



Announcement of the
Botanical Society of America
2002-2003
YOUNG BOTANIST AWARDS

The Botanical Society of America requests nominations for the Young Botanist recognition Awards for 2002-2003. The purpose of these awards is to offer individual recognition to outstanding graduating seniors in the plant sciences and to encourage their participation in the Botanical Society of America. All nominees with strong records of achievement (at least a 'B' average, and meritorious activity in plant biology) will receive a "Certificate of Recognition" and have their names published in the *Plant Science Bulletin*. Up to the top 25 nominees, whose selection will be based primarily on the accomplishments described in recommendation letters, will receive a "Certificate of Special Achievement" from the Society and have their names published in the *Plant Science Bulletin*.

Nominations should:

- (1) document the student's qualifications for the award (academic performance, research projects, individual attributes),
- (2) be accompanied by the student's curriculum vitae or resumé;
- (3) include two (or more) letters of recommendation from faculty well acquainted with the student.

The selections will be made by a committee chaired by the Past-President, Dr. Judy Jernstedt. Nominations should be sent to:

Dr. Judy Jernstedt
Department of Agronomy and Range Science
University of California, Davis
One Shields Avenue, Davis, CA 95616-8515

and postmarked no later than 1 April 2003.