

## Biographical Sketch of Tom Lubensky

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### Professional Preparation:

California Institute of Technology	Physics	B.S.	1964
Harvard University	Physics	M.A.	1965
Harvard University	Physics	Ph.D.	1969

### Appointments:

2001- Chair, Department of Physics and Astronomy, University of Pennsylvania  
2001 Poste Rouge au CNRS, Ecole Normale Supérieure, Lyon, France  
1998 Mary Amanda Wood Chair of Physics, University of Pennsylvania  
1998-2001 Associate Director, Laboratory for Research in the Structure of Matter, University of Pennsylvania  
1990-95 Consultant EXXON Research and Engineering, Annandale, New Jersey  
1989-90 Visiting Research Associate at the Ecole Supérieure de Physique et de Chimie Industrielles (ESPCI), Paris (Poste Rouge au CNRS)  
1981-82 Visiting Professor at the Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris, France  
1980 Professor, University of Pennsylvania  
1976 Research Associate, Harvard University  
1975-80 Associate Professor, University of Pennsylvania  
1971-75 Assistant Professor, University of Pennsylvania  
1970-71 Postdoctoral Fellow, Brown University  
1969-70 NSF Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Paris, Orsay, France

### Honors and Awards:

2004 Honored Member of the International Liquid Crystal Society  
2004 Oliver E. Buckley Prize of the American Physical Society  
2002 Elected to the National Academy of Sciences  
2000 Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science  
1985 Fellow, American Physical Society  
1981 Guggenheim Fellow  
1975-77 Alfred P. Sloan Fellow

### Service:

2006 External Review Committee, Department of Physics, Boston University  
2001 External Review Committee, Department of Physics, University of Texas, Austin  
2001 Chair, Gordon Conference on Liquid Crystals  
1998-2001 Member-at-Large (elected) of the Executive Committee of the Division of Condensed Matter Physics (DCMP) of the American Physical Society  
1998-2001 Member, Advisory Board for the Institute for Theoretical Physics, Santa Barbara  
1997-2004 Editorial Board, Physical Review E

- 1996 Co-coordinator of Aspen Institute for Theoretical Physics program on Topological Defects in Soft Condensed Matter Physics
- 1996-99 Member of the Advisory Committee for Science of Soft Surfaces and Interfaces Program of the Canadian Institute for Advanced Research
- 1996- Member Editorial Advisory Board of Molecular Crystals and Liquid Crystals
- 1996-2002 Member Editorial Council of Annals of Physics
- 1992 Co-coordinator of Aspen Institute for Theoretical Physics program on Self-Assembling Systems
- 1988 Co-coordinator of Aspen Institute for Theoretical Physics program on Complex Fluids
- 1987-88 Co-coordinator of program on Quasicrystals and Related Structures at the Institute for Theoretical Physics in Santa Barbara