

2009 Haagen-Smit Clean Air Awards

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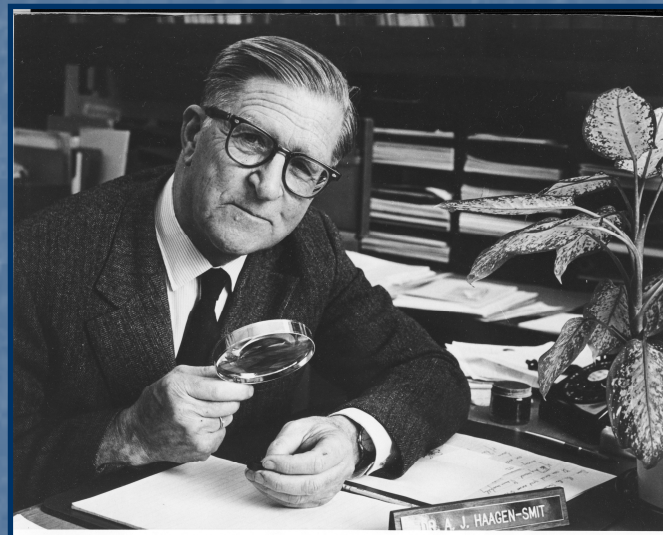


California Environmental Protection Agency

AIR RESOURCES BOARD

Dr. Arie J. Haagen-Smit

1900 – 1977



- The “father” of air pollution control
 - Linked smog in southern California to automobiles
- Awarded the National Medal of Science in 1963
- ARB’s first chairman in 1968

Background

- Awards began in 2001
- Two to three selected each year
- Recognize lifelong achievements in improving air quality in the following areas:
 - Research
 - Environmental Policy
 - Science & Technology
 - Public Education
 - Community Service



Timothy V. Johnson, Sc.D.

Emission Control Technologies



- Director of Emerging Regulations and Technologies – Corning Inc.
- Expert in diesel emission control technologies and instrumental in the National Clean Diesel Program

Margo Tsirigotis Oge

Environmental Policy



- Director of the Office of Transportation and Air Quality – U.S. EPA
- Led effort on development of national Rules on diesel engines, fuels, and corporate average fuel economy standards

John M. Peters, M.D., Sc.D.

Environmental Health Research



- Hastings Professor of Preventive Medicine – USC Keck School of Medicine
- Leader in health effects research that has resulted in critical information on the need to protect children's health

Congratulations Dr. Johnson, Ms. Oge, and Dr. Peters!

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