**JOSEPH COCHRAN YOUNG INVESTIGATOR AWARD**

- 1987  Michael Bozarth  
- 1988  Frank Porreca  
- 1989  Errol B. De Souza  
- 1990  Thomas Kosten  
- 1991  Richard Rothman  
- 1992  Jeffrey M. Witkin  
- 1993  Stephen Higgins  
- 1994  Richard W. Foltin  
- 1995  Warren K. Bickel  
- 1996  Toni Shippenberg  
- 1997  Lisa H. Gold  
- 1998  S. Stevens Negus  
- 1999  Sari Lazenwasser  
- 2000  Leslie Amass  
- 2001  S. Barak Caine  
- 2002  Laura Sim-Selley  
- 2003  Andrew Coop  
- 2004  Sandra D. Comer  
- 2005  Thomas E. Eissenberg  
- 2006  James K. Rowlett  
- 2007  Christopher Pierce  
- 2008  Nancy Petry  
- 2009  Hendrewe Jones  
- 2010  Laura Bohn  
- 2011  David Jentsch  
- 2012  Thomas A. Lile  
- 2013  Sandra D. Comer  
- 2014  Adam Leventhal  
- 2015  Jun-Xu Li

**J. MICHAEL MORRISON AWARD**

- 1986  Edward C. Tocci  
- 1988  Marvin Snyder  
- 1990  Arthur E. Jacobson  
- 1992  Hans Halbach  
- 1993  Beny Primm  
- 1995  Jack D. Blaine  
- 1997  Rao Rapaka  
- 1999  Roy W. Pickens  
- 2001  Roger Brown  
- 2003  Richard L. Hawks  
- 2004  Ronald Brady  
- 2006  Joseph Frascella  
- 2008  Rita Liu  
- 2010  Cora Lee Wetherington  
- 2011  Steven W. Gust  
- 2013  Redonna Chandler  
- 2016  Minda Lynch  
- 2002  Katie McCabe  
- 1992  James Burke  
- 1998  Riester Robb  
- 2000  Sean Clarkin  
- 2001  Carlos Davila Rinaldi  
- 2002  David T. Courtwright  
- 2003  Addiction Studies  
- 2004  Program for Journalists  
- 2005  Peter Reuter  
- 2006  Brian Vastag  
- 2007  Harvey Weiss  
- 2008  Addiction Studies  
- 2009  Addiction Studies  
- 2010  Justin Hunt  
- 2012  Nancy D. Campbell  
- 2013  Allan Brandt  
- 2014  Jeff Foote, Nichole Kosanke, Carrie Wulkan  
- 2015  Bess O’Brien
Plenary Program

8:30  Welcome
     CPDD President Leonard Howell

8:40  Report from the National Institute on Drug Abuse
     Nora D. Volkow, Director, NIDA

9:10  Report from the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse
     and Alcoholism: NIAAA Update: Priorities Going Forward
     George F. Koob, Director, NIAAA

9:40  Presentation of the Stephen G. Holtzman Travel Award
     for Preclinical Investigators to
     Jibran Y. Khokhar
     Introduction by Alan J. Budney

9:50  Presentation of the CPDD/NIDA Media Award to Sam Quinones
     Introduction by Meg Chisolm

10:05 Presentation of the Joseph Cochin Young Investigator Award to Matthew Banks
     Introduction by Steve Negus

10:15 Presentation of the Mentorship Award to
     Stephen T. Higgins
     Introduction by Alan J. Budney

10:25 Presentation of the Nathan B. Eddy Award to
     Walter Ling
     Introduction by Peggy Compton

10:40 Nathan B. Eddy Lecture
     Accidents and Angels: The Man Who Got His Life Philosophy from a Bottle Cap
     Walter Ling, UCLA

NATHAN B. EDDY MEMORIAL AWARD

1974 Maurice Seegers 1995 Herbert D. Kleber
1975 Harris Isbell 1996 Griffith Edwards
1976 Abraham Wikler 1997 Martin W. Adler
1977 William Martin 1998 John W. Lewis
1978 Hans Kosterlitz 1999 Mary Jeanne Kreek
1980 Avram Goldstein 2001 Kenner C. Rice
1981 Everette May 2002 Horace H. Loh
1982 Vincent Dole 2003 Charles P. O’Brien
     Marie Nyswander 2004 James H. Woods
1983 Eric Simon 2005 Conan Kornetsky
1984 Raymond Houde 2006 F. Ivy Carroll
1985 Louis Harris 2007 Jack H. Mendelson
1986 Harold Kalant 2008 Nancy K. Mello
1987 Clifton K. Himmelsbach 2009 Robert L. Balster
1988 Albert Herz 2010 Theodore Cicero
1989 Leo E. Hollister 2011 Michael J. Kuhar
1990 Charles Schuster 2012 Edward M. Sellers
1991 Phillip S. Portoghese 2013 Linda Dykstra
     Akira E. Takemori 2014 Nora D. Volkow
1992 Joseph V. Brady 2015 Roland Griffiths
1993 Lee N. Robins 2016 Warren K. Bickel
1994 Jerome H. Jaffe

