

J. ALDEN MASON AWARD

This award is presented annually by the SPA to a professional archaeologist, based upon his/her contribution to education and encouragement of SPA members in the proper pursuit of archaeology. A professional in a related science, which similarly assists SPA members, may also be considered for this award.

Recipients:

Frances Dorrance	1970	Dr. James Adovasio	1997
Dr. Catherine McCann	1971	Phillip Perazio	1998
John Witthoft	1972	Dr. Thomas R. Baker	1999
Dr. James L. Swauger	1973	Noel Strattan	2000
Dr. John Cotter	1974	Jack Holland	2001
Dr. Don Dragoo	1975	Dr. Paul Raber	2002
Dr. W. Fred Kinsey	1975	No award given	2003
Richard L. George	1976	Dr. Catherine Spohn	2004
Stanley W. Lantz	1977	Andrew J. Myers	2005
No award given	1978	Amanda L. Valko	2006
Dr. Barry Kent	1979	Dr. Frank Vento	2007
Herbert C. Kraft	1980	No award given	2008
Dr. Ronald Michael	1981	No award given	2009
Dr. Jay Custer	1982	Dr. Bernard K. Means	2010
No award given	1983	No award given	2011
Dr. Roger Moeller	1984	No award given	2012
Dr. Verna L. Cowin	1985	Janet Johnson	2013
Dr. James B. Richardson III	1986	Dr. Beverly Chiarulli	2014
Ira F. Smith III	1987	No award given	2015
Dr. William A. Turnbaugh	1988	Brian L. Fritz	2016
James Herbstritt	1989	No award given	2017
Stephen G. Warfel	1990	Sarah & Philip Neusius	2018
Dr. R. Michael Stewart	1991	Dr. John P. Nass, Jr.	2019
Dr. James Hatch	1992	Joe Baker	2020
Dr. Kurt Carr	1993	Dr. Jonathan Burns	2021
Dr. William Johnson	1994	Dr. Ben Ford	2022
No award given	1995	No award given	2023
Dr. Mark McConaughy	1996		