

WALT SKINNER AWARD RECIPIENTS

The Pittsburgh Geological Society established the Walt Skinner Award in 1987 to honor those members who have provided exceptional service to the Society and to the geological community at large. The award is named for the late Walter S. Skinner, Professor in the Department of Physics at Duquesne University and petroleum geologist with Sun Oil Company. Walt was a long-time member of the Society. He served as an officer and board member for many years, including a stint as President in 1970-1971. Walt served the Society well in his later years as a counselor and mentor to the Board of Directors.

1987 Walter S. Skinner*

1988 Jane L. Freedman*

1990 Reginald P. Briggs*

1991 Charles H. Shultz

1994 Richard E. Gray

1995 Paul W. Garrett*

1998 John A. Harper

2000 Michael Bikerman

2003 Judy Neelan

2008 Wendell L. Barner

2009 Frank W. Benacquista*

2011 Stephen G. McGuire

2013 Mary S. Robison*

2013 Mary Ann Gross

2014 Raymond M. Follador

2016 Maurice "Maury" Deul*

2019 Dan Billman

2020 Albert D. Kollar*

2021 Karen Rose Cercone

2022 Kyle Fredrick

*** *Deceased***