

Committee on Minority Affairs of the American Chemical Society is pleased to announce a

Call for Nominations

The Stanley C. Israel Regional Award for Advancing Diversity in the Chemical Sciences

Purpose: To recognize individuals and/or institutions that have advanced diversity in the chemical sciences and significantly stimulated or fostered activities that promote inclusiveness within the region.

Nature: The award consists of a medal and a \$1000 grant to support and further the activities for which the award was made. The award also will include funding to cover the recipient's travel expenses to the ACS regional meeting at which the award will be presented.

Rules of Eligibility: Individuals nominated for the award may come from any professional setting: academia, industry, government, or other independent facility. Nominees may also be organizations, including ACS local sections and divisions. The awardees will have increased the participation and leadership of underrepresented minorities, persons with disabilities, and women through mentoring, hiring, promotion and/or other activities that lead to greater inclusiveness within the chemical sciences.

To Nominate: For nomination of individuals, the packet should include a letter of no more than three pages, a seconding letter, and a CV or résumé. For the nomination of institutions, the packet should include the first two items and a brief description of the institution.

Send nominations to:

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For information regarding the award, contact Cheryl Brown, 800/227-5558 ext. 6123, or e-mail: <u>c_brown@acs.org</u>.

Deadline for receipt of nominations is January 15, 2005