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### **Henson receives 2008 Franklin Silverman Lifetime Achievement Award from Text and Academic Authors Association**

*Award honors recipient for a lifetime of excellence in authoring, career of support and service to authors*

**St. Petersburg, FL, June 25, 2008** --- Kenneth Henson, distinguished professor of education at The Citadel's School of Education, received the 2008 Franklin Silverman Lifetime Achievement Award from the Text and Academic Authors Association (TAA). The award is named after Frank Silverman, a former TAA president and founder of the TAA workshop program who died from brain cancer in 2004.

The award, presented at the 2008 TAA Conference on Text and Academic Authoring in Las Vegas, June 21, honors its recipients for a lifetime of excellence in authoring and a career of support and service to authors.

Henson is the presenter of the TAA sponsored workshops "Writing for Publication" and "Writing Grant Proposals". He has written and co-authored more than 300 national publications. His 40 books include five books on writing for publications and two Phi Delta Kappa fastbacks (monographs) on this topic. His biennial survey results have appeared in every other June issue of the Phi Delta Kappan for over 25 years. Henson has given this workshop on some 300 colleges campuses from coast to coast.

#### **About the Text and Academic Authors Association (TAA)**

The Text and Academic Authors Association (TAA) is the only membership association devoted solely to serving textbook and academic authors. TAA was established in 1987 for those interested in developing and publishing educational materials, including textbooks, articles for academic journals and other academic writing, software, videos, monographs, reference books, and multimedia CD-ROM disks. TAA's mission is to enhance the quality of educational materials and assist text and academic authors in matters involving them, including taxes, copyright, royalties and better appreciation of their work within the academic environment. [www.TAAonline.net](http://www.TAAonline.net)

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