



Committee/Task Force/Liaison Report

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Committee Purpose: Advertise awards to the region and select winners to the following categories:

- Humanitarian Recognition Award
- Charles W. Beene Memorial Award
- SEAHO Founders Award
- James C. Grimm Outstanding New Professional Award
- The SEAHO Graduate Student of the Year Award
- The SEAHO Outstanding Mid-Level Professional Award
- The SEAHO Service Awards
- The SEAHO PEACE Award
- SEAHO Conference Fee Waiver Scholarship

Annual Goals and Objectives:

Determine Recipients of Awards

Implement new Academic and Housing Collaborative Award

Have a fee waiver scholarship recipient from each state for SEAHO 2008

Progress since Last Report:

The committee determined the recipients by January 22, 2007. It was decided that Graduate Issues and Involvement would present the “Graduate Student of the Year” Award and Human Relations will present the “P.E.A.C.E” Award. All plaques were made by the Awards and Recognition Committee.

Advertise awards to the region and select winners to the following categories:

- **Humanitarian Recognition Award** – Ellen Jones and Ashley Siemen, UNC – Chapel Hill
- **Charles W. Beene Memorial Award** – Heidi LeCount, Meredith College
- **SEAHO Founders Award** – Lorinda Krhut, Univ. of Mississippi
- **James C. Grimm Outstanding New Professional Award** - Eddie Seavers, Christopher Newport Univ.
- **The SEAHO Graduate Student of the Year Award** – Amy Zuchlewski, University of Central Florida
- **The SEAHO Outstanding Mid-Level Professional Award** - not disclosing this one just yet
- **The SEAHO Service Awards** – several recipients
- **The SEAHO PEACE Award** – Khaseem Davis – George Mason University
- **SEAHO Conference Fee Waiver Scholarship** – Deborah Daniels (Maryville College), Andrea Herderhorst (Univ. of Miss.), Roger Montiel, Sr. (Emory Univ.), Celena Trahan (LSU), Nicholas Rachowicz (Univ. of Southern Miss.), Debra Smith (Converse College), and Marijohn Norwood (Clemson Univ.)

Problems:

Many submissions went to Tim Coley, past chair for Awards and Recognition Committee. The website needs to be updated, which means my successor will need to receive these e-mails. More attention needs to be given to having representation from each state on the committee. Everyone that indicated Awards and Recognition as their first choice, got it. May need to consider approaching members that put this committee as their 2nd choice. Also, I think hold all submissions until the deadline before sending to committee would have been less confusing. The research grant proposal form needs to be found too. Someone requested it, but I could not find it. Also, we did not get a fee waiver recipient from each state. More time will be put on each state to submit a name in the future.

Next Steps:

The committee will be promoting a new award (Academic and Housing Collaboration Award) at the SEAHO 2007. It will be presented to the committee to think about future funding for this award and how it can support the recipients of the program.

Need for Action or Feedback from Governing Council:

Committee/Task Force/Liaison Reports are due to the Member-at-Large
no later than April 1, October 1, and February 1.