

2015 Distinguish Service Awardees

Buddy Ratner
Sarah Morgan
Ken Carter

Congratulations to the 2015 winners of the POLY Distinguished Service Award. **Sarah Morgan** (University of Southern Mississippi), received the 2015 Distinguished Service Award at the Denver Spring ACS meeting in recognition of “Outstanding Polymer Division Programming & Undergraduate Education”.

At the 2015 Fall ACS meeting in Boston, **Buddy Ratner** (Univ. of Washington), was recognized for outstanding and sustained leadership in workshop organization and coordination, and **Ken Carter** (Univ. of Massachusetts-Amherst) was recognized for outstanding organization of the Polymer Division Award Series.



Ken Carter, Rigoberto Advincula (POLY Chair), Buddy Ratner

2014 Distinguish Service Awardees

Judy Riffle **Krzystof Matyjaszewski**

Congratulations to the 2014 winners of the POLY Distinguished Service Award: Judy Riffle (Virginia Tech) and Krzysztof Matyjaszewski (Carnegie Mellon) University.

Krzysztof Matyjaszewski received the award in recognition of exceptional leadership in organization of the controlled radical polymerization symposium. This symposium has become a highly attended event during the ACS National Meeting and is held every other year. This award was presented at the POLY/PMSE Awards Reception at the Spring ACS meeting in Dallas at the Hyatt Regency on March 19, 2014.

Judy Riffle received the award in recognition of outstanding and sustained leadership in workshop organization and coordination. This award was presented at the POLY/PMSE Awards Reception at the Fall ACS meeting in San Francisco, August, 2014.



Kris Matyjaszewski, Kate Beers (POLY Chair)

2013 Distinguish Service Awardees

Christine Landry-Coltraine

Greg Tew

Kristi Kiick

Jeff Linhardt

Christine Landry-Coltraine, Eastman kodak Company, received the 2013 Distinguished Service Award in recognition of dedication to the POLY website development and implementation. This award was presented at the POLY/PMSE Awards Reception, Spring ACS meeting, April 10, 2013 in New Orleans.

Kristi Kiick (University of Delaware), **Jeff Linhardt** (Google, Inc.), and **Greg Tew** (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) received the 2013 Distinguished Service Award in recognition of creating and establishing the “Special Plenary Session” held at the ACS National Meetings. This has become the highest attended POLY and PMSE event during the ACS National Meeting. These awards were presented at the POLY/PMSE Awards Reception, Fall ACS meeting, September 11, 2013 in Indianapolis.



Kate Beers (POLY Chair elect), Kristi Kiick, Greg Tew, Jeff Linhardt



Christine Landry-Coltraine, Greg Tew (POLY Chair)

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2012 Distinguish Service Awardees

Pal Arjunan
Ulrich S. Schubert

Pal Arjunan (Albemarle Corp) received the 2012 Distinguished Service Award in recognition of outstanding POLY workshop organization. **Ulrich S. Schubert** (Friedrich-Schiller-Universitaet Jena) received the POLY Distinguished Service Award. These were presented at the POLY/PMSE Awards Reception, 5:30pm-8pm, Horizon Rooftop Ballroom, Wednesday, August 22, 2012 at the Philadelphia ACS meeting.



Joe Mabry (POLY Chair), Pal Arjunan

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2011 Distinguish Service Awardees

Dana Garcia

Kate Beers

John Pochan

POLY salutes its invaluable volunteers and staff for their outstanding service to the division. The following received the Distinguished Service Award at the Fall national meeting in Denver: **John Pochan** (Cornell) for his outstanding contribution as POLY councilor; **Dana Garcia** (Arkema) for her long-standing organization and chairing of the general sessions at national meetings; **Kate Beers** (NIST) for her invaluable contributions as POLY treasurer.

2010 Distinguish Service Awardees

Warren Ford

POLY salutes its invaluable volunteer, **Warren Ford** (Oklahoma State), in recognition of his contributions to the success of regional meetings. Dr. Ford began working on regional meeting programs in 2011, after he served as Program Chair 1998-2000. He worked with regional meeting program organizers to encourage them to hold first rate polymer symposia and arranging seed money to support keynot speakers in their symposia.



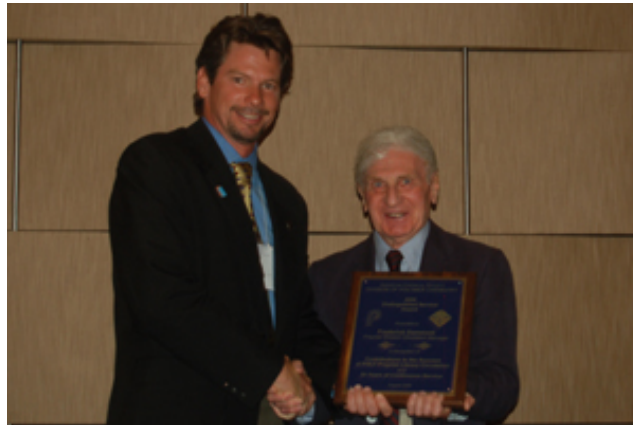
Barry Farmer (POLY Chair), Warren Ford

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2009 Distinguish Service Awardees

Frederick R. Dammont

POLY salutes its invaluable volunteer, **Frederick R. Dammont**, for his service as the POLY Circulation manager. Dr. Dammont has contributed to the successful circulation of POLY Preprints to libraries for over 30 years. Since taking the office in 1979, he has collected more than ONE MILLION dollars for Polymer Preprint Library Subscriptions.



Dennis Smith (POLY Chair), Frederick Dammont

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2008 Distinguish Service Awardees

Jimmy Mays
Janell Hampton

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2006 Distinguish Service Awardees

William J. Brittain
William H. Daly
Robson F. Story
Robert S. Moore
Reddy Venumbaka