

**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 December 31, 2008

Email a single document to:

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SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION SHALL BE LIMITED TO THREE TYPEWRITTEN PAGES

DISTINGUISHED TEACHING AWARD
SOUTHERN REGION AAAE
APPLICATION & EVALUATION SCORECARD

*NAME _____

*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.

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 the AAAE-Southern Region Alternate Vice President by the date indicated on the nomination form. The three pages of supporting documentation should cover the twelve criteria for evaluation listed below. No other documentation will be accepted.

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					

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.**