The 5th Society's Prize

International Society of Life Information Science (ISLIS)

Society's Prizes

Winners of the 5th Society’s Prizes of ISLIS in 2003

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The winners of the 5th Society’s Prizes of International Society of Life Information Science (ISLIS) in 2003 were chosen after careful consideration as follows.

Excellent Paper Prize

Weizhong CHEN, Tong ZHANG, Fengtong WANG, Hideyuki KOKUBO and Mikio YAMAMOTO

Title: Change of Hemoglobin Concentration of Cerebral Cortex and Respiration Frequency during Qi-emission Task

Promotion Prize

Takashi AOKI

Title: What is External Qi in Qigong Therapy? A Hypothesis Based on Bioelectricity and Its Verification Experiments
The 16th Symposium on Life Information Science, August 29-30, 2003, Tokyo Institute of Technology

Meritorious Activity Prize

Dr. Ryoichi OBITSU
ISLIS Special Trustee
President Emeritus, Chairman, Board of Directors, Obitsu Sankei Hospital, Japan
President, Japan Holistic Medical Society

Meritorious Activity: Dr. Obitsu is a pioneer in alternative and complementary medicine and the holistic medicine in Japan and has promoted these medical fields with extreme vigor. At ISLIS symposia and the International Forum he gave special lectures and demonstrations, which have contributed to ISLIS. He has been a Special Trustee of the ISLIS.

Dr. Akira FUKUOKA
ISLIS Special Trustee
ISLIS Chairperson of Support Committee
President, Research Laboratory of Integrative Medicine, Fukuoka Dental Clinic, Japan

Meritorious Activity: Dr. Fukuoka is a pioneer in alternative and complementary dental medicine in Japan and has promoted this field with extreme vigor. At ISLIS symposia he gave special lectures, which have contributed to development of ISLIS. He has served as a Special Trustee of the ISLIS and also Chairperson of the Support Committee for ISLIS.

Dr. Kenneth M. SANCER
ISLIS Editor,
Director, ISLIS California Information Center
Chairman, Board of Directors, Qigong Institute, California, U.S.A
Professor, American College Traditional Chinese Medicine, San Francisco, U.S.A
Senior Material Scientist (retired), SRI International, U.S.A

Meritorious Activity: Dr. Sancier has carried out research for qigong for many years. He has been an Editor of the Journal of ISLIS since its foundation and performed an important role on a global basis as Chairperson of the ISLIS California Information Center.

He has compiled the Qigong Database (CD-ROM) including ISLIS data, now in version 6.0, and soon to be issued as version 7.0 which will also include references to many kinds of energy medicine therapy. The Database is used in many libraries and reference all over the world, which have resulted in increasing number of inquiries about papers in the Journal of ISLIS.