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SEPM Announces its 2015 Awardees

Each year the Society recognizes excellence in several areas of sedimentary geology with the awarding of honors to scientists selected by special committees made up of specialists in that topic. The awards are presented at the 2015 Annual Meeting of the Society, which will be in Denver, Colorado, May 31-June 3, 2015.

The 2015 awardees are:

Honorary Membership for excellence in professional achievements and extraordinary service to the Society to **Steven Driese** of Baylor University, Department of Geology, Waco, Texas, USA
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James Lee Wilson Award in recognition of "Excellence in Sedimentary Geology by an Early Career Scientist" to **Nathan Sheldon** of the University of Michigan, Department of Geological Sciences, Ann Arbor, Michigan, USA
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Francis P. Shepard Medal in recognition of "Excellence in Marine Geology" to **Enrico Bonatti** of the Istituto di Scienze Marine, CNR, Bologna, Italy and Lamont Doherty Earth Observatory, Columbia University, Palisades, New York, USA.
Enrico.bonatti@bo.ismar.cnr.it

Raymond C. Moore Medal in recognition of "Excellence in Paleontology" to **Nancy A. Budd** of the University of Iowa, Department of Earth and Environmental Sciences, Iowa City, Iowa, USA
ann-budd@uiowa.edu

Francis J. Pettijohn Medal in recognition of "Excellence in Sedimentology and Stratigraphy" to **Charles Kerans** of the University of Texas, Jackson School of Geosciences, Austin, Texas, USA and the Bureau of Economic Geology, Austin, Texas, USA
ckerans@jsg.utexas.edu

William H. Twenhofel Medal (the highest award of SEPM Society for Sedimentary Geology) in recognition of "Outstanding Contributions to Sedimentary Geology" to **Robert W. Dalrymple** of Queen's University, Department of Geological Sciences, Kingston, Ontario, Canada
dalrymple@geol.queensu.ca

More information about the Society's Awards can be found at: [SEPM Awards](#)

SEPM (Society for Sedimentary Geology) is an international not-for-profit Society officed in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Through its network of international members, the Society is dedicated to the dissemination of scientific information on sedimentology, stratigraphy, paleontology, environmental sciences, marine geology, hydrogeology, and many additional related specialties. The Society supports the science and its members in their professional objectives by publication of two major scientific journals, the *Journal of Sedimentary Research* (JSR) and *PALAIOS*, in addition to producing research conferences, short courses, and Special Publications. Through SEPM's continuing education, publications, meetings, and other programs, members and non-members can both gain and exchange information pertinent to their scientific interests