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Martine Feissel-Vernier

Martine Feissel-Vernier wins EGU Veining Meinesz Medal 2005

The French scientist Martine Feissel-Vernier has won the prestigious EGU Veining Meinesz Medal 2005 for her outstanding accomplishments in the field of Earth rotation, geodynamics and geodesy, and for her devoted services to the scientific geodetic community.

This medal has been established by the EGU Division on Geodesy in recognition of the scientific achievements of Vening Meinesz. It will be awarded by the European Geosciences Union for distinguished research in Geodesy.

Professor Feissel-Vernier will accept her medal and give an acceptance lecture during the EGU General Assembly, to be held in Vienna, Austria from 24 – 29 april. The lecture starts at 19.00 h, at the 26th of April.

Martine Feissel-Vernier works at the Observatoire de Paris and Institut Géographique National in France.

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