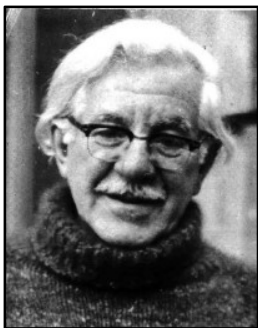


Below is a list of the recipients of the Lawson Medal, category B (given for the cumulative distinguished contribution of a senior investigator, teacher, or administrator who has notable influence Canadian botany) with the year of their awards and other distinctions they received (which award and the year they received it). For some of the recipients, the list of the distinctions is not exhaustive.

Names of scientists involved in the creation of the Association are written in blue. The asterisks behind a name indicate that the person has been a President of the Association.

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Jacques Rousseau

1969 – B

Ethnobiology

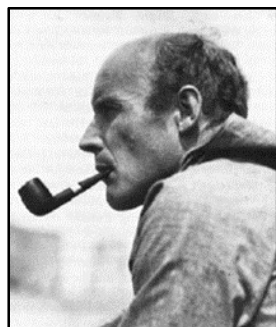
Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada (1942)



Rollo Othwell Earl

1970 – B

Teacher & Administrator



Alf Erling Porsild

1971 – B

Flora of the Canadian Arctic

Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada (1946)

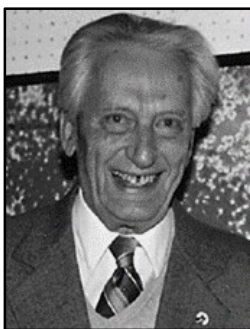


Vladimir Joseph Krajina

1972 – B

Forest Ecology and Public awareness of ecosystems

Order of Canada (1982)



Clarence Frankton

1973 – B

Weed biology & Administrative work

John G. Coulson

1974 – B (Received posthumously)

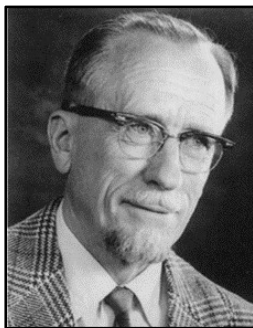
Research in Plant Pathology & Training of graduate students



Roy Franklin Cain

1975 – B

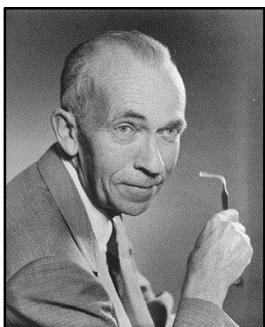
World authority on coprophilous fungi



Douglas Barton Osborne Savile

1976 – B

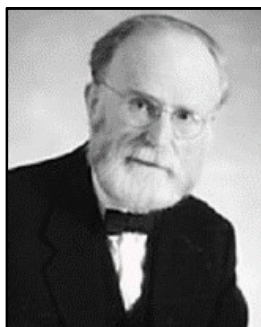
Taxonomy of rust fungi & Arctic Angiosperms
Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada (1966)



Harold Johnston Brodie

1977 – B

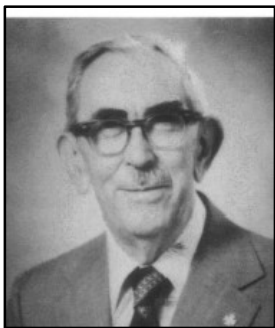
Biology of the bird's nest fungi
Canada Centennial Medal (1967)



Taylor Armstrong Steeves **

1978 – B

Plant Taxonomy, Morphology and Development
Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada (1971)
Mary E. Elliott Award (1990)



Ibra Lockwood Connors

1979 – B

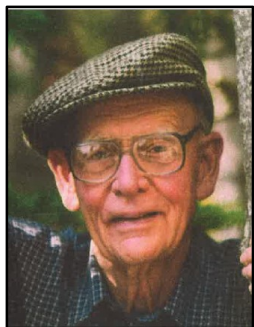
Phytopathology



Stanley John Hughes

1981 – B

Classification of the Fungi Imperfecti
Jakob Eriksson Gold Medal (1969)
Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada (1974)
Order of Canada (2010)



