

The UIC College of Engineering
is pleased to announce the appointment of

Dr. W.J. Minkowycz

as

James P. Hartnett Professor
of Mechanical Engineering -
Energy Systems

effective August 16, 2006





W.J. Minkowycz was appointed the James P. Hartnett Professor of Mechanical Engineering – Energy Systems for his unique and sustained contributions to his national and international professional community and to the University of Illinois, encompassing research of the highest quality, dynamic and inspiring teaching, and worldwide leadership in the area of technical information dissemination.

Professor Minkowycz is a Fellow of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers and received the Ralph Coats Roe Award (an ASEE National Award) and the Heat Transfer Memorial Award (an ASME National Award). He serves as Editor-in-Chief of the *International Journal of Heat and Mass Transfer* and the *International Communications in Heat and Mass Transfer*. He is the founding editor of the *Numerical Heat Transfer* journal and has served as its Editor-in-Chief since its inception in 1978. He is also the Senior Editor of the textbook series, *Computational and Physical Processes in Mechanics and Thermal Sciences*; of the review monograph series, *Advances in Numerical Heat Transfer*; and of the *Handbook of Numerical Heat Transfer*.

Professor Minkowycz has been the recipient of the UIC Silver Circle Award for Excellence in Teaching six times, the University Distinguished Teacher Award in 1989, the College

of Engineering Harold A. Simon Award in 1986, and the Board of Trustees Recognition for Excellence in Teaching in 1987.

For several decades, Professor Minkowycz has been the intellectual leader of the worldwide heat transfer community. His editorial activities have nurtured the growth of heat transfer activities worldwide.



The James P. Hartnett professorship was made possible by the generous gift of the late Professor James P. Hartnett and through gifts made in his honor by Professor Warren M. Rohsenow of MIT and Elsevier, Ltd. Professor James P. Hartnett is well known nationally and internationally in the field of energy resources and in heat and mass transfer research. He was the author of over 170 published papers in the field and the founding editor of a number of leading books and journals in heat transfer including the *Handbook of Heat Transfer*, *Advances in Heat Transfer*, the *International Journal of Heat and Mass Transfer*, and the *International Communications in Heat and Mass Transfer*.

He was the recipient of a Guggenheim Fellowship, a Fulbright Award, and his profession's three most prestigious awards – the ASME/AIChE Max Jakob Memorial Award, the A. V. Luikov Medal of the International Center of Heat and Mass Transfer, and the ASME Heat Transfer Memorial Award.

The University of Illinois at Chicago is one of the state's two public-assisted comprehensive research universities, and the largest university in the City of Chicago. UIC has about 25,000 students (16,000 undergraduates, 6,800 graduate students, and 2,200 professional students) with a budget of \$1.3 billion and research expenditures exceeding \$250 million. The UIC College of Engineering has 115 faculty members, of which more than 40 hold the rank of Fellow of their professional societies. Nineteen are recipients of NSF CAREER or Young Investigator awards, and two are members of the National Academy of Engineering. The college's research expenditure during 2004-2005 totaled \$21 million.



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