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## LIFE MEMBERSHIP AWARDED TO PROFESSOR LOUIS GOLDBERG

At the August 1989 annual meeting of the Academy of Accounting Historians, Emeritus Professor Louis Goldberg was elected to Life Membership in the Academy. Professor Goldberg, B.Com., M.Com., B.A., Litt.D., is Emeritus Professor of the University of Melbourne. As an internationally respected senior statesman of the academic accounting community he is well known for his impressive list of publications in the financial accounting and accounting history fields.

His career as a full time accounting academic at the University of Melbourne spanned the years 1946 to 1973, the last 15 years of which he was Professor and Head of the Department of Commerce. He was a founding member and is a past president of the AAANZ, a past Divisional Counsellor of the Australian Society of Accountants and a long serving member of the editorial board of *The Ac-*

*counting Historians Journal*. In 1987 he was awarded the Order of Australia by the Australian Government in recognition of his enormous contribution to accounting education. During his long and distinguished academic career he has published numerous books and articles in the field of accounting. Among his noteworthy texts have been *A Philosophy of Accounting* (1939), *Concepts of Depreciation* (1960), *An Inquiry into the Nature of Accounting* (1965), *The Florescent Decade: Accounting Education in Australia 1945-1955* (1981), *Dynamics of an Entity: The History of the Accounting Association of Australia and New Zealand* (1987).

Other individuals who have previously been awarded life membership status are Paul Garner (Alabama), Basil S. Yamey (London), Ernest Stevelinck (Belgium), Kojiro Nishikawa (Japan), and Osamu Kojima (Japan) (now deceased).

### CALL FOR PAPERS: COST ACCOUNTING

*The Academy of Accounting Historians invites submissions of papers on the development of cost accounting or related topics for possible inclusion in a refereed monograph honoring Dean Emeritus Paul Garner of the University of Alabama. Papers may vary in length, but should not exceed 12,000 words. Style should follow guidelines of the The Accounting Historians Journal. Submission deadline: March 31, 1990.*

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