

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION TEACHERS OF FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES

AWARDS APPLICATION 2008

DESCRIPTION OF AWARDS

CHAMPION FOR FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES

To recognize a person (nonmember), business, company, government (local, state, federal) or community-based agency or a representative there of (outside the FACS profession), who has exemplified extraordinary support and concern for Family and Consumer Sciences and NATFACS. *A maximum of two awards will be presented annually.*

AWARD OF MERIT

To recognize a member* (must have been a member of ACTE and NATFACS for a minimum of 10 years) who has made significant contribution to Family and Consumer Sciences, and/or ACTE, and/or NATFACS who is considered to be an outstanding leader in the field. The winner will be awarded a life-time membership to NATFACS. *A maximum of two awards will be presented annually. Applicants must score 90-100 in order to qualify for this award.*

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

To recognize members* (must have been a member of ACTE and NATFACS for a minimum of 10 years) for outstanding service to NATFACS and professional contributions above and beyond the traditional expectation of duties assumed. The winner will be awarded a life time membership to NATFACS. *A maximum of three awards will be given annually. Applicants must score 90-100 in order to qualify for this award.*

NEW PROFESSIONAL AWARD

To recognize a member (ACTE and NATFACS) who has completed no more than five years (applicant may be in the sixth year) of teaching Family and Consumer Sciences for significant contributions in the classroom, through curriculum development and/or providing multiple FCCLA opportunities for students. The winner will receive \$500 compensation. *A maximum of one award will be presented annually Applicants must score 90-100 in order to qualify for this award.*

PRIDE AWARD

To recognize a member (ACTE and NATFACS) who is a Family and Consumer Sciences Education classroom teacher for outstanding marketing endeavors and promotional ideas for the continued development and enhancement of Family and Consumer Sciences Education. The winner will receive \$300 compensation. *A maximum of one award will be presented annually. Applicants must score 90-100 in order to qualify for this award.*

** member(s) - individual(s) who hold(s) association membership (ACTE and NATFACS) in good standing who is currently teaching FACS. or retired, or employed in another area.*

NOTE: If criteria are not met by any applicant. the awards committee reserves the right not to present that award.

REQUIRED GUIDELINES FOR NATFACS AWARDS

The following guidelines must be followed if the nominee is to be considered for one of the NATFACS AWARDS listed above.

1. Nominations may be made by ACTE/NATFACS members or state career and technical associations. It is not a requirement that the nominee reside in the same state as the person or organization submitting the nomination.
2. Nominations are limited to ONE per state per category.
3. All nominations must be submitted on the official NATFACS AWARDS NOMINATION FORM. Failure to complete all parts of the application form as outlined will result in disqualification.
4. Information must be typewritten / computer generated.
5. All materials and letters of recommendation must be submitted in one package. Each copy of the completed application should be stapled in the upper left hand corner. Materials in folders will not be accepted. Materials received apart from the nomination form will not be considered.
6. EIGHT copies are to be submitted for committee review and evaluation.
7. Award materials must be postmarked no later than **August 1, 2008** and mailed directly to:

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**Champion for Family and Consumer Sciences Award
Evaluation Form**

Criteria	Maximum Points
• Support / Contributions to Family and Consumer Sciences	40
• New or Innovative Program Ideas	30
• Other Information	10
• Letters of Recommendation	20

Maximum Score: 100

**Distinguished Service Award
Evaluation Form**

Criteria	Maximum Points
• Professional Membership <i>ACTE, NATFA CS, State Associations</i>	20
• Professional Contributions <i>ACTE, NATFA CS, State Associations</i>	30
• Related FACS Affiliations to NATFACS	10
• Community Involvement and Activities	10
• Program Description	10
• Innovative Instruction	10
• Letters of Recommendation <i>3 letters of choice</i>	10

Maximum Score: 100

**Award of Merit & New Professional Award
Evaluation Form**

Criteria	Maximum Points
• Professional Membership <i>ACTE, NATFACS, State Associations</i>	20
• Professional Activities <i>ACTE, NATFACS, State Associations</i>	25
• Related FACS Affiliations and Activities	10
• Community Involvement and Activities	10
• Program Description	10
• Innovative Instruction	10
• Letters of Recommendation	10
• Overall Presentation (neatness, accuracy)	5

Maximum Score: 100

**Pride Award
Evaluation Form**

Criteria	Maximum Points
• Professional Membership <i>ACTE, NATFACS, State Associations</i>	5
• Professional Contributions <i>ACTE, NATFACS, State Associations</i>	10
• Related FACS Affiliations and Activities	5
• Community Involvement and Activities	10
• Program Description	10
• Innovative Instruction	10
• Marketing Endeavor & Promotional Ideas	30
• Enhancement of Family and Consumer Sciences	20

Maximum Score: 100