



Facts

- More than 2,200 of nearly 3,700 (60%) Fall Leaguers have reached the major leagues
- 197 MLB All-Stars
- 11 MLB MVPs
 - Ryan Braun
 - Jason Giambi
 - Josh Hamilton
 - Ryan Howard
 - Joe Mauer
 - Justin Morneau
 - Dustin Pedroia
 - Buster Posey
 - Albert Pujols (3)
 - Jimmy Rollins
 - Joey Votto
- 3 Cy Young Award winners
 - Chris Carpenter
 - Roy Halladay (2)
 - Brandon Webb
- 3 World Series MVPs
 - Jermaine Dye
 - David Eckstein
 - Derek Jeter
- 24 MLB Rookies of the Year
- 8 All-Star Game MVPs
- 66 MLB Silver Sluggers
- 58 MLB Gold Glove Awards
- 11 MLB batting champions
- 14 MLB season hits leaders
- 11 MLB season RBI leaders
- 9 MLB season homer leaders
- 14 MLB season stolen-base leaders
- 32 MLB managers
- 39 MLB umpires
- Over 80 administrators serving the baseball industry

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Athletic Trainer Dave Cilladi 2013 Hemond Award Recipient

Phoenix, Arizona — Athletic trainer Dave Cilladi, the Arizona Fall League's medical care coordinator the past 12 years, is the recipient of the 2013 Roland Hemond Award.

The award is presented annually to recognize baseball executives who have provided outstanding service to professional baseball and served the Arizona Fall League in a key leadership capacity. Cilladi will receive the award during pre-game ceremonies at tonight's nationally-televised (MLB Network, MLB.com) 7 p.m. MST game between the Salt River Rafters and Scottsdale Scorpions at Scottsdale Stadium.

Cilladi — In his capacity as the Fall League's medical overseer, the former major league athletic trainer establishes policies and procedures and serves as a liaison between the league's team athletic trainers and the local medical community.

The Brockport, PA native graduated from Penn State University in 1984 with a bachelor's degree in health education.

The next summer, he began his professional athletic training career as the head athletic trainer for the Peoria Chiefs, the Chicago Cubs' affiliate in the Class-A Midwest League. One year later, he found himself at Wrigley Field as the parent Cubs first full-time assistant athletic trainer. He served in that capacity through the 1992 season when he was named the Colorado Rockies first full-time head athletic trainer.

Since leaving the Rockies following the 1998 season, Cilladi has been associated with Physiotherapy Associates, working primarily with baseball players.

Cilladi and his wife, Jamie, reside in Mesa. They have two sons — Stephen, a catcher in the Los Angeles Dodgers' organization and a certified athletic trainer, and Joseph.

Hemond — Hemond, a veteran baseball executive, is a three-time winner of MLB's Executive-of-the-Year Award and the 2011 recipient of the second Buck O'Neil Lifetime Achievement Award.

The Arizona Fall League Hemond Award is one of four awards in his name. The others are the White Sox Roland Hemond Award, the *Baseball America* Award and the Society for American Baseball Research (SABR) Award.

Hemond's dream of creating a six-week off-season league for baseball's top prospects in Arizona each fall became reality when the Arizona Fall League began play in 1992 after he spent two years selling the concept to baseball's hierarchy — first general managers, then owners.

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Roland Hemond Award Winners

2013 — Davie Cilladi	2009 — Terry Ryan	2005 — Joan McGrath
2012 — Paul Jensen	2008 — Rich Garcia	2004 — Bill Murray
2011 — Dr. Fred Dicke	2007 — Frank Robinson	2003 — Mike Port
Dr. Angelo Mattalino	2006 — Al Rosen	2002 — Dan O'Brien, Sr.
2010 — Tim Purpura	Dick Wagner	2001 — Roland Hemond

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