H. COUNCILL TRENHOLM MEMORIAL AWARD (BLACK)

Harper Councill Trenholm (1900-1963) served for 21 years as executive secretary of the American Teachers Association (ATA). One of the country's most outstanding Black educators, he helped build ATA's numbers and strength and worked for the merger of ATA and NEA.

NEA presents the dual H. Councill Trenholm Memorial Award to one Black and one non-Black educator. **The black award is awarded in even years; and the non-black award in odd years.**

To be eligible for this award, the nominee must meet one or more of the following criteria:

1. Work beyond the call of duty to free the education profession from inequities based on race or ethnicity.
2. Help improve intergroup relations and understanding among racial and ethnic groups.
3. Secure community recognition for his or her contributions to intergroup relations, and understanding among racial and ethnic groups.
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