



The **Accounting Educator of the Year Award** is presented annually by the Educational Foundation of the Georgia Society of CPAs to one educator who has demonstrated outstanding contributions to educating accountants. This program was inaugurated over 20 years ago, and we are now looking to educational institutions and Society members to identify this “special person.”

The purpose of this program is to encourage the schools throughout Georgia to maintain a high level of education of those students who study accounting and to raise the level of awareness for the importance of an accounting education in the business community. *The recipient of this honorable award is expected to have made outstanding contributions to educating accounting students along with leadership in professional organizations, writing, speaking and research in the business field and motivating students to excellent performance in their scholastic and professional careers.*

We are soliciting your nomination for this prestigious award. The deadline for all nominations to be submitted is **March 28, 2009**. Enclosed is a nomination form that may be used to submit your nomination or you may simply submit your nominee’s name and vita along with two letters of recommendation to Accounting Educator of the Year Award, GSCPA Educational Foundation, The Georgia Society of CPAs, 3353 Peachtree Road, Suite 400, Atlanta, GA 30326-1414.

The recipient of the Accounting Educator of the Year Award will be recognized during the banquet at the Georgia Society of CPAs’ Spring Council Meeting on Friday, May 15, 2009 at The Chattanooga, Tennessee's Urban Resort in Chattanooga, TN. If you have any questions, you may contact Don Cook, GSCPA Director of Membership Development, at 404-504-2935.

Sincerely,

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