MENTORSHIP AWARD

2001 James H. Woods 2002 Alan I. Leshner
2003 Charles R. Schuster 2004 Charles O’Keefe
2004 E. Leong Way 2005 Ian P. Stolerman
2005 Linda A. Dykstra 2006 Richard M. Eisenberg
2006 James C. Anthony 2007 Jonathan B. Kamien
2007 Scott E. Lukas 2008 Ellen B. Geller
2008 Joseph V. Brady 2009 Geoffrey K. Mumford
2009 George Bigelow 2010 William L. Dewey
2010 Charles O’Brien 2011 Jack Heningfield
2011 Stephen G. Holtzman 2012 Patrick J. Kennedy
2012 Kathryn A. Cunningham 2013 General Barry R. McCaffrey (Ret.)
2013 James Sorensen 2014 David Shurtleff
2014 Michael T. Bardo 2015 Cora Lee Wetherington
2015 Michael A. Nader 2016 Kenner C. Rice
2016 Kenner C. Rice
Sam Quinones is a Los Angeles-based freelance journalist and author of three books of narrative nonfiction. His latest book is *Dreamland: The True Tale of America’s Opiate Epidemic* (Bloomsbury, 2015), for which he traveled across the United States. *Dreamland* recounts twin stories of drug marketing in the 21st Century: A pharmaceutical corporation flogs its legal new opiate prescription painkiller as non-addictive. Meanwhile, immigrants from a small town in Nayarit, Mexico devise a method for retailing black-tar heroin like pizza in the US, and take that system nationwide, riding a wave of addiction to prescription pills from coast to coast. The collision of those two forces has led to America’s deadliest drug scourge in modern times.

*Dreamland* won a National Book Critics Circle award for the Best Nonfiction Book of 2015. It was also selected as one of the Best Books of 2015 by Amazon.com, Slate.com, the Daily Beast, Buzzfeed, Seattle Times, Boston Globe, St. Louis Post-Dispatch, Entertainment Weekly, Audible, and in the Wall Street Journal and Bloomberg Business by Nobel economics laureate, Prof. Angus Deaton, of Princeton University. Quinones’ previous two highly acclaimed books grew from his 10 years living and working as a freelance writer in Mexico (1994-2004). He is formerly a reporter with the *L.A. Times*, where he worked for 10 years (2004-2014). He is a veteran reporter on immigration, gangs, drug trafficking, and the border. Contact him at [www.samquinones.com](http://www.samquinones.com).

Board-certified in neurology and in psychiatry, Walter Ling, MD has enjoyed a successful career in clinical research and practice for more than five decades, consistently listed in the Best Doctors in America, Best Doctors in the West and Best Doctors in Los Angeles. He has been a leader in developing science-based addiction treatment since the Vietnam War heroin epidemic when President Richard Nixon established, under the leadership of Dr. Jerome Jaffe, the White House Special Action Office for Drug Abuse Prevention (SAPDAP), forerunner of the National Institute on Drug Abuse. Dr. Ling’s numerous clinical trials through the years have contributed pivotal data to the Food and Drug Administration’s approval of all the six dosage forms of the currently available medications used in Medication-Assisted Treatment. From 1989 through 2014, when he became Professor Emeritus, he has been a key investigator in NIDA’s medication development efforts, leading in succession a highly successful and productive Treatment Research Unit, a P-50 center, and a CTN node. Acknowledged and respected nationally and internationally as clinician, researcher, and teacher, Dr. Ling has served as consultant on narcotic affairs to the U.S. Department of State, the World Health Organization, and United Nation’s Office of Drug Control. For the last two decades, he led UCLA’s Integrated Substance Abuse Programs, one of the foremost research and training organizations in drug abuse in the United States and worldwide that has provided extensive drug abuse training to countries in Asia, Southeast Asia, and the Middle East.
Matthew Banks is currently an Assistant Professor in the Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology at Virginia Commonwealth University (VCU). He earned his PharmD from the Raabe College of Pharmacy at Ohio Northern University in 2003. While at Ohio Northern University, he conducted drug abuse research under the mentorship of Dr. Jon Sprague. This research experience ignited his scientific curiosity and propelled him towards a scientific career in the field of drug abuse. Matthew earned his PhD in the Department of Physiology and Pharmacology at Wake Forest University in 2007 under the mentorship of Dr. Michael Nader. He subsequently completed postdoctoral fellowships under the mentorship of Dr. Leonard Howell and Dr. Steve Negus before joining the faculty in the Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology at VCU in 2010. His research group is interested in developing and using cutting-edge behavioral procedures for preclinical research on the neurobiology and pharmacological treatment of drug addiction. Specifically, they are interested in understanding how abused drug exposure leads to behavioral misallocation between competing drug and nondrug reinforcers. The ultimate clinical goal of the preclinical research program is to develop novel pharmacotherapies and behavioral strategies for treating substance use disorders.

Stephen T. Higgins, Ph.D., is Director of the University of Vermont’s (UVM) Center on Behavior and Health, and Principal Investigator on five NIH grants on the general topic of behavior and health, including two center grants, two research grants, and an institutional training award. He is the Virginia H. Donaldson Endowed Professor of Translational Science in the Departments of Psychiatry and Psychology and serves as Vice Chair of Psychiatry. He has held many national scientific leadership positions, including terms as President of the College on Problems of Drug Dependence and the American Psychological Association’s Division on Psychopharmacology and Substance Abuse. He is the author of more than 300 journal articles and invited book chapters and editor of a dozen volumes and therapist manuals in the area of behavior and health.