



Madeleine Godefroy (EARSeL) was awarded the RSPSoc Founders Award in 2004.

Citation - For Services to the Remote Sensing and Photogrammetry Society

The award was collected by Prof A P Cracknell, on M Godefroy's behalf, on Wednesday 7th September 2005 at the Society's Awards Ceremony during RSPSoc2005, the Annual Conference of the Remote Sensing and Photogrammetry Society, in Portsmouth, UK.

Further information follows overleaf.

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Madeleine Godefroy is the outgoing secretary of EARSeL - the European Association of Remote Sensing Laboratories. She has provided continuous and long standing, committed support to the members and to Council and Bureau of EARSeL since 1981 when she was appointed as the first full time secretary. In parallel to over 25 years of dedicated support to EARSeL, Madeleine has been a staunch supporter of both RSS and now of RSPSoc, ensuring that technical meetings and Society business are reported swiftly and accurately to EARSeL and that the Society is kept aware of European developments. Madeleine has even gone so far as to travel from France to attend and help assist coordination at almost every Society annual conference since the mid 1980s. This has been of immense practical and moral support to Karen Laughton and all the Society office staff over a considerable period, and her cheerful and efficient presence on the registration desk was always appreciated by delegates. Consequently, the Society has enjoyed excellent support, and wonderful friendship, which the Society seeks to reciprocate in full whenever possible. It is with great pleasure that the Society thanks Madeleine for everything she has given to the remote sensing community over the years, especially to the Society, and wishes her well in her retirement.