

Louisiana

Association of Teacher Educators

TO: Directors of Field Experiences
Directors of Student Teaching

DATE: February 1, 2010

RE: Distinguished Clinician Awards

The LAATE Distinguished Clinician Awards for 2009-2010 will be presented at the 2nd Annual Louisiana Teacher Education Conference in October, 2010. The selection committee will accept nominations for the Distinguished Clinician of the Year in the following categories:

- Early Childhood
- Elementary Education
- Middle School
- Secondary School
- Special Education

Each University may nominate one Clinician in each of the five categories. The nomination packet should include **only** the following information:

- *Letter of nomination* with name, address, institutional affiliation, and telephone number of both the University director and the nominee, and a brief statement citing the reason(s) for selection;
- Nominee *resume/vita* (3 pages maximum) that includes a chronological listing of educational experiences, brief descriptions of positions or duties, institutional affiliation, dates, and name of immediate supervisor;
- *Letter(s) of recommendation* from a student teacher and/or college supervisor;
- *One-page statement* by the cooperating teacher “Why I Choose to Supervise Student Teachers.”

Please begin the process now in order for our best clinicians to be recognized. The due date for submitting the information is Monday, May 3, 2010. Please send nominations to: Candi Bagley, LSUS – BE 370, One University Place, Shreveport, LA 71115.

Again, thank you for all you do to make a difference in the lives of our teacher candidates and the children they teach. If you have questions, please call me at (318) 797-5031 or e-mail at cbagley@lsus.edu.

Candi Bagley
LAATE Outstanding Clinician Awards Chairperson