



INDIVIDUAL AWARD WINNERS

IAPD Paul Davis Award of Merit

This is IAPD's most prestigious award in recognition of an individual's outstanding work on behalf of the plastics distribution industry and the association. Past award recipients are:

- 1960 | **A.L. Hyde**, A.L. Hyde Company
- 1979 | **John R. Meyer**, Meyer Plastics, Inc.
- 1979 | **Andrew Bubser**, Pena-Plas Company
- 1980 | **Melvyn L. Coren**, Robeco, Inc.
- 1981 | **Gus H. Metz**, Commercial Plastics & Supply Corporation
- 1982 | **Frank Leigh**, Universal Plastics Company
- 1983 | **Theodore P. Vagell**, Plastic Piping Systems, Inc.
- 1984 | **James E. Vachris, Sr.**, Franklin Fibre-Lamitex Corporation
- 1985 | **John M. Amberg**, Gem-O-Lite Plastics Corporation
- 1986 | **Paul Davis**, Aetna Plastics, Inc.
- 1988 | **Brian B. Bowman**, Ryan Herco Products Corporation
- 1989 | **C. Vincent Long, Jr.**, Engineered Plastics, Inc.
- 1990 | **Dwight W. Cope**, Cope Plastics, Inc.
- 1992 | **John A. Kozacki**, Total Plastics, Inc.
- 1993 | **Raymond W. Kruse**
- 1994 | **J. Bruce Ayer**, Ayer Sales, Inc.
- 1995 | **Bill Vanegas**, Corro-Flo Engineering
- 1996 | **Mark L. Grusin**, Atlas Fibre Company
- 1997 | **Carol K. Wagner**, CAE
- 1998 | **Graeme G. Fraser**, Redwood Plastics Corporation
- 1999 | **Mort French, Sr.**, Commercial Plastics & Supply Corp.
- 2000 | **Edward F. Statter**, Regal Plastic Supply Company N.A.
- 2001 | **James A. Harrington**, CPMR, Engineered Material Sales, Inc.
- 2002 | **Clifford E. Birkeland**, Regional Supply, Inc.
- 2003 | **Andreas J. Kuhn**, Cope Plastics, Inc.
- 2004 | **Franklin L. Fine**, Nytef Plastics Ltd.
- 2004 | **Thomas G. Hoy**, Atoglas
- 2005 | **Mario Di Iorio**, Plastifab Industries, Inc.
- 2006 | **Ralph R. Meyer**, Meyer Plastics, Inc.
- 2007 | **George Southard**, CPMR, G S Sales
- 2008 | **Janet A. Thill**, IAPD
- 2009 | **Russ Consentino**, CPMR, Plastic Solutions, Inc.
- 2010 | **Fred Schroeder**, Indelco Plastics Corporation
- 2011 | **Patrick Foose**, Harvel Plastics, Inc.
- 2012 | **Owen (Chip) Whitfield, Jr.**, Piedmont Plastics
- 2013 | **Howard Natal**, Atlas Fibre Company
- 2014 | **Nick Kraguljac**, Zell-Metall GmbH
- 2015 | **Dale Delmage**, Nylatech, Inc.
- 2016 | **Jane Saale**, Cope Plastics, Inc.
- 2017 | **Mark Kramer**, Laird Plastics
- 2018 | **Randall Kirkpatrick**, Artek, Inc.
- 2019 | **Bernie Willms**, Mitsubishi Chemical Advanced Materials
- 2020 | **Adam Mellen**, SIMONA America Group

The IAPD Pacesetter Award

The IAPD Pacesetter Award is presented in recognition of an IAPD volunteer leader who has set the pace for the association. Past award recipients are:

