



Montana Professional Photographers Association
Fellowship Degree

About the Award

This award shall be awarded to Montana photographers who have exhibited service to the Montana Professional Photographers' Association and the Professional Photographers of America. The requirements for the degree will be retroactive as far as the records of the association are available. The degree is not a substitute for the PPA Craftsman or Masters degrees, but rather a degree available to MPPA members who desire to put forth the extra effort for our association.

Requirements

The applicant must have been a paid 'active' member of MPPA for the last three years prior to application. You must have accumulated 100 points prior to the application including the following within the 100 points.

- 25 points earned in National Print Merits
- 15 points earned in National Speaking Merits
- 4 points earned for each year as MPPA Board of Directors

Points

National Print Merit	5 points
National Speaking Merit	5 points
National Service Merit	3 points
First Place Print/Montana Competition	3points
MPPA Photographer of the Year	3 points
Each year as MPPA Director or Officer	2 points
Attending an MPPA Seminar or Convention	2 points
Article written for MPPA, RMPPA, PPA	2 points

Additional Awards

For every 25 addition points the recipient may add a gold bar to the ribbon of the Fellowship Medallion.

Wearing the Ribbon

The Fellowship medallion May be worn only at photographic conventions, seminars, or events sponsored by MPPA or PPA.