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Cal Poly Celebrates 2004 Honored Alumni

Honored Alumni Photo

**Honored Alumni 2004 - from left to right:** College of Architecture and Environmental Design Honored Alumnus Mark Montoya (Construction Management, B.S. 1984); College of Science and Mathematics Honored Alumna Dianne Wilson-Graham (Physical Education, B.S. 1979 and M.S. 1986); Orfalea College of Business Honored Alumnus Thomas deRegt (Business Administration, B.S. 1980); College of Liberal Arts Honored Alumna Gretchen Bataille (English, B.S. 1966 and Education, M.A. 1967); College of Engineering Honored Alumnus Paul Martin (Aero Engineering, B.S. 1968); CPAA Distinguished Service Award Recipient Wes Witten (Aero Engineering, B.S. 1949); College of Education Honored Alumna Nanci Bell (Education, B.S. 1965 and M.A. 1981); College of Agriculture Honored Alumnus Gene Starkey (Dairy Science; B.S. 1952).

SAN LUIS OBISPO – Cal Poly recognized eight outstanding alumni at the annual Cal Poly Alumni Association Honored Alumni Awards Banquet Friday, Oct. 15.

Each year, Cal Poly honors seven alumni, one from each of the university’s academic colleges: Agriculture, Architecture and Environmental Design, Orfalea College of Business, Education, Engineering, Liberal Arts, and Science and Mathematics.

The Honored Alumni Award, established more than 30 years ago, is the highest honor bestowed upon Cal Poly alumni by the university’s Alumni Association.

In addition, one graduate is selected annually to receive the Alumni Association Distinguished Service Award, which recognizes exceptional service to Cal Poly and the Alumni Association.

This year marks the sixth presentation of the Distinguished Service Award. Wes Witten, a 1949 aerospace engineering alumnus and resident of Reno, Nev., is this year’s recipient.


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