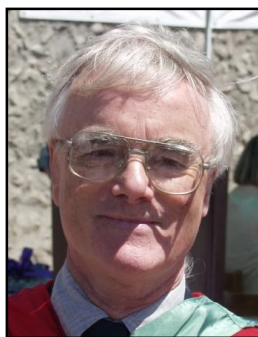
Leslie Laking

1982 – B

Ornamental Horticulture

Director of the Royal Botanical Garden, Hamilton

Order of Canada (1980)



Thomas C. Hutchinson

1983 – B

Effects on heavy metals on plant activities

Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada (1985)

Mirowslaw Romanowski Medal (RSC, 1998)



James Cunningham Ritchie**

1985 – B

Pollen analysis & Yukon plant ecology

W.A. Johnston Medal of Honor (1999)



Pierre Dansereau

1986 – B

Taxonomy, plant ecology, human and urban ecology

Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada (1949)

Order of Canada (1969)

Sir John William Dawson Medal (RSC, 1995)



Clayton Oscar Person

1987 – B

Genetics of host-parasite relationships

Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada (1970)

Flavelle Medal (RSC, 1982)

Order of Canada (1986)



Paul R. Gorham**

1988 – B

Biology of aquatic plants

Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada (1961)

Mary E. Elliott Award (1979)

CSPP Gold Medal (1987)



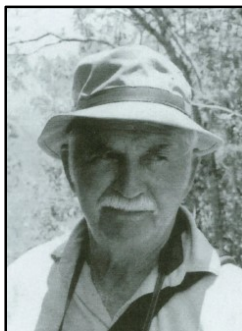
William Frederick Grant

1989 – B

Plant Cytogenetics & Biosystematics

Gouverneur General's Silver Medal (1977)

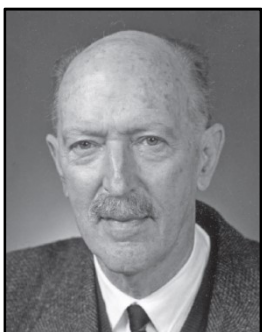
Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada (1989)



Robert Joseph Bandoni

1990 – B

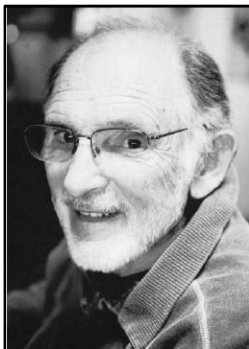
Taxonomy of Basidiomycetes



Donald MacPhail Britton

1991 – B

Fern Taxonomy and Biology



Jack Lamont McLachlan

1992 – B

Floristics, life-history & culture of NW Atlantic seaweeds

Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada (1979)

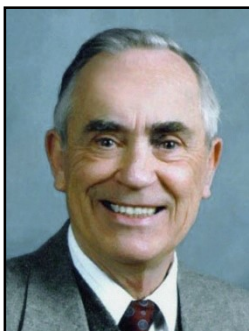


R. Larry Peterson**

1993 – B

Study of mycorrhizal fungi

Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada (1988)



George L. Barron

1994 – B

Study of soil, nematode-trapping & parasitic fungi

Distinguished Mycologist Award (MSA, 1998)



Ernest Small

1995 – B

Classification of economically-significant plants

G.M. Cooley Award (ASPT, 1974)

Linnaean Society of London (1985)

Order of Canada (2018)



Margaret Elizabeth McCully

1996 – B

Plant root structure & root/soil/bacterial interactions

Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada (1987)



