

Past Winners of the Gold Medal

1967	Leslie W.Farrow CBE Chairman, Wiggins Teape Group	1986	Eric Haylock OBE, JP Editor, <i>Paper Magazine</i>
1968	Cecil H.King Chairman, Reed Paper Group Ltd & IPC	1987	Tom Wilding Chairman, UK Paper Limited
1969	J.B.Scott CBE,DFC,AIEE Deputy Chairman, Black Clawson International Limited	1988	Albert de Monts Director General, CEPAC
1970	Percy Ellis CBE, OBE, TD Deputy Chairman, Mardon International Limited	1989	Eric Langdon OBE Managing Director, Black Clawson International Limited
1971	Michael Lambert CBE Director, Employers' Federation of Papermakers and Boardmakers	1990	David Peacock Commercial Director, British Paper & Board Industry Federation
1972	Dr George L.Riddell OBE, PhD, BSc,FRIC, FIOP Director, PIRA	1991	David A.Clark Managing Director, Confederation of European Paper Industries
1973	John S.Curtis CBE Chairman, Thames Board Mills Limited	1992	Peter D.J.Ingram Chairman, Paper Publications Limited
1974	Cyril B.Warmington FCA Deputy Managing Director, Reed Paper & Board Limited	1993	Baroness Brenda Dean Deputy Secretary, GPMU
1975	Dr H.F. (Toby) Rance PhD, BSc, ARCS, FRIC Chief Executive, Wiggins Teape Research & Development	1994	Brian Attwood Director, St.Annes's Paper & Paperboard Developments Limited
1976	S.R.W. (Bill) Bailey MBE Director, National Association of Paper Merchants.	1995	Oliver Acland Personnel Director & Company Secretary, James Cropper plc
1977	Peter Gardner CBE, MC, TD Deputy Managing Director, Wiggins Teape Group	1996	Stefan G.Kay OBE Managing Director, Inveresk plc
1978	Peter L.Whiting JP Managing Director, Davidsons Limited	1997	Dr Glyn Jones PhD, Hon DSc. Technical Director, BPB Paperboard Limited
1979	Leonard Pagliero OBE,FCIS Director, Envelope Makers' & Manufacturing Stationers Association	1999	John R.Paine Managing Director, Weyerhaeuser (UK) Limited President Paper Agents Association
1980	Dr Julius Grant MSc, PhD, FRIC Hegner & Cox Limited	2000	Jeffery Bartlett OBE Director General, Paper Federation of Great Britain
1981	George T.Mandl MBE,FRSA Chairman, Thomas & Green Holdings Limited	2002	Sandy Stratton Executive Chairman, St. Regis Paper Co. Ltd.
1982	Hugh R.Balston JP Chairman, W & R Balston Limited	2003	Barry Lyons Vice-President World Purchasing, Jefferson Smurfit Group
1983	Kenneth Horne Chairman, Robert Horne Group	2005	Kevin Lyden OBE Managing Director, UPM-Kymmene UK Ltd
1984	John Adams CB, LVO Director General, British Paper & Board Federation	2006	David Klemz Managing Director, Compact Engineering Ltd.
1985	Geoffrey Burditt FCA Chairman, Rigid Containers Holdings Limited President, FPCMA	2007	J Stephen Mason, Managing Director Robert Horne Group President, National Association of Paper Merchants
		2008	John Clewley, Chief Executive & Former National Chairman of PITA Chairman, National Paper Museum Trust

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The Paper Industry Gold Medal

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Call for Nominations

People with foresight, a real understanding of the industry and, above all, a passion for their subject.

From time to time there are a few outstanding people who work to further the interests of their industry, over and above their duties to any individual company. The paper industry, like any other, owes its success to the commitment, effort and skill of these ambassadors. For nearly forty years the UK paper industry has sought to reward this commitment in the form of a prestigious annual award

The Paper Industry Gold Medal

Since its inception in the late 1960s, the Medal has been awarded to the person considered to have done most to further the interests of the paper and allied industries in the UK. This brochure gives a brief outline of The Paper Industry Gold Medal, and details of how you can become involved by nominating someone you consider has made an outstanding contribution to the industry.

A Brief Background

The Gold Medal award was established in 1966 by “The World’s Paper Trade Review” magazine which was published by Benn Brothers and edited by Eric Haylock. The magazine later became known as “Paper” and its publishers continued to sponsor the Medal until 1993.

In 1982 Mr George Mandl, himself the Gold Medal winner in 1981, launched the Paper Industry Gold Medallists’ Association with the support of all concerned. The Paper Federation was invited to take over the administration and organisation of the Medal.

Since 2005, a newly formed independent Gold Medal Association has undertaken this responsibility and representatives from other supporting Paper Industry Organisations have been invited to serve on its Award Committee.

All Gold Medal winners are automatically members of the Gold Medal Association and thus it is probably one of the most exclusive associations in the UK paper industry.

The Future of the Medal

Since the Medal was launched the UK paper industry has changed a great deal. Accordingly the number and type of businesses, industries and organisations associated with it have increased too. To reflect these changes, the Committee wishes to broaden the scope of the award to encourage more support from associations/organisations and to enable nominees from a wide variety of backgrounds to be considered.

This is your opportunity to be involved by nominating a potential recipient.

How to Nominate Someone

Nominations are accepted from associations and other organisations associated with the industry, or from individuals or companies through their respective organisations.

The nominees must be within a paper related industry and the nomination must include supporting material which demonstrates the individual’s personal contribution to the Industry as a whole, not just to their company.

Nominations are invited Annually. The Committee must receive all nominations by the end of November in order that the Gold Medal can be presented the following year at the most appropriate paper industry function.

If you would like to nominate someone, please complete the enclosed form and send it to the address overleaf giving as much information about your nominee as possible and in particular provide specific examples of your nominee’s achievements and why you consider him (or her) to be a suitable recipient of the medal.

All nominations MUST be received at the address overleaf by the end of November 2008.

What about the Winner of the Gold Medal?

Winning the Gold Medal is a prestigious achievement and as such brings the recipient well-earned publicity and recognition. The winner automatically becomes a member of the Gold Medal Association and is required to write a paper on their topic of expertise which will be offered for publication to a leading trade journal.

Paper Industry Gold Medal Association

Nomination Form – 2009

Nominating Body/Association _____

Nominee:

Full Name _____

Company/Organisation _____

Job Title _____

Nomination:

Signed

Date

Please attach any relevant supporting documentation on a separate sheet and return to:

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to arrive by end November 2008