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#### AAAS MENTOR AWARD Call for Nominations

This annual award honors individuals who, during their careers demonstrate(d) extraordinary leadership in efforts above and beyond their duties to increase the participation of women of all racial/ethnic groups; African American, American Indian, and Hispanic men; and people with disabilities in science and engineering fields and careers. Until the number and influence of such individuals increase within the faculty, efforts to expand and diversify research interests, to provide role models, and to reflect the diversity of the

Country within science and engineering education programs and depart-ments will be severely limited. A prize of \$5000 and a commemorative plaque will be awarded to those who have mentored and guided to the completion of doctoral studies significant numbers of students of these underrepresented groups and/or to those who have affected the climate of a department, college, or institution in such a way as to significantly increase the athrine diversity of students such a way as to significantly increase the ethnic diversity of students pursuing and completing doctoral studies.

- Such commitment and extraordinary effort may be demonstrated by:
  the number and diversity of such students mentored
  assisting students to present and publish their work, to find financial aid, and to provide career guidance
  providing psychological support present and publish their work and the provide career guidance

- providing psychological support, encouragement, and essential strat-egies for life in the scholarly community continued interest in the individual's professional advancement.

Supporting evidence of these accomplishments submitted on behalf of a nominee, must contain:

a letter of nomination which enumerates the ways in which the person reflects the purpose of this award

- curriculum vitae of nominee a list of such students mentored

a minimum of 5 and maximum of 15 supporting letters from students and colleagues representative of the different spheres in which the candidate demonstrated effort, results, and commitment.

Last year's winners were: Anthony J. Andreoli, Professor of Biochemistry California State University, Los Angeles, CA

Lafayette Frederick, Professor and Chairman, Department of Botany Howard University, Washington, DC

Howard University, Wasnington, DC Nominations will be reviewed and award recommendations made by the AAAS Committee on Opportunities in Science. The award will be given at the AAAS Annual Meeting in Boston, February, 1993. Expenses associated with attending this ceremony will be borne by AAAS. Materials should be sent by October 28, 1992 to: AAAS Mentor Award, c/o Yolanda S. George or Alana J. Wilson, Directorate for Education and Human Resources Programs, AAAS, 1333 H Street NW, Washington, DC 20005, (202) 326-6670, FAX (202) 371-9849.



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