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For immediate release:

Edwin C. Nevis was awarded the Organization Development Network's Lifetime Achievement Award at the recent OD Network Conference in New Orleans. Edwin Nevis, PhD, of Wellfleet and Brookline is co-founder of the Gestalt International Study Center (GISC), where he now serves on the board and faculty. GISC, located in Wellfleet, MA and founded by Edwin and his wife Sonia March Nevis in 1979, is a non-profit educational organization dedicated to leadership, professional, and organizational development, offering advanced training for leaders, practitioners, and individuals. Nevis also helped found the Gestalt Institute of Cleveland in 1956, where he served as president and as a member of the faculty. In addition to his worldwide work in advanced training of OD consultants, Nevis has practiced organizational consulting for nearly 60 years. He also has a long history in executive education and development, spending 17 years at the Sloan School of Management at MIT where he taught courses in organization change and consulting. He also served as a core faculty member and Director of the MIT Program For Senior Executives. Edwin is the author of numerous articles and several books, including *Organizational Consulting: A Gestalt Approach*; *Intentional Revolutions* (with Lancourt and Vassallo); and *How Organizations Learn* (with DiBella). This year, GISC released his most recent book, *Mending the World: Social Healing Interventions by Gestalt Practitioners Worldwide* (co-edited by Joseph Melnick).