2003 ASEE NATIONAL AND SOCIETY AWARD RECIPIENTS AND FELLOW MEMBER HONOREES

The following have been selected to receive the 2003 ASEE National and Society Awards and Fellow Member status. These candidates were selected by the respective award selection committees and approved by the ASEE Awards Policy Committee:

Society Awards
- Benjamin Garver Lamme Award
  Winfred M. Phillips, Vice President for Research and Dean, Graduate School, University of Florida
- Donald E. Marlowe Award
  Reza Abbaschian, Vladimir A. Grodsky Professor of Material Science & Engineering, University of Florida

National Awards
- Frederick J. Berger Award
  Patricia L. Fox, Associate Dean, School of Engineering & Technology, Purdue University
- Chester F. Carlson Award
  Deran Hanesian, Master Teacher and Professor of Chemical Engineering, The Otto H. York Department of Chemical Engineering, New Jersey Institute of Technology
- Clement J. Freund Award
  Thomas M. Akins, Executive Director, Division of Professional Practice, Georgia Institute of Technology
- Sharon Keillor Award for Women in Engineering Education
  Jennifer L. Curtis, Head, Department of Freshman Engineering and Associate Dean for Undergraduate Education, Purdue University
- James H. McGraw Award
  Walter W. Buchanan, Director and Professor, School of Engineering Technology, Northeastern University
- Fred Merryfield Design Award
  Spencer Magleby, Associate Professor and Associate Chair, Mechanical Engineering Department, Brigham Young University
- Minorities in Engineering Award
  Bevlee A. Watford, Associate Dean, College of Engineering, Virginia Tech
- Robert G. Quinn Award
  David M. Hata, Microelectronics Instructor, Portland Community College
- William Elgin Wickenden Award

Fellow Member Honorees
- Eli Fromm, Drexel University
- Mario J. Gonzalez, University of Texas at Austin
- Frank A. Gourley, Jr., West Virginia University Institute of Technology
- Raymond G. Jacquot, University of Wyoming
- Sherra E. Kerns, Franklin W. Olin College of Engineering
- Barbara M. Olds, Colorado School of Mines
- Gerhard F. Paskusz, University of Houston
- H. Vincent Poor, Princeton University
- Paul E. Rainey, California Polytechnic State University
- William E. Sayle, Georgia Institute of Technology
- Karan L. Watson, Texas A&M University
- Robert English, New Jersey Institute of Technology (deferred from 2002)

These ASEE members will be honored and recognized at the ASEE Annual Awards Banquet, which is a highlight event, at the Annual Conference. This year the event will take place in Nashville at the Renaissance Hotel, Wednesday, June 25.
**DI SAPPONTED WITH THE PICNIC I N MONTREAL LAST YEAR?**

Then you will love the picnic planned in Nashville this year. Join friends and colleagues for a true country and western shindig at the Wildhorse Saloon, which is conveniently located within walking distance of the convention center. This year's picnic will include more food and fun, and more networking opportunities than ever before. You can sample down home country barbecue one minute, and try line dancing the next. Tickets purchased before June 13 are only $35.

As a fitting finale to your trip to Nashville, you'll want to attend the 2003 ASEE Annual Awards Banquet and help recognize the Society's National Award winners and the Best Paper award winners. Tickets are available at $65 per ticket until June 13.

The 2003 ASEE Annual Conference will bring together engineering educators from across the U.S. as well as abroad. This year's meeting will feature 270 technical sessions with close to 1300 published papers, over 100 exhibiting companies, and the opportunity to be involved in the world's largest gathering of engineering educators. Please visit our website at www.asee.org/conferences/annual2003.

**PRISM WINS MORE AWARDS**

We've learned that Prism was a finalist in the Ed Press competition for the best cover, "The ABC's of Engineering", November, 2002. Two Prism stories made the final cut in the prestigious Iris Molotsky Award for excellence in coverage of higher education, which is sponsored by the American Association of University Professors. The stories were "Facing the Problem," October 2002; and "A Contrarian for the Ages," December 2002.

