# About the Award

The Al Howenstein Lifetime Achievement Award (AHLAA) was originally presented at our Annual Conference in 2008 to Al Howenstein, a founding member of CALSAGA and tireless industry ambassador. Mr. Howenstein, who is now the Award namesake, has dedicated his career to advocating on behalf of the private security industry and has played a key role in forging relationships between CALSAGA and other key influencers in the private security industry, the Bureau of Security and Investigative Services and members of the California Legislature.

# Application Process

To nominate an individual (or yourself) for this award, please submit a nomination form by August 31, 2018 (by 5:00pm), in accordance with the criteria listed below and on the nomination form. The winner will be announced at the 2018 CALSAGA Annual Conference Awards Dinner on October 17, 2018 in Rancho Mirage, CA.

The winner and guest will be invited to attend the Annual Conference for the awards ceremony with hosted accommodations and registration.

If you have questions, please contact Kris Smidt [kris@calsaga.org](mailto:kris@calsaga.org) or Kate Wallace [kwallace@calsaga.org](mailto:kwallace@calsaga.org)

# Criteria for Al Howenstein Lifetime Achievement Award

*Successful candidate will have exhibited some, or all, of the following:*

* Number of years of demonstrated experience in the security industry
* Has been instrumental in professionalizing the private security industry (including training, background checks and education of security officers)
* Has actively participated as a respected leader in volunteer security organizations, such as CALSAGA, ASIS or any other related organization
* Has played a key role in increasing the prestige and credibility of the private security industry as perceived by the general public
* Has played a key role in bridging relationships between the public and private sectors
* Has assisted in legislation, lobbying efforts and overall benefits to the best of the private security industry
* Has forged a relationship with the BSIS, while representing the security industry’s interests at all

times

**How to nominate:**

1. Complete the form below and then provide detailed information pursuant to the criteria in the section below.
2. Attach any supporting documentation (achievements, articles, reports).
3. Send materials via email to [kris@calsaga.org](mailto:kris@calsaga.org) or [kwallace@calsaga.org](mailto:kwallace@calsaga.org)
4. Nominations must be received no later than August 31, 2018.

Your name

Your phone number

Your email address

Name of nominee

Title of nominee

Nominee email and/or phone number

Years of industry experience

**Details on Candidate and Submission:**