

AWARD	BURLINGHAM UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT OF EXCELLENCE AWARD
PURPOSE	To recognize outstanding scholastic, leadership, and professional achievement while an undergraduate student in the College of Agricultural Sciences at Oregon State University.
NATURE	The award recipient will receive \$1,000 and a plaque. The College of Agricultural Sciences will display a photo of the recipient. Announcement of the award recipient will be made at the Great Achievements of Students Celebration on May 19, 2005.
ELIGIBILITY	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The candidate must be registered as an undergraduate student of any rank in the College of Agricultural Sciences during winter quarter. 2. Each department in the College of Agricultural Sciences is eligible to nominate its <u>best</u> undergraduate students each year.
CRITERIA	<p>Nominees will be evaluated on the basis of:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. academic achievement (including, but not solely restricted to GPA) 2. evidence of leadership ability 3. extracurricular activities and public service 4. achievement toward professional potential
PROCEDURE	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Candidates will be nominated by their department head or program director, in consultation with teaching faculty. More than one candidate per department may be submitted for consideration, provided they are genuinely outstanding. 2. Nominations should include, in this order: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. no more than three letters of recommendation. One letter should be from the department head or departmental head advisor. All letters must address the criteria. b. a comprehensive one-page written statement by the candidate summarizing achievements toward long-range professional goals and objectives in agriculture c. a completed award application form d. current undergraduate grade transcripts
SPONSOR	The cash award is provided by the Burlingham Scholarship Fund.
DEADLINE	Complete nomination packets (original plus five copies) <u>must</u> be received in the College of Agricultural Sciences, Student Advancement Office, 137 Strand Hall, by <u>Friday, March 11, 2005.</u>