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Legacy Award for Education Excellence Created in Honor of RCA Director Carole Perry

(March 12, 2019) [Orlando Hamcation](#), one of the nation's largest annual hamfests, in continuous operation since 1947, created a new legacy award at their February 2019 event called the "Carole Perry Educator of the Year". It will be awarded each year at Hamcation in recognition of outstanding dedication to education and to advancing the skills of young people through ham radio. Carole Perry, WB2MGP, was the first recipient at the Hamcation event earlier this year in Orlando, specifically for her decades of fostering STEM education with the use of ham radio through the RCA Youth Education program and work with other organizations.

"Carole has done an outstanding job in encouraging and facilitating youth in STEM programs, using ham radio as a vehicle for more than three decades. The RCA is proud of Carole and her continued work through the RCA and other organizations. Her latest recognition is well deserved and should be an excellent example for the wireless field in continuing to recognize and foster the educational advancement of young people," commented Carroll Hollingsworth, RCA President.

About RCA

Founded in 1909, the Radio Club of America is the oldest, most prestigious group of wireless communications professionals in the world. Members are dedicated to the wireless art and science for the betterment of society. The Radio Club of America is a 501(c)(3) organization. For more information, visit www.radioclubofamerica.org. The RCA 2018 Awards Banquet and Technical Symposium will be held on Saturday, November 23, at the Westin New York Times Square in New York City.