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## William H. Peterson Schlarbaum Laureate 2005

William Herbert Peterson is the winner of the 2005 Gary G. Schlarbaum Award for Lifetime Achievement in the Cause of Human Liberty, awarded by the Mises Institute (\$10,000 prize). He has served a crucial role as a leading public intellectual, elaborating on the insights of Mises through teaching, writing, and speaking on the relationship between free enterprise and human liberty.

Professor Peterson holds a Ph.D. (1952) in economics from New York University and an M.S. degree from Columbia University (1948). During World War II, he studied at the Harvard Business School under Navy sponsorship and attended a summer leave seminar at Oxford University.

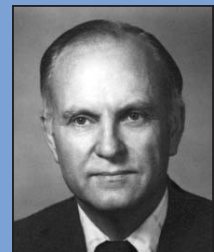
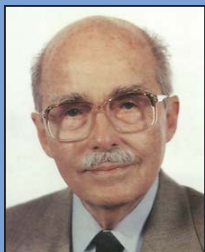
During his academic career, Peterson has served as assistant to the dean, associate professor and professor of economics in the Graduate School of Business Administration of New York University, where he was a colleague and friend of Ludwig von Mises; John David Campbell Professor of American Business in the American Graduate School of International Management in Arizona; Scott L. Probasco, Jr. Professor of Free Enterprise and Director, Center for Economic Education, the University



of Tennessee at Chattanooga; Distinguished Burrows T. and Mabel L. Lundy Emeritus Professor of Business Philosophy, Campbell University in North Carolina; Senior Fellow at the Heritage Foundation, where he continues to serve as Adjunct Scholar.

An active scholar, Dr. Peterson has published articles in the *Harvard Business Review*, *The Freeman*, *The Free Market*, *Washington Times*, *Challenge*, *Monthly Labor Review*, *Christian Science Monitor*, *New York Times*, *Dun's Review*, *Business Week*, *Journal of Business*, *Journal of Economic Literature*, *Nihon Keizai Shimbun* (Tokyo), *Die 24t*, *Farmand* (Oslo), *Australian* (Sydney), *Sunday Times* (London), and others. He writes Daily Articles on Mises.org, and is the author of two tributes to Ludwig von Mises: "Thoughts and Memories" and "Discovering Mises: A Turning Point."

For fourteen years, he wrote a regular column for the *Wall Street Journal* entitled "Reading for Business." Apart from authoring monographs and books including *The Great Farm Problem* (1959), he contributed entries to McGraw-Hill's *Encyclopedia of Economics* (1982, 1992). He has appeared as a guest commentator on the national PBS-TV show, "Nightly Business Report." He is currently a member of the "Brain Trust" contributing a column to the *Investor's Business Daily*.



William H. Peterson joins past Schlarbaum Laureates: Otto von Habsburg (1999), Ralph Raico (2000), Antony GN Flew (2001), Bettina Bien Greaves (2002), Ron Paul (2003), and Hans F. Sennholz (2204).