Phyllis S. Lee Award
2008 Award Nomination Packet

Background:
In 2004, the President of Oregon State created this award to honor Dr. Phyllis S. Lee, former Director of the Office of Multicultural Affairs (now the office of Community and Diversity). The award honors a member of the OSU community who exemplifies Dr. Lee’s commitment and dedication to social justice and the teachings of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Recognition:
The award will be presented at the Martin Luther King, Jr. Peace Breakfast on January 21, 2008.

Nomination Process:
Nominations shall include the nomination form and up to three letters of support. The nomination form must address all of the selection criteria. Letters may address some or all of the criteria.

Selection criteria include:

- Nominee demonstrates an exceptional history and current practice of initiating, supporting and sustaining social justice and human rights for all people, and especially the underrepresented and the underserved.
- Nominee is a practitioner of Gandhi’s teaching: “You must be the change you want to see in the world.”
- Nominee contributes in a number of ways so that the learning experiences of students and/or faculty and staff are enriched.
- Nominee helps others to achieve the “greatness” that Dr. King speaks of.

Selection of recipients shall include:

- Intentional consideration of the “unsung,” the “behind the scenes” person who motivates and inspires, not just identification of those who have gained public acknowledgement and recognition.
- Consideration will also be given to those who devote themselves to social justice work in the context of higher education.

Past recipients:

- Roy Arnold, 2005
- Sandy Tsuneyoshi, 2006
- Lawrence Griggs, 2007

Deadline:
Nominations and letters must be submitted by Friday, November 30, 2007 at 5:00 pm

Submit completed nominations and letters of support to:
Jennifer Almquist
Office of Affirmative Action and Equal Opportunity
526 Kerr Administration Building, OSU
Email: jennifer.almquist@oregonstate.edu
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Nomination Form

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I. Nominee Information

Name: ____________________________________________________________________
(_Last Name) (First Name) (Middle)

Address: __________________________________________________________________

OSU status (please check all that apply):
□ Faculty
□ Staff
□ Student College: ___________ Year: ___________
□ Other

II. Nominator’s Contact Information

Name: ____________________________________________________________________
(_Last Name) (First Name)

Address: __________________________________________________________________

Email: ____________________________________________________________________

Telephone No: ____-______-______

III. Describe how your nominee meets the criteria of this award (use additional pages, if needed)