



International Association of Avian Trainers and