

Award of Honor

The Award of Honor, the highest award given by the Academy of Rehabilitative Audiology, is presented in recognition for sustained and dedicated service and meritorious contributions to the Academy and to rehabilitation of deaf and hard-of-hearing in general. Persons nominated for this Award must have been a member of the ARA for a minimum of 5 years and have served the ARA in three or more of the following activities: officer, committee chairperson, committee member, legislative activity on the State or National level to benefit deaf and hard-of-hearing people, editorial staff of the *Journal of the Academy of Rehabilitative Audiology (JARA)*, contributed papers to the *JARA*, short courses or papers presented at Academy meetings. Recipient of the Award of Honor is as follows:

Edward J. Hardick, Ph.D., 1983

Certificate of Appreciation

The Certificate of Appreciation is presented in recognition of short term, outstanding contributions to the Academy of Rehabilitative Audiology. This award is *not* limited to those individuals who have been or are members of the Academy of Rehabilitative Audiology. In particular, this award is given for extraordinary contributions and/or service to the ARA in a singular endeavor or special manner. The criteria for this award are purposefully broad so the award may be given for any activity of special merit performed by an individual or organization. Recipients of the Certificate of Appreciation are as follows:

Psi Iota Xi, 1984
Gretchen Skalbeck, Ph.D., ARA Member, 1984
Hugo L. Beykirch, Ph.D., ARA Member, 1984
Frank C. Caccamise, Ph.D., ARA Member, 1984
Sertoma, 1983
Dorothy M. Stein, Ph.D., ARA Member, 1983
Robert Traynor, Ph.D., ARA Member, 1983
Claude S. Hayes, Ph.D., ARA Member, 1981
Delores Heckerson, National President, Psi Iota Xi, 1980
Karen Isbell, National Treasurer, Psi Iota Xi, 1980
John J. O'Neill, Ph.D., ARA Member, 1980

The Executive Committee of the Academy of Rehabilitative Audiology (ARA) voted during 1984 to present Certificates of Appreciation to Dr. Gretchen Skalbeck, Dr. Hugo Beykirch, Dr. Frank Caccamise, and Psi Iota Xi for their service and contributions to the field of rehabilitative audiology in general, and ARA in particular.

PSI IOTA XI

Whereas, Psi Iota Xi expressed a continuing interest in the rehabilitation of persons with hearing impairment, and

Whereas, Psi Iota Xi has contributed to the financial support of publishing the *Journal of the Academy of Rehabilitative Audiology* for the past five years and has committed funds for the 1984 issue, and

Whereas, this support has made possible the dissemination of valuable information on rehabilitation of the hearing impaired, therefore

Resolved, that the Academy of Rehabilitative Audiology recognizes Psi Iota Xi's significant contributions to the Academy, and more importantly, to practicing professionals and students engaged in serving the hearing impaired through rehabilitation.

GRETCHEN SKALBECK

Whereas, Gretchen Skalbeck has participated actively in the Academy of Rehabilitative Audiology, and

Whereas, she has written a history of the Academy from its inception in 1966 through 1976, and

Whereas, the Executive Committee has judged the quality and relevance of this history worthy of publication in the *Journal of the Academy of Rehabilitative Audiology*, therefore

Resolved, that the Academy of Rehabilitative Audiology recognize Gretchen Skalbeck's significant contributions to the Academy by awarding her a Certificate of Appreciation.

HUGO L. BEYKIRCH

Whereas, Hugo L. Beykirch served as an excellent Editor of the *Journal of the Academy of Rehabilitative Audiology* for 1980 and 1981, and

Whereas, he has continued to serve as an exceptional Business Manager for the *Journal* since 1980, and

Whereas, he performed both of these time consuming functions in an orderly and timely fashion, therefore

Resolved, that the Academy of Rehabilitative Audiology recognize Hugo L. Beykirch's significant contributions to the Academy by awarding him a Certificate of Appreciation.

FRANK C. CACCAMISE

Whereas, Frank C. Caccamise has coordinated the publication of an excellent Academy brochure, and

Whereas, he has coordinated the development of an Executive Committee Handbook which is providing direction and continuity to Academy activities, and

Whereas, he has served as an outstanding Editor of the *Journal of the Academy of Rehabilitative Audiology* for three years, therefore

Resolved, that the Academy of Rehabilitative Audiology recognize Frank C. Caccamise's significant contributions to the Academy by awarding him a Certificate of Appreciation.