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**IFSTA/FPP Wins Best of Show at the Society for
Technical Communications Lone Star Community Competition**

FPP Editorial Staff Receive High Honors

IFSTA/FPP representatives recently attended the annual awards banquet of the Lone Star Community of the Society for Technical Communications held on January 10, 2008, in Addison, Texas. The 4th edition of the IFSTA Fire and Emergency Services Company Officer (4th edition) manual received a Distinguished rating and won Best of Show in the Publications/Books division. A Distinguished award ensures that the manual will be submitted to the STC International competition, which begins in February. International level awards will be made in June and displayed at the annual conference in Philadelphia.

The awards banquet was attended by approximately 80 chapter members, guests, and recipients. Representing IFSTA/FPP were Craig Hannan, Ed Kirtley, Barbara Adams, and Fred and Jessica Stowell.

In addition to the competition awards, it was also announced that an Oklahoma State University student, Lacy Landrum, was awarded a scholarship by the Lone Star Community. Lacy is a research tech at FPP.