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## **Announcing 2009 NPTA Alliance Young Leader of the Year Award**

CHICAGO – NPTA Alliance is pleased to announce its 2009 Young Leader of the Year Award recipient – Angela D. Carlig, senior account manager, Commercial Printing and Imaging Papers, a division of International Paper.

Young Leader of the Year Award recipients are individuals who have made significant contributions to their companies, industry and NPTA Alliance during the year. This award honors those individuals, under the age of 45, for their outstanding achievements in the field of paper and/or packaging.

During her 16-year tenure, Carlig has made a profound impact on the paper industry. For seven years, she has played an integral part in NPTA's Young Leaders Division (YLD), serving four years on the YLD Steering Committee and contributing to several initiatives including communication and membership development.

“Over the past years of YLD, I have been able to see so many of our industry leaders receive this award,” said Carlig. “It is an honor to be chosen by your peers for such an award.”

Carlig will be honored for her exemplary leadership skills during the YLD Reception, taking place September 30 during the 2009 NPTA Alliance Annual Convention.

Visit [www.goNPTA.com](http://www.goNPTA.com) for more information on YLD and to register for the NPTA Alliance Annual Convention, taking place September 29 – October 2 in Chicago, IL.

About NPTA Alliance: NPTA Alliance (formerly the National Paper Trade Association, Inc.), founded in 1903, is the association for the \$60+ billion paper, packaging, and supplies distribution industry. The mission of NPTA is to actively support the success of its members through the delivery networking, education, industry data and research and advocacy, which focuses on the health of the distribution channel.

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