



Daniel B. Niederlander Award

The Daniel B. Niederlander Award was established in 1975, in honor of Niederlander (1895-1964), a former History Museum president, businessman, and dedicated civic leader.

The award is presented to a local education, cultural or heritage organization for outstanding programming.

The following criteria should guide you in the nomination of organizations:

- The organization's overall program for the year must be of high caliber. The award should not be given for a particular event.
- Services should be directed at the entire population of the town, village, or other geographical area described in its charter.
- Particular value will be placed on service rendered to youth.
- Although occupation of a permanent headquarters need not be a prerequisite, the maintenance of extended hours of service at a permanent or temporary headquarters is a factor in service to the community.
- Extensive involvement of volunteers should be emphasized and given special consideration.
- Interpretive programs, research and reference services should be equally weighed.
- Participation in county, area, state and national historical activity.

Nominees are not to be told they are under consideration.

Nominations must be submitted online and are due by 11:59 p.m. on Friday, March 6, 2020. [Click here](#) to nominate. If you have any questions on the online tool or nominations process, please contact Kimberly Luangpakdy, director of advancement, at (716) 873-9644 ext. 322 or at kluangpakdy@buffalohistory.org.

DANIEL B. NIEDERLANDER AWARD RECIPIENT LIST

1975 Old Amherst Colony Museum Park	Museum of Temple Beth Zion
1977 Historical Society of the Tonawandas, Inc.	2004 North Tonawanda History Museum
1978 Tonawanda-Kenmore Historical Society	2005 Preservation Coalition of Erie County & Landmark Society of the Niagara Frontier
1979 Aurora Historical Society	Polish Arts Club of Buffalo
1980 Eden Historical Society	2006 Am-Pol Eagle Newspaper
1981 Lancaster Historical Society	2007 Buffalo State College Maritime Center
1982 Evans Historical Society	Forest Lawn Cemetery
1984 Newstead Historical Society	2008 Central Terminal Restoration Corporation
1985 Cheektowaga Historical Society	Shea's Performing Arts Center
1986 Western New York Railway Historical Society	2009 Afro-American Historical Association
1987 Aurora Historical Society	of the Niagara Frontier, Inc.
1988 Elma Historical Society	Art Conservation Dept. at Buffalo State College
1989 Buffalo Lighthouse Association	2010 Grant-Amherst Business Association
1990 Historical Society of the Tonawandas, Inc.	2011 Old Fort Niagara
1991 Hamburg Historical Society	2012 WNED Buffalo-Toronto
1992 Buffalo Friends of Olmstead Parks	2013 The Hull Family Home & Farmstead
1993 Orchard Park Historical Society	2014 The Martin House Restoration Corporation
1994 Historical Society of the Town of Clarence	2015 The Niagara 1812 Bicentennial Legacy Council
1995 Buffalo Fire Historical Society	2016 The Herschell Carrousel Factory Museum
1997 Michigan Street Preservation Corporation	2017 Hispanic Heritage Council of Western New York
1999 Graycliff Conservancy, Inc.	2018 Niagara Frontier Council for the Social Studies
2001 Theodore Roosevelt Inaugural National Hist. Site	2019 West Seneca Historical Society and Museum
2003 The Benjamin and Dr. Edgar R. Cofeld Judaic	

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