**NEW STUDENT CHAPTERS**

ASEE is pleased to announce the addition of four new student chapters at Austin Community College, Iowa State University, Northern Illinois University and The University of South Carolina. Student chapters encourage interest in engineering education and develop relations in the community through K-12 outreach activities.

**PROFILES DIRECTORY READY TO MAIL**

The 2002 edition of the Profiles of Engineering and Engineering Technology Colleges will be mailed before Memorial Day. Much of this information is already available online at: http://www.asee.org/colleges. This year's publication includes more longitudinal data and trend analysis. Please contact Michael Gibbons with any data questions or needs at m.gibbons@asee.org.

**LEARNON GETS MORE VISITORS**

Learnon.org, ASEE's continuing education site, received 11,000 visitors in April, a significant increase from the previous high of 8,000 visitors following the Globalspec partnership. Learnon was also mentioned in the current issue of IEEE Spectrum magazine in the article titled "Online Education Expands and Evolves," which can be seen online at: http://www.spectrum.ieee.org/careers/careerstemplate.jsp?ArticleId=e050103.

**ANNUAL REPORTS**

ASEE Board members, committee chairs, and representatives to other organizations are expected to file an Annual Report with headquarters. This is a requirement dictated by the ASEE Constitution. Reports can be simple, and need only cover the following: name of council/office; meetings of the unit you represent; and any significant actions or major events of your unit. Other information could include future activities and any suggestions you might want to make. Annual Reports received by May 15th will be attached to the June agenda for the ASEE Board of Directors meeting. All reports that are received in timely fashion will be collated and filed in a permanent archive at ASEE headquarters.

**APRIL CONNECTIONS**

See:
The April issue of ASEE's new e-newsletter, Connections. This newsletter is free to engineering educators across the nation and is primarily directed to non members of ASEE. By providing current information about engineering education, we hope to stimulate interest in ASEE and inform a large audience (approximately 20,000) of the latest in engineering news.

**AAES UPDATE**

The American Association of Engineering Societies (AAES) has announced that the American Institute of Chemical Engineers (AIChE), American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE), and the National Society of Professional Engineers (NSPE) intend to withdraw their membership in AAES. The dues of these societies make up 40% of AAES's dues revenue.

**NEW MEMBERS OF NATIONAL SCIENCE BOARD**

ASEE Fellow Dr. Delores Etter, who holds the Office of Naval Research Distinguished Chair in Science and Technology at the U.S. Naval Academy, was confirmed by the Senate in April as a member of the National Science Board. She currently serves on the Defense Science Board and the Board of Visitors for the National Defense University. The Senate also confirmed Dr. Daniel Hastings, MIT Professor of Aeronautics and Astronautics, and Engineering Systems. Professor Hastings serves as Acting Director of MIT's Engineering Systems Division, and Director of the Technology and Policy Program at MIT.

**ENGINEERS FORUM ON SUSTAINABILITY**

Co-sponsored by ASEE, ASCE, and AIChE, the Engineers Forum on Sustainability met May 9 at the National Academy of Engineering in Washington, D.C., to discuss topics related to the challenge of achieving sustainability in the U.S. and abroad. All persons interested in sustainable development and sustainable technology are
invited to attend the Forum's meetings which are held three times a year at the Academy. A periodic newsletter is also issued between meetings of the Forum.

FULBRIGHT GRANTS

The Fulbright Scholar Program is offering lecturing and research awards in Engineering for the 2004-2005 academic year. Awards for both faculty and professionals range from two months to an academic year. There were some 900 awards in 140 countries available under the traditional Fulbright Scholar Program when the 2004-05 competition opened in March. See the online Awards Catalog on the Web site at: http://www.cies.org. Application deadline is August 1, 2003. The Fulbright Scholar Program is sponsored by the U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs and administered by the Council for International Exchange of Scholars (CIES).

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