

**College of Science  
Oregon State University**

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**Olaf Boedtke Award  
For  
Excellence in Undergraduate Advising**

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Olaf Boedtke was Head Advisor in the College of Science from 1973 to 1987 and a professor in the department of Physics for 23 years. He provided exceptional service to students and to the College of Science; this award recognizes those advisors who follow his venerable example. The selection of the Boedtke Award winner is by student nomination and voting. The final decision is made by the Dean.

<b>Purpose</b>	The purpose of the award is to encourage and recognize exceptional and inspirational advising of undergraduate students.
<b>Criteria</b>	All advisors in the College of Science are eligible for consideration; the award may only be made once to the same person.
<b>Nominations &amp; Voting</b>	Anonymous ballots are submitted by students by means of the website at <a href="http://www.science.oregonstate.edu/boedtkeaward.html">http://www.science.oregonstate.edu/boedtkeaward.html</a> . (Note: Students vote and rank their advisor.) Electronic information and the ranking of advisors is in the form of a survey. Voting typically occurs during the month of May each academic year.
<b>Award</b>	\$500 and a 4" x 6" plaque, presented publicly at the annual College of Science Faculty and Staff Awards day celebration in September which marks the beginning of each academic year in the college.