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Outstanding Member

We wish to thank and recognize
Nick L. Gales, CPA, CVA, ABV, CFF, CFFA



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In my 25+ years of doing litigation support and business valuation work I have been called many things, but no one has ever referred to me as an "outstanding member." Seriously, I am honored to be considered for such a designation by an organization I feel so strongly about.

When I began doing BV work in the mid 1980's I was frustrated in my efforts to locate meaningful training until I discovered NACVA. Since becoming involved with NACVA whether as a member of a board, a committee, a task force or an instructor I have been able to grow and expand my knowledge. As a result, I have always believed that that I received more than I contributed. Some of the things I have participated in with NACVA are as follows: Valuation Certification Board, Fraud Deterrence Board, Exam Grading Committee, Certification Committee, Recertification Committee, Course Review Committee, and various task forces. I have also been recognized as the Instructor of Exceptional Distinction 2003, 2004, 2005 & 2006—Fraud Deterrence and Instructor of Great Distinction 2007—Valuation Update.

I was surprised to receive the Oklahoma Society of CPA's 2009 Public Service Award for my involvement with Oklahoma City as a Planning Commissioner and Oklahoma County as a Reserve Deputy.

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