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**NICSA HONORS NOVA AWARD WINNERS
AT 2018 GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING**

MCLEAN, VA – [September 10, 2018]—NICSA proudly announces the winners of the 2018 NICSA NOVA Awards. The NICSA NOVA Awards showcase excellence in innovation and leadership within the asset management industry. Award winners will be honored on October 11th at the 2018 NICSA General Membership Meeting in Boston.

A list of the 2018 award winners follows:

NOVA INDUSTRY INNOVATION AWARD

- Delta Data | *FundBlast*
- American Funds | *ACE (Advancing the Client Experience)*
- Putnam Investments | *QC-Boost*
- Citi Fund Services | *Form N-PORT Services*
- Envision Financial Systems | *FundKeeper*

NOVA AWARD FOR EMERGING LEADERS IN THE ASSET MANAGEMENT INDUSTRY

- Kelly Cornwell, Financial Advisor Services Manager, The Vanguard Group
- Anna Jamroz, Senior Vice President, Global Fund Services, Northern Trust
- Jonathan Rizzo, Senior Manager, Deloitte

NOVA STRATEGIC LEADERSHIP AWARD

- Robert Conti, Managing Director, Neuberger Berman
- Victoria McGowan, Head of Global Fund Administration, BNY Mellon

PRESIDENT'S AWARD FOR SERVICE TO NICSA

- Keith Slattery, Managing Director, Head of Fund Services Operations, JPMorgan Chase & Co.
- Stacy Bernstein, Head of Financial Intermediaries, American Century Investments

FUND INDUSTRY LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

- Jeffrey Paul Beale, Chief Administrative Officer and Vice President, Eaton Vance (Retired)

“NICSA is proud to serve an industry built on the dedication to meet investor needs. The NICSA NOVA Award honorees exemplify the Association’s core mission and demonstrate dedication, excellence, and leadership within the global asset management community,” said Jim Fitzpatrick, President of NICSA.

The NICSA NOVA Awards are presented annually at the General Membership Meeting in Boston. The 2018 General Membership Meeting will be taking place October 11-12.

About NICSA

[NICSA](http://www.nicsa.org) is a not-for-profit asset management trade association that connects global asset management industry participants in order to develop, share, and advance leading practices. For over fifty years, the Association has offered a collective, timely view on evolving themes shaping the financial industry.

NICSA member companies operate in all segments of the financial industry and include fund complexes, broker dealers, custodian banks, transfer agents, and other professional service firms including audit, tax, legal, technology, marketing, telecom, and compliance. Deep expertise and unique perspectives come together in an open and collaborative environment to tackle the strategic implementation of the industry’s most vital issues. For more information about NICSA and how to become a member, contact 508-485-1500 or visit www.nicsa.org.

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