2010 Lifetime Contribution to Management Accounting Award Winner – Chee Chow

Chee Chow, Ph.D., was awarded the 2010 Lifetime Contribution Award of the Management Accounting Section of the American Accounting Association.

The award, sponsored by the AICPA, was bestowed on Professor Chow for having made significant contributions to management, accounting, education, research and practice over a sustained period of time through scholarly endeavors, teaching excellence, educational innovation and service to the Management Accounting Section. "This award is a culmination of years of outstanding academic research, service to the educational community and mentoring of other faculty members," said Sharon Lightner, the William E. Cole Director of the Charles W. Lamden School of Accountancy at San Diego State University.

Professor Chow's research has involved auditing, financial accounting, accounting education, taxation and management accounting and controls. He has won numerous awards for his writing and has published articles in leading academic and practitioner journals. He served on the editorial review boards of numerous scholarly journals. He has also authored or co-authored more than 60 articles in Chinese to enhance accounting education and research in Asia.

In 2000-2001, Professor Chow was the President of the American Accounting Association's Management Accounting Section. Professor Chow, prolific researcher and professor of accountancy at SDSU's Charles W. Lamden School of Accountancy, has been with the university for nearly 26 years. He is the holder of an A.B. degree (with honors) from Dartmouth College, an MBA degree from the Amos Tuck School at Dartmouth, an M.S. from the Graduate School of Management of the University of Rochester, and a Ph.D. from the University of Oregon. He held the Vern Odmark Professorship of Accountancy at San Diego State University since 1984. Prior to that, Professor Chow taught at the University of Washington and the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.