

2021 Special Awards Candidate Bio Form

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Name of Nominee: *

Mark Wilson

Facility Employed at: *

Ferris State University

Year Elected to Membership: *

1984

Award Nominated for: *

Bill Strausbaugh

Briefly describe your achievements/accomplishments that would pertain to this award: *

Throughout my career, in 31 years at Watermark Country Club and eight years at Ferris State University, I have always tried to make time to assist and mentor fellow PGA Professionals, Associates and PGA Golf Management University Students. As a speaker at PGA Education Activities including Business Schools, Rules Workshops and PGA University Programs, I have had an opportunity to interact with many of my colleagues in golf for many years.

Service to the Section and to the PGA of America includes: Holding all offices in the Western Chapter of the Michigan Section and serving on its Policy Board from 1985-2005; Michigan Section PGA Board of Directors 1988-1994 and 2007-2010; Michigan Section Rules Chair 1989-Present; PGA of America Rules Committee 1990-Present including Committee Chair from 2005-2010.

Major Awards: Michigan Golf Hall of Fame 2007; Grand Rapids MI Sports Hall of Fame 2008; PGA of America Horton Smith Award (now Professional Development Award) 2008; Michigan Section PGA Hall of Fame 2011; Golf Association of Michigan Distinguished Service Award 2012.

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