



Meet OSA's 2018 Fellows

Congratulations to the record 101 members elected as 2018 OSA Fellows! These distinguished members will be recognized at OSA conferences throughout the year for scientific, engineering and technological contributions, as well as industry leadership and service to OSA and the global optics community.

The 2018 class reflects the diverse and inclusive community that OSA supports, with Fellows from 19 countries and representation from all Technical Divisions and election categories. A record 185 members were nominated this year.

The process is highly competitive; no more than 10 percent of OSA's total membership may be elected as Fellows. For more information, contact the OSA Awards Office (awards@osa.org; +1 202.416.1960) or visit www.osa.org/fellow. Nominations for 2019 Fellows are due by 15 June 2018.

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For creating the finite-difference time-domain method for the numerical solution of Maxwell's equations, with crucial application to the growth and current state of the field of photonics.