martha Edwards (2015)
Peter Fraenkel (2012)
Jill Freedman and Gene Combs (2009)
Lynn Hoffman (1983)

Jaime Inclan (1997)
Judith Landau (2010)
Arlene Istar Lev (2013)
Stephen Patrick Madigan (2007)

Robert Mark (1998)
Laura Markowitz (2004)
Susan McDaniel (2000)
Patricia Minuchin (2008)
Marsha Mirkin (2014)
Norman Paul (1984)
Buddy Portugal (1998)
Public Conversations Project (Founders) (1999):
Becker, Chasin, Chasin, Herzig,
 Roth, Stains
John Rolland (2006)
Michele Scheinkman (2018)
Michal Shamai (2016)
Richard Simon (1995)
Lorraine Wright, Wendy Watson Nelson,
 Janice Bell (2011)

Innovative Contribution to Family Therapy and Systems Change

Ackerman Aids Family Project (1992): Gilbert, Kaplan, Mohr, O'Connor, Patten, Rosenthal, Small,

Villegas,
Walker

Joan Laird (2011)
Jay Lebow (2014)
Don-David Lusteran (2008)
Braulio Montalvo (2013)
Fred Piercy (2015)
Elaine Pinderhughes (2001)
Olga Silverstein (2003)
Karl Tomm (2006)
Marianne Walters (2002)

Innovative Contribution to Family Therapy & Systems Change in the Public Sector

Donald Brown (1990)

Innovative Contribution to Family Therapy Research

Timberlawn Group (1982): Beavers, Gossett, Lewis, Phillips

LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT / MERITORIOUS SERVICE

Lifetime Achievement Award

Maurizio Andolfi (2016)
Ellen Berman (2010)
Lois Braverman (2019)
Richard Chasin (2009)
Victoria Dickerson (2012)
William Doherty (2017)
Irene & Herbert Goldenberg (2007)
Herta A. Guttman (2005)
Ann Hartman (2004)
Paulette Hines (2018)

Meritorious Service to the Field of Family Therapy

Kitty La Perriere (1998)
Carlos Sluzki (2000)