

The award ceremony took place on December 13, 2016 at the Académie des sciences, Institut de France, in Paris, in the Grand Meeting Room.

Professor Mark E. Casida (R), Université Grenoble-Alpes and a member of the Division of History of Chemistry of the ACS, presented the plaque to Professor Bernard Meuner, Président de l'Académie des sciences (L). Behind them is a sculpture of Pierre Corneille, "a French tragedian, generally considered one of the three great 17th Century French dramatists, along with Molière and Jean Racine."



The award ceremony was part of a conference organized by the Lavoisier Committee of the French Academy of Sciences, the French National Committee for the History and Philosophy of Science and the Committee for the History of Science and Epistemology of the French Academy of Sciences, entitled *The Multiple Facets of Lavoisier*.