

Medals and Awards

● HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN has approved the award of the ROYAL MEDALS as follows:

Founder's Medal

Professor Sir Nicholas Shackleton

(for research on Quaternary palaeoclimatology)

Patron's Medal

Professor Jean Malaurie

(for a lifelong study of the Arctic and its peoples)

● THE SOCIETY'S COUNCIL has made the following awards:

Victoria Medal

Professor Ray Hudson

(for research on regional and industrial change in the UK and wider Europe)

Busk Medal

Dr Sampurno Bruijnzeel

(for biosphere research in the humid tropics)

Cherry Kearton Medal & Award

Michael Martin

(for photography and geographical travels recording the deserts of the world)

Murchison Award

Dr Clive Oppenheimer

(for publications enhancing the understanding of volcanic processes and impacts)

Back Award

Dr Andrew Brookes

(for scientific studies of river channelisation and their applications in policy and practice)

Cuthbert Peek Award

Professor Lynne Frostick

(for advancing the application of physical modelling to environmental problems)

Gill Memorial Award

Professor Noel Castree

(for research on society-nature relations and the development of critical geography)

**Ordnance Survey Awards
(two awards)**

Kenneth Dunn

Anne-Marie Emmett

(in recognition of excellence in teaching Geography in secondary education)

Taylor & Francis Award

Professor Pauline Kneale

(for excellence in the promotion and practice of teaching and learning in Geography in Higher Education)

Ness Award

Neil Laughton

(for leadership of expeditions and encouraging others to recognise their potential as travellers)



Edward Heath Award

Dr Janet Townsend

(for geographical research on gender and development)

Geographical Award

Education Department, Ordnance Survey

(for providing outstanding non commercial support for school pupils learning geography through the 'free maps for schools' programme)

Honorary Fellowship

Dr Margaret Mackintosh

Harold Gould

Gary Gray

(for services to the Society and to geography)

Alfred Steers Dissertation Prizes

Laura Pitcher

University College London

(for the best undergraduate dissertation submitted for a first geography degree)

The thesis was entitled '*It's bringing it all back...*' *Exploring (Re)presentation and Epiphany in Gap-Year Material Culture.*

Area Prize

Pauline Couper

Honourable mention:

James Faulconbridge