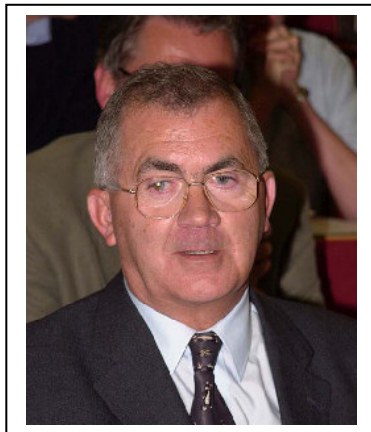


NEWS FROM OUR MEMBERS*

Peter Goos, Ivan Langhans and Martina Vandebroek will receive the Lloyd Nelson award from the Journal of Quality Technology Editorial Review Board for their paper

Goos, P., Langhans, I., Vandebroek, M., (2006) Practical Inference from Industrial Split-Plot Designs, *Journal of Quality Technology*, 38, 162-179.

The Lloyd S. Nelson Award recognizes the article in the most recent volume of JQT that had the "greatest immediate impact to practitioners." The JQT articles were reviewed based upon their innovative adaptation of traditional methods and their potential for everyday practicality.



The Quetelet Society (i.e. the Belgian Region of the International Biometric Society) has rewarded **Herman Callaert** the title of "Honorary member of the society" for his outstanding contribution to biometrics and biostatistics in Belgium. The society refers explicitly to the Biostatistics program at Hasselt University that has given many students the opportunity to get a high quality training in biostatistics. This has had a great influence on the expansion of statistics/biostatistics in Belgium, but also in other countries due to the many international students in the program. In its 55 year history, the Quetelet Society has only awarded the title of "honorary member" only twice.

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