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The Awards Committee of the North American Thermal Analysis Society has selected Professor Vladimir Balek of the Nuclear Research Institute in Rez, Czechoslovakia to be the recipient of the 1990 Mettler Award in Thermal Analysis. Prof. Balek has been active for over 25 years in dynamic thermal analysis and has contributed in many areas of the field, but he is probably best known as the developer of the technique of Emanation Thermal Analysis, which is based on the measurement of the release rate of radioactive inert gases. Prof. Balek will receive the award at the 10th NATAS Conference in Cambridge, Mass. on September 24th, 1990.

Nominations for the 1991 Award are now being accepted by the NATAS Awards Committee. There are no restrictions as to age, sex, nationality, or residence of the recipient. The nominee must have performed outstanding work in the creation of or refinement of measurement techniques of general wide interest, or must have performed outstanding service to the field of dynamic thermal analysis during the preceding five years.

Nominations, with documentation, should be sent to

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