

# MARGARET NICHOLSON DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

Presented by the California Science Teachers Association

Each year, the California Science Teachers Association Board of Directors honors an individual who has made a significant contribution to science education in the state of California as a member of CSTA. The Margaret Nicholson Distinguished Service Award represents the highest honor given by CSTA and recognizes an individual who, through years of leadership and service, has made an impact on the quality of science teaching through a range of service including professional involvement.

## Past Recipients

1981	Bob Rice	1990	Dick Merrill	2000	Art Sussman
1982	Dan Shannon	1991	Roxie Esterle	2001	VivianLee Ward
1983	Norman McRae	1992	Zack Taylor	2002	Eugenie Scott
1984	Margaret Nicholson	1993	Kay Sain	2005	Phil Lafontaine
1985	Dick Smith	1994	Tom Smithson	2007	Michael Klentschy
1986	Garland Johnson	1996	Brad Huff	2008	David Andrews
1987	Kay Weil	1997	Jennifer Harris	2009	Bill Ritz
1988	David Stronck	1998	Kathy DiRanna		
1989	Margaret Nicholson	1999	Bonnie Brunkhorst		

## NOMINATION PROCEDURE

In addition to completing the form below, the contributions of each nominee should be substantiated in one or more letters of support, submitted by the nominator or nominating chapter, which describes specific examples of service, leadership, and commitment. Both the nominator and the nominee must be CSTA members for a minimum of four years. The winner of the award will be selected by the CSTA Board of Directors from a slate of nominees submitted by the CSTA Awards Committee. Awards will be presented at the California Science Education Conference sponsored by CSTA.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's CSTA Membership number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominated by: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominator's CSTA Membership number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Nominations and accompanying support letters must be postmarked no later than May 17, 2010. Send nominations to:**

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Sacramento, CA 95821**