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Electrochemist

Erika Kálmán, Hungarian electrochemist. Registered professional engineer. Recipient Schwabe award Technology University Dresden, 1967, Hungarian Academy Youth award, 1975; grantee Hungarian State, 1962, East Germany State, 1967, International Research Exchange Board, United States, 1975, Deutsche Forschungsgesellschaft, Germany, 1993.

Background

Kálmán, Erika was born on October 21, 1942 in Budapest, Hungary. Daughter of Imre and Erzsébet (Spóner) Kálmán.

Education

Master of Science, Technology University, Dresden, Germany, 1967. Doctor of Philosophy, Technology University, Dresden, Germany, 1970. Patent lawyer, University of Economics, Budapest, Hungary, 1988.

Habilitation, Technology University, Budapest, Hungary, 1994. Doctor of Science, Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest, Hungary, 1995.

Career

Assistant professor Technology University, Dresden, 1968-1970. Researcher, head research group Hungarian Academy of Sciences, 1970-1980, senior researcher, head research group, 1980-1995. Science advisor, head research department Hungarian Academy of Sciences, since 1995.

Associate professor Technology University, Budapest, 1990-1994, professor, since 1995. Director Bay Zoltán Institute for Material Science and Technology, since 1999.

Major achievements

Registered professional engineer.

Works

Contributor 216 articles to professional journals. 30 patents in field of corrosion and corrosion protection. Member editorial board Corrosion Review, Corrosion Engineering Science Technology, Corrosion and Corrosion Protection.

Membership

Founder Trade Union for Engineers, Budapest, 1990. Member International Society Electrochemistry (division officer 1987-1993, vice president 1993-1995, secretary general 1996-1998, president-elect 1999-2000, president 2000-2002, past president 2002-2004), European Federation Corrosion (member technical advisory committee), 2000-2004. Board advisors National Association Corrosion Engineer United States-International, Materials Engineering Hungarian Corrosion Society (founder, general sec, 1993-2004, president since 2004), Materials Engineering Hungarian Academy of Sciences (member working committee, secretary since 1993, member coordination committee since 1996, president since 2003), Electrochemistry of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences (member working committee), Hungarian Chemical Society (president since 2003).

Personality

Interests

Swimming, skiing, reading.

Connections

Married Gábor Pálinkás. Children: Andrea, Péterritory.

father: Imre Kálmán

mother: Erzsébet (Spóner) Kálmán

• spouse: Gábor Pálinkás

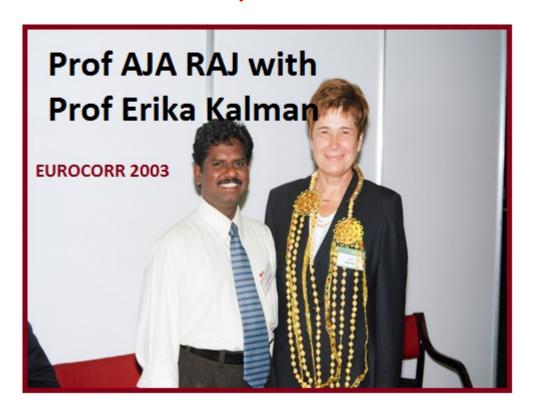
children:Andrea Kálmán

Péterritory Kálmán

We Gratefully remember Prof Erika Kálmán, who helped us in attending and participating and presenting papers in EUROCORR 2003, held at Budapest Hungary.

We dedicate our Awards and Laurels to Prof Erika Kálmán.

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We remember you Madam