



Dear ISPE DVC Members,

As many of you are aware, the Delaware Valley Chapter has a prestigious award in honor of Buz Lange which we present each year at our Holiday Party to an individual who exemplifies strong professional leadership, with the ability to balance his or her personal life serving his or her family and community. We are seeking your nomination for the award at this time.

The Buz Lange Award was established in 1995 by John Cocco, the first president of the Delaware Valley Chapter. Currently, we are accepting nominations from the Chapter for an individual who emulates Buz's leadership, focus on innovation, teamwork and service. Buz was ahead of his time in many ways, which was obvious in his visionary thinking and inclusive behaviors.

Buz, a husband and father of three, received his Bachelor of Civil Engineering from Villanova University and went on to receive a master's degree in business administration from Drexel. He was a strong believer in education both in and out of the classroom. From the 1980s until his death in 1993, he spent countless hours with ISPE on the local and international levels, and he was a mentor for many in the industry. Buz also contributed his talents to children and young adults through his volunteer work in local sports, charities and service projects. He truly found his energy in coaching, refereeing and building needed facilities for Little League fields and church initiatives.

John Cocco reflects, "Buz was committed to serving others and strongly believed in the concept of sharing best practices and in creating healthy competition resulting in state-of-the-art delivery of medicines to those who need it. Buz leaves an enduring legacy of leadership, operational excellence, advocacy and community service."

The past Chapter nominees and recipients of the Buz Lange Award are respected industry and community leaders. The Selection Committee is excited to receive nominations. Please complete the attached form and submit it to Dan D'Aquila at president@ispedvc.org.

Thank you,



Daniel D'Aquila, PE
ISPE DVC President

Buz Lange Award Nomination Form



Nominee Information	
Name:	
Company:	
Title:	
Address:	
Email:	
Phone:	
Approx. Years Industry Experience:	Approx. Years/Roles with ISPE:

The Buz Lange Award is given to an individual who emulates Buz's characteristics and represents what he stood for. Award criteria are based on the following:

- Commitment to serving customers
- Makes quality #1 in all decisions
- Encourages a team-based approach at work by treating peers with respect
- Takes an innovative approach to solutions
- Shares ideas within the pharmaceutical industry by participation in ISPE and other societies
- Supports/volunteers for local sports, charities or other service initiatives
- Mentors less experienced co-workers

Required: Please attach a compelling synopsis of what makes this candidate a viable nominee based on these criteria as well as any personal recommendation of why they should be considered by the selection committee. A member of the nominating committee may contact you for further information.

Nominator Information	
Name:	
Company:	
Title:	
Address:	
Email:	
Phone:	

Please return all nominations to Daniel D'Aquila at president@ispedvc.org by December 22, 2023.

Buz Lange Award
Nomination Form



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Additional or Supporting Information	

Please include information on how the nominee meets each criterion for the award as well as additional, relevant information to support the nomination.