

Faculty Honors Committee: 2006-2007 Annual Report
Submitted by William Hunt,
Chair 2006-2007 Faculty Honors Committee

- 1.) Selection of the Chair (August 2006):** The Committee Chair from the 2005-2006 year (William Hunt) requested indications of interest/nominations for the 2006-2007 Chair. Professor William Hunt was selected by the Committee. Votes were counted electronically by Diebold.

- 2.) Revision of the Call for Nominations:** The call for nominations was updated and posted on the website (<http://www.facultyhonors.gatech.edu/>). A pdf of the call for nominations was sent as a pdf to Provost Schuster's office for distribution (September 2006).

- 3.) Receipt of Nominations:** Nomination packets were received by Professor William Hunt by the deadline and copies of the nominations were disseminated to all Faculty Honors Committee members. Packets not received by the deadline or sent in piecemeal fashion via email were trashed.

- 4.) Committee Meeting:** A meeting was held to introduce new members and to make the selections.

- 5.) Award Selection:** The Committee made the following selections after much discussion to reach consensus.

Class of 1940 W. Roane Beard Outstanding Teacher Award:
John Buck, School of Electrical and Computer Engineering

Class of 1940 W. Howard Ector Outstanding Teacher Award:
Professor Gegory Durgin in the School of Electrical and
Computer Engineering.

**Outstanding Service Award:
Professor James H. McClellan, School of Electrical and
Computer Engineering**

**Outstanding Continuing Education Award: Bruno Frazier,
School of Electrical and Computer Engineering**

**Class of 1934 Outstanding Interdisciplinary Activities Award:
Bert Bras, School of Mechanical Engineering**

**Class of 1934 Outstanding Innovative Use of Education
Technology:
Thomas Morley, School of Mathematics**

Outstanding Undergraduate Research Mentor:

**Mark Prausnitz, School of Chemical and Biomolecular
Engineering
Lawrence Bottomley, School of Chemistry and Biochemistry**

**In accordance with the statutes and charge of this committee,
we put forth two nominees for the Distinguished
Professor: Michael Meyer, School of Civil and Environmental
Engineering and Mostafa El-Sayed, School of Chemistry and
Biochemistry.**

**President Clough selected Professor Mostafa El-Sayed to
receive the award.**

**6.) Presentation of the Awards: William Hunt presented all
awards except the Distinguished Professor Award (presented
by the President) at the annual Faculty Honors Luncheon.**