The George D. Younger Award for Excellence in Local or Regional American Baptist History

Events or projects completed in 2019 and 2020 are eligible for the George D. Younger Award to be given at the 2021 ABC/USA Biennial. Mail nominations and supporting materials no later than April 1, 2021 to:

The Younger Award
American Baptist Historical Society
3001 Mercer University Drive
Atlanta, Georgia 30341-4155

Guidelines for the Submission and Judging of Projects Nominated

Projects eligible for nomination include but are not restricted to church anniversary celebrations, congregational or regional histories, oral history projects, or other historical programs that promote Baptist history in the local community or region. The winner will be announced at the 2021 Biennial Convention. Nominations will be accepted for projects completed in either 2019 or 2020.

Nominations should include the following documentation:
1. cover sheet listing the name of the project and the name and contact information for the sponsoring church, group or institution;
2. a short (one-to-two-page) description of the project or program, including dates and locations of any associated events;
3. supporting material, such as program bulletins, newspaper clippings, and comments by those who participated, either in the production of the program or project or as part of the targeted audience;
4. evidence of the quality (historical content and production quality) of the program or project;
5. supplementary evidence or evaluations of the project or program, such as videos, newspaper clippings, audio-recordings, or photographic images;
6. evidence of impact on the targeted audience, with special consideration given for impact on a broader-than-Baptist community.