

Departments

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General Announcements

New Distinguished Fellows

JCPDS-International Centre for Diffraction Data is proud to announce the designation of four of its members as distinguished fellows.

Jesse W. Caum, Mary E. Mrose, Benjamin Post, and Sigmund Weissmann received plaques acknowledging their sustained, outstanding contributions to the International Centre during a banquet in their honor on October 26, 1988 in conjunction with the Fall Technical Meetings. Previously designated distinguished fellows are William L. Fink (1982), the late J. Donald Hanawalt (1982), Ludo K. Frevel (1984), Howard F. McMurdie (1984) and Arthur J. C. Wilson (1984).