## **2018 Convention Awards**

The Harry Goulding Grafting Award was given to **Dave Thompson**, the first non-AHS member to receive this award

The Norman and Beverly Brubaker Award for the 2017 Judges' Favorite Bloom was given to **Marianne Charlton**, Barry Schlueter, hybridizer.

The Norman Reasoner Award for Most Amateur Exhibitors in the 2017 show season was won by: **New Orleans Chapter**.

The A.B. Morrison Award for an exhibitor with the most Best of Show seedlings in 2016 was won by **Don and Carolyn Florus**, Space City Chapter.

Gold Seal Sweepstakes Awards:

### Amateur:

Florida: Margaret Dougherty

Louisiana: Timothy and Louana Ruiz

Texas: Bernie Schneider Islands: Sharon Allen

#### Collector:

Florida: Dawn Siggins

Louisiana: Steffan Callegan

Texas: CJ James

Islands: Margaret Abbott

# Open Collector:

Florida: Connie and Fred Roush Louisiana: Todd and Janelle Alvis

Texas: Gloria Mikulenka

Islands: Elizabeth and Gordon Hess

## Commercial:

Florida: **Matt Martindale** Louisiana: **Dupont Nursery** 

Texas: Sean Mohme

Islands: None

Seedling of the Year for 2018 - Katy McClain Memorial Award

5<sup>th</sup> Place Fire Glow Connie and Fred Roush, hybridizers

4<sup>th</sup> Place Love's Delight Dupont/Gerlich, hybridizers

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Bronz Goddess Don and Carolyn Florus, hybridizers

2<sup>nd</sup> Place:Space CowboyDon and Carolyn Florus, hybridizers

2018 Seedling of the Year:

Cinnamon Seas

Dupont/Gerlich, hybridizers

The Nola Reynolds/Ann Mitchell Lifetime Achievement Award: Walter Bisselle

Presidential Citations, presented by Damon Veach:

**Outstanding Service Awards:** 

Carolyn Cormier-Stoute Ann Peltier Nancy Kopp

Outstanding Chapter: Space City Chapter