- 1988 | **Mark L. Grusin**, Atlas Fibre Company
- 1989 | **Richard E. Moore**, Gehr Plastics, Inc.
- 1990 | **David M. Huston**, Olson Mfg. & Distribution, Inc.
- 1991 | **Thomas W. Jopling**, CPMR, Mechanical Sales Company
- 1992 | **Tony Pauly**, Solidur Plastics Company
- 1994 | **James A. Harrington**, CPMR, Engineered Material Sales, Inc.
- 1994 | **George Southard**, CPMR, G S Sales
- 1996 | **Paul Riley**, E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., Inc., Engineering Polymers Division
- 1997 | **John Droste**, CYRO Industries
- 1998 | **Clifford E. Birkeland**, Regional Supply, Inc.
- 2000 | **Alvin A. Notowich**, Plastico
- 2001 | **Jos Vanoirbeek**, Eriks NV
- 2002 | **Daniel McAuley**, CYRO Industries
- 2003 | **Ralph R. Meyer**, Meyer Plastics, Inc.
- 2004 | **Greg Berry**, Piedmont Plastics, Inc.
- 2005 | **Patrick M. Foose**, Harvel Plastics
- 2006 | **Nick Kraguljac**, Zell-Metall GmbH
- 2007 | **Owen (Chip) Whitfield Jr.**, Piedmont Plastics, Inc.
- 2008 | **Fred A. Schroeder**, Indelco Plastics Corporation
- 2009 | **Kevin Short**, Laird Plastics
- 2009 | **Russell Walters**, Total Plastics, Inc.
- 2010 | **Dale Delmage**, Nylatech Inc.
- 2011 | **Don Williams**, Piedmont Plastics
- 2012 | **Mitch Opalich**, Cleveland Plastic Fabricators & Suppliers Inc.
- 2013 | **Ronn Cort**, Kydex, LLC
- 2014 | **John Theen**, Cope Plastics, Inc.
- 2015 | **Bill Barth**, Piedmont Plastics
- 2016 | **Bob Grennes**, Total Plastics, Int'l
- 2017 | **Angela Rodenburgh**, Redwood Plastics and Rubber
- 2018 | **Peter DelGado**, Curbell Plastics, Inc.
- 2019 | **Peter Daumeyer**, CartierWilson LLC.
- 2020 | **Jinny Kcehowski**, Curbell Plastics, Inc.

The IAPD President's Award

The IAPD President may bestow this award to honor an individual (or group of individuals) who has gone above and beyond the call of duty for the association. Past award recipients are:

- 1997 | **Chris Siebert, Sr.**, Siebert Marketing Associates, Inc.
- 2000 | **Ralph R. Meyer**, Meyer Plastics, Inc.
- 2000 | **Paul Lewis**, Auburn Plastics & Rubber, Inc.
- 2001 | **David Ayer**, Ayer Sales, Inc.
- 2002 | **Greg Berry**, Piedmont Plastics, Inc.
- 2003 | **Mike N. Willoughby**, Warehoused Plastic Sales, Inc.
- 2003 | **Janet A. Thill**, IAPD
- 2004 | **Russell R. Consentino**, CPMR, Plastic Solutions, Inc.
- 2005 | **IAPD Education Committee**
- 2005 | **George Southard**, CPMR, G S Sales
- 2006 | **Rob Hamlin**
- 2007 | **Shawn G. Chambers**, Warehoused Plastic Sales, Inc.
- 2008 | **Intermountain Plastic Distribution, Inc.**
- 2009 | **Joseph Dubinski**, Evonik Cyro LLC
- 2010 | **Adam Mellen**, Cartier & Wilson Company
- 2011 | **EPDA Board of Directors**
- 2012 | **Chad Wittkopp**, Total Plastics
- 2013 | **Karen DeBard**, CPMR, Martino Marketing Group
- 2014 | **Stephanie Neugebauer**, Indelco Plastics Corporation
- 2015 | **Ari Storch**, Cascade Strategies
- 2016 | **Keith Hechtel, DBA**, Curbell Plastics, Inc.
- 2017 | **Suzette Plaisted**, Polymershapes
- 2018 | **Kim Reddick**, Martino Marketing Group
- 2019 | **Drew Schwartz**, Colorado Plastic Products
- 2020 | **Chad Roberts**, Piedmont Plastics