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## **CSSI Announces Winners of Team, Rookie Awards**

**Washington, DC** – [CSSI, Inc.](http://www.cssiinc.com) recently named the winners of its first-ever Rookie of the Year and Team of the Year Awards.

Kelly Christian, a contracts administrator working at CSSI's headquarters, received the Rookie of the Year Award, and CSSI's Research, Development, Test and Evaluation (RDT&E) Team, located in Charleston, South Carolina, was recognized as the company's team of the year.

These new awards were established to salute CSSI employees who go above and beyond in their service to customers and colleagues.

The Rookie of the Year award, developed to complement the Frank G. Castillo Founder's Award, recognizes an up-and-coming CSSI employee who has made a mark on the company during a relatively short tenure. Nominees for the Rookie of the Year award all demonstrated a willingness to assist their fellow co-workers, exhibited a positive attitude and team spirit, and had a proven track record of consistently exceeding the customers and CSSI's expectations. This year, there were seven nominees for the award.

The Team of the Year award recognizes one outstanding CSSI team for outstanding performance, customer service, and initiative. The RDT&E team's achievements included achieving a customer satisfaction rating of more than 98 percent – among other things. There were 16 teams nominated for the award.

“CSSI's reputation for quality service and innovation was built on employees who go above and beyond, and these awards give us a way to formally thank some of our best and brightest,” said Cynthia Castillo, CSSI president and CEO. “I'm proud of each and every employee who was nominated, and thank them all for their hard work and dedication to our company.”

***About CSSI.** CSSI is a dynamic, multi-disciplinary firm with leading-edge skills in engineering, information technology, safety management and applied research. CSSI is committed to its customers and to delivering strong leadership, sound solutions, and innovative thinking. For more information, visit [www.cssiinc.com](http://www.cssiinc.com).*

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