



**BOTANICAL SOCIETY
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**CALL FOR NOMINATIONS
2007 BSA**



Charles Edwin Bessey Teaching Award

This award is given annually by the Education Committee, in conjunction with the Teaching Section at the BSA Banquet. It recognizes outstanding contributions made to Botanical instruction. The 2007 Award(s) will be presented at **BOTANY 2007**, in Chicago, Illinois, on July 11.

The selection of awardees is driven largely by nominations from the membership.

Nominations should include:

1. A formal letter of nomination including a clear statement of
 - a. The notable accomplishments of the candidate;
 - b. Contributions made by the candidate and evidence of influence on the discipline or people;
 - c. A list of at least three potential referees willing to prepare letters of support and evaluation regarding the nominee's candidacy, with complete contact information (postal address, phone and e-mail address); and
2. The curriculum vita of the candidate being considered.

The BSA Bessey Award Committee request that nominations be sent to the BSA Executive Director. All nominating materials must arrive no later than March 1, 2007.

Respectfully submitted for the Committee,

Dr. Gordon Uno, Chair Education Committee

Dr. James Wandersee, Chair of the BSA Teaching Section

Nominations and all required materials may be mailed to the address listed below or emailed as a .PDF file via e-mail to (bsa-manager@botany.org).

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