

Renal Physiology



The Renal Physiology Section presented the Award for Excellence in Renal Research at the spring FASEB meeting to six students. The awardees (left to right) are **Raymond Glahn** (postdoctoral category; advisor, F. Knox, Mayo Clinic), **Taisuke Isozaki** (postdoctoral category; advisor, J. Sands, Emory University), **Susan Mulroney** (postdoctoral category; advisor, A. Haramanti, Georgetown University), **Karyn Todd-Turla** (graduate student category; advisor, J. Schnermann, University of Michigan), **Xiaoming Zhou** (graduate student category; advisor, C. Wingo, University of Florida), and **Thomas Manger** (graduate student category; advisor, B. Koeppen, University of Connecticut).



The Renal Physiology Section has established an annual award in honor of Robert W. Berliner. This award will be presented at the annual Renal Dinner each year to a senior American scientist to recognize lifetime achievement in the field of renal physiology. **Gerherd Giebisch** (right) introduced Robert Berliner at this year's dinner.

Respiration



Respiration Dinner, APS/FASEB Spring Meeting, Anaheim, CA. Left-right: J. Butler, K. Wasserman, and S. Chambers.

Teaching of Physiology

Membership

	Primary		Secondary	Tertiary	Total
	Regular	Associate	All	All	
1991	74	52	216	326	668
1992	90	63	237	348	738

This past year the teaching section saw an approximate 20% growth in primary membership. Since the secondary and tertiary memberships also increased, the growth of the section's primary membership reflects an infusion of new members and not just a redistribution of the existing membership.

The steady growth in section membership experienced over the past few years (there were 68 primary regular members in 1990) is probably a reflection of an increasing trend of academic physiologists to identify teaching as their primary professional interest. This suggests that the teaching sec-