

Tucker and Luey among those honored at TAPPI's Annual Awards Ceremony and Business Meeting

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On Monday, April 19, TAPPI members met at the Atlanta Marriott Marquis Hotel to attend the Association's Annual Business Meeting and to recognize, past and present, those who have earned the merit of 50-Year Sustaining Member Companies, 50-Year Members, TAPPI presidents, Gunnar Nicholson Gold Medal Awardees, and Distinguished Service Awardees.

Attendees recognized 17 TAPPI members who became Fellows in 1993: Jerry Hunter Ballengee, Willard E. Carlson, Gerard

P. Closset, Barry W. Crouse, David H. Dumas, Lennart Eriksson, James C. Farrand, Ted C. Kennedy, Carl C. Landegger, J. Martin MacLeod, Francis R. Marchetti, Bo G. Norman, James H. Stoval, James H. Tomlinson, Jay H. Vreeland, Charles G. Whelpton, and Ronald A. Yeske.

James M. Tucker Jr. received TAPPI's 1993 Distinguished Service Award from Philip E. Nethercut. The Award is accompanied by a US\$ 25,000 honorarium.

Philip E. Nethercut, right, presented TAPPI's 1993 Distinguished Service Award to James M. Tucker Jr.



A. Thomas Luey, right, received TAPPI's 1993 Gunnar Nicholson Gold Medal Award from William O. Kroeschell.



Outgoing TAPPI President F. Keith Hall, left, congratulates TAPPI's new President, Ronald B. Estridge.



William O. Kroeschell presented TAPPI's 1993 Gunnar Nicholson Gold Medal Award to A. Thomas Luey.

F. Keith Hall presided over the Association Business Meeting that immediately followed the Awards Ceremony. During the meeting, Hall introduced TAPPI's 1993 Board of Directors and TAPPI's new president, Ronald B. Estridge. □

TAPPI accepted as CEU User Member of IACET

In May, TAPPI became an approved Continuing Education Unit (CEU) User Member of the International Association for Continuing Education and Training for seminars and short courses. Membership is based on adhering to the CEU Criteria and Guidelines established by IACET and agreeing to participate in annual monitoring conducted by IACET.

"IACET's mission to promote and advance quality continuing education and training, and its dedication to the principles of lifelong learning through research, education, training, and resource dissemination work well with TAPPI's vision," says Carnie M. Wall, TAPPI's director of education and marketing. "We have shown, through

documentation, that we follow IACET's criteria and guidelines for awarding the CEU."

In the mid-1980s, IACET completed its first major research project, publishing the Principles of Good Practice in Continuing Education. Those principles center on (1) assessment of learning needs, (2) use of clear learning outcomes to guide program development, (3) design of appropriate learning experiences to achieve the outcomes, (4) evaluation and assessment of learners' achievement of learning outcomes, and (5) administration of continuing education programs.

In November 1992, TAPPI's Board of Directors endorsed a Quality Edu-

cation Development plan proposed by TAPPI's Education Committee. The plan is based on IACET's five principles.

"This CEU program provides TAPPI members with recognition for their efforts to update or broaden their knowledge and skills," Wall says. "The availability of permanent records and documentation permits TAPPI members to maintain and transmit to others a record of their lifelong learning experiences. In short, participation in the CEU program gives TAPPI members opportunities for professional development that are measurable and quantifiable."

Ambassador Program sponsors recognized

Congratulations to the following people who have sponsored one or more new members through TAPPI's Ambassador Program in 1993.

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