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Ref: Nomination of James L Read, Jr. to be a Fellow of the American Society of Theatre Consultants.

Mr Read has been an active member of ASTC for 30 years and has served the organization many ways, including:

- Serving as the Society President for 6 years.
- Serving as Vice President for 1 year
- Serving as a Director for 10 years.
- Serving as chair of the Ethics committee from its creation until last year and as committee chair, shepherding the creation and approval of a formal Ethics Policy for ASTC.

Professionally, Mr Read has served the theater industry in many significant ways, including:

- Pioneering the use of AutoCad in theater projects
- Creating historically significant products such as the portable solid state dimmer six pack (Century Edkotron system and later the TTI six pack) and motorized winch controls (Dartmouth and Jones Hall)
- Many Consulting projects including Northwestern University, Jones Hall, Ben Franklin Bridge Lighting.

I have attached Mr. Read's CV which provides details of education, professional work history, published works, and teaching experience.

Letters of recommendation will be submitted by ASTC Members Robert Long, James Stockman, and Don Hirsch

Sincerely



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