



INTERNATIONAL BIOMETRICS ASSOCIATION, INC. BIOMETRIC IDENTIFICATION AWARD PROGRAM

Dear Colleagues:

International Biometrics Association, Inc. is excited to present the Annual Biometric Identification Hit of the Year Awards with the use of NEC Corporation of America Biometric Systems to assist in the positive identification and arrest of a suspect. The International Biometrics Association, Inc. Board will be awarding 2 Biometric disciplines: A Facial Recognition hit and a Latent/Palm/Finger Print hit. All nominations must be sent by **August 29, 2025**, to Sarah Varhola (Sarah.Varhola@OhioAGO.gov) and Sharlyn Franks (Sharlyn.Franks@doj.ca.gov). The individual awarded will receive recognition at the annual conference in September 2025 from International Biometrics Association, Inc. and NEC Corporation of America Biometric Systems; a plaque, free membership for 2026 and the submission posted in International Biometrics Association, Inc. newsletter and the internet site. International Biometrics Association, Inc. also invites the award recipients to come to the Banquet Night and present their case to the conference attendees.

Biometric Category: ☐ Facial Recognition ☐ Latent/Palm/Finger Print

Agency Name: _____

Employee Name: _____

Agency Address: _____

Agency Phone Number: _____

Employee Phone Number: _____ Employee E-mail: _____

In the following space, please provide a summary of the case, if more space is needed; please add a supplemental page. Please provide the circumstances that were involved in the case that made the identification exceptional and include anything else you would like us to know regarding this Biometric Hit. (Please indicate if adjudication has or hasn't occurred; if conviction or non-conviction has occurred and if any of the case information needs to be redacted prior to publication in the newsletter and internet site.)

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