Anward Maun

1997 – B

Sand dune ecology



Kathleen Margaret Cole

1998 – B

Study of Rhodophytes, esp. *Porphyra* et *Bangia*



J.-André Fortin

1999 – B

Biology of plant symbioses

Director-Founder of the Plant Biology Recherche

Institute at the University of Montréal

Prix Léo-Pariseau (1982)

Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada (1983)

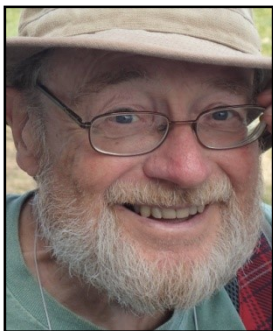


David Horsfall Stuart Richardson

2000 – B

Extensive work on lichens

Royal Irish Academy (1990)



W. Bryce Kendrick

2001 – B

Extensive work on Mycology

Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada (1981)

Distinguished Mycologist Award (MSA, 1996)

Centenary Fellows (British Mycological Society, 1996)



Nancy Jean Turner

2002 – B

Taxonomic systems of First Nations people & plant uses by these Nations

Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada (1999)

Order of Canada (2009)



Irwin M. Brodo**

2003 – B

Extensive work in Lichenology

Mary E. Elliott Award (1993)

Acharius Medal (IAL, 1994)



Chendanda Chengappa Chinnappa**

2004 – B

Ecological, systematic & evolutionary aspect of the *Stellaria* complex



Denis Barabé**

2005 – B

Flower development, phyllotaxy & symmetry



Spencer Charles Hilton Barrett

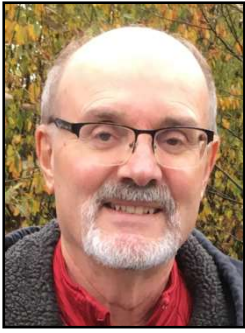
2006 – B

Research in plant evolutionary biology

Fellow - Royal Society of Canada (1998) and of London (2004)

Flavelle Medal (RSC, 2014)

National Academy of Sciences (2020)



Scott Alan Redhead

2007 – B

Canadian mushroom - Systematics & biogeography



Vipen Sawhney**

2008 – B

Plant hormones, et leurs rôles in plant development & reproduction

Mary E. Elliott Award (1999)



Nancy G. Dengler**

2009 – B

Extensive work on leaf morphogenesis
Merit Award (BSA, 2010)



Paul B. Cavers **

2010 – B

Weed Science

Mary E. Elliott Award (2000)



Paul Miles Catling**

2012 – B

Flora of Canada, biogeography & ecology
Curator of the AAFC Herbarium
Mary E. Elliott Award (2005)



Yolande Dalpé

2013 – B

Taxonomie des champignons mycorhiziens à arbuscules
Curator of the GINCO collection of the AAFC



Edward Chee-Tak Yeung

2014 – B

Plant Structure & Development



Jim Pojar

2015 – B

Land use management & soil conservation



Roy Turkington

2017 – B

Plant Population Ecology



Anne Bruneau

2019 – B

Director of the Institut de Recherche en Biologie
Végétale à l'Université de Montréal
Scientific Director of the Center on biodiversity at the
Jardin Botanique de Montréal
Prix Acfas Michel-Jurdant (2016)
Prix du Québec Armand-Frappier (2018)



Yves Bergeron

2020 – B

Founder of the Institute for forest Research at UQAT
Boreal forest ecology & management
Prix Marie-Victorin (2007)
Miroslaw Romanowski Medal (RSC, 2014)
Fellow of Royal Society of Canada (2010)



Patrick von Aderkas

2021 – B

Research on conifer biology & embryogenesis



Suzanne Simard

2022 – B

Forest underground Interactions

Mountain Book Competition Grand Prize (2021)



James Scott Pringle

2023 – B

Plant Taxonomy, esp. the Gentianaceae

John Goldie Award (Field Botanists of Ontario, 2011)



Lawrence David Harder

2024 – B

Ecology & evolution of plant reproduction

Fellow of Royal Society of Canada (2016)