## **The Chapter Awards**

For the current activities, the West Ukraine Chapter was twice awarded the nomination Chapter of the Year.

In 2000, the Chapter won "The IEEE Components, Packaging and Manufacturing Technology Society 1999 Chapter of the Year" award. Dr. Olga F. Zamorska, Chapter Secretary/Treasurer received the special banner from CPMT Society at the IEEE Division I & IV Region 8 Chapters Meeting in Paris, France, on October 1, 2000. She obtained the possibility to



Dr. Zamorska, Chapter Secretary is receiving the special banner "IEEE CPMT-S 1999 Chapter of the Year" from Ralph Russell, CPMT-S Membership & Chapter Development Chair.

attend the Meeting thanks to the financial support of the MTT, ED, AP, CPMT, and SSC Societies, and thanks to the efforts of Mr. William F. Van Der Vort, EDS Executive Director. She made the presentation of our current activities, problems, and perspectives. During the Meeting, Mrs. Zamorska had many useful contacts with the IEEE leading staff and representatives of other Chapters. Such contacts give the possibility to improve our Chapter activities in the various areas.

In 2002, the Chapter won "The 2001 IEEE Region 8 Chapter of the Year" award in the "Small and Middle Size Chapters" category. This award was granted for the increasing of the



From left to right, Levent Onural, Region 8 Director and Josef Modelski, Chapter coordinator look on as the President of IEEE, Ray Findlay, presents "2001 Chapter of the Year Award" to M. Andriychuk, West Ukraine Chapter Chair.

Chapter membership, organization of the educational courses, technical meetings, and scientific conferences. To receive this award, Dr. Mykhaylo I. Andriychuk, Chapter Chair was invited to participate at the IEEE Region 8 Committee Meeting in Budapest, Hungary on April 20-21, 2002. It was a good possibility to get acquainted with the IEEE Region 8 Committee officers, Section chairs, and to receive a portion of experience in serving as the Chapter Chair.

## IEEE Ukraine Section (West) AP/ED/MTT/EP/SSC Societies Joint Chapter 2017 Awards

For the current activity, our Chapter was twice awarded by nomination 2017 Chapter of the Year.

The first award is titled "2017 IEEE AP Society Outstanding Chapter Award".

In accordance with IEEE AP Society policy, the decision for Outstanding Chapter Award is rigorous process because it involves many factors (technical events, involvement with local IEEE volunteers, membership drive, mentoring new volunteers and engagement).

On behalf of the 2017 AP-S Chapter Award Committee, Dr. Ajay Poddar, AP-S Chapter Activity Coordinator informed that West Ukraine AP-S Chapter was selected for the recipient of 2017 outstanding AP-S Chapter award.

We were advised to make travel arrangement to receive the outstanding chapter award (consists of plaque and check \$ 1000 US) during award banquet function on Wednesday July 12 at 2017 IEEE International Symposium on Antennas and Propagation/USNC-URSI National Radio Science Meeting at the Manchester Grand Hyatt Hotel, in San Diego, USA.





Fig. 1. The ceremony of presenting the 2017 AP-S Outstanding Chapter Award (Dr. Mykhaylo Andtiychuk, Chapter Chairman – second from left)



Fig. 2. The West Ukraine Chapter officers Olga Zamorska, Mykhaylo Andriychuk, Oksana Hoholyuk (l-r) with the Chapter awards



The second award was granted by the IEEE Electron Devices Society. This award is intended to recognize the quality and quantity of the activities and programs implemented by the Region 8 chapters during the prior July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016 – June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017 period. A plaque and check for \$ 500 US was presented during

the EDS Governance meeting at the Awards Dinner in conjunction with the IEDM in San Francisco, CA, USA, on December 3, 2017.