AAAE-SOUTHERN REGION DISTINGUISHED TEACHING AWARD

**NOMINATION FORM**

Name of Nominee:

Institution:

Title:

Professional Employment Record:

Degrees Held:

Date:

Nomination Submitted by:

Return via email by Midnight January 2, 2018

Email a single document to:

Dr. J.C. Bunch at bunchj@ufl.edu

(A confirmation email will be sent upon receipt of the award application.)

**SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION SHALL BE LIMITED TO THREE TYPEWRITTEN PAGES**

**DISTINGUISHED TEACHING AWARD** \*NAME

SOUTHERN REGION AAAE

APPLICATION & EVALUATION SCORECARD \*TITLE

\*LOCATION

\*DATE

Purpose: To recognize and encourage individual AAAE-Southern Region members who are superior teachers in the field of agricultural education**\***. Texas and Oklahoma AAAE members may be nominated for Southern Region awards if they attend meetings regularly and do not apply for the same award in the Western Region. All award nominees will have been in Southern Region the three years prior to the award being given and must be a continuous dues paying member for five years preceding when the award is given.

Instructions: Complete all items on this scorecard marked with a plus (+). Email this nomination packet, including this scorecard, the nomination form, and supporting documentation of no more than three typewritten pages in a single word or PDF file to J.C. Bunch, [bunchj@ufl.edu](mailto:bunchj@ufl.edu), midnight January 2, 2016. The three pages of supporting documentation should cover the twelve criteria for evaluation listed below. No other documentation will be accepted.

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| **CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION** | **1**  **SUPERIOR** | **2**  **EXCELLENT** | **3**  **AVERAGE** | **4**  **GOOD** | **5**  **FAIR** |
| 1. Command of the discipline. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2. Teaching methodologies. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3. Pervasive caring. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4. Communication skills. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5. Commitment to the learning process – exemplifying the meaning of “teacher/mentor” in its highest sense. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6. Enthusiasm in and for teaching. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7. Stimulating and inspiring. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8. Motivation and interest development. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9. Makes learning exciting, interesting and enjoyable. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10. Sense of humor. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11. Manager of the learning process. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12. Student evaluations of teaching. |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL |  |  |  |  |  |

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| **CRITERIA FOR ELIGIBILITY** | **Yes** | **No** | **Committee verification** |
| **+**1. Has been **a AAAE faculty member for** at least three full years prior to the award date. |  |  |  |
| **+**2. Has not received this award in the Southern Region during the previous five years. |  |  |  |
| **+**3. The nominee is the only individual nominated from their department this year. |  |  |  |
| **+**4. Nominee has been a continuous dues-paying member of AAAE during his/her time of service as an agricultural educator. |  |  |  |

**\*Includes AAAE faculty members in agricultural education, communications, leadership and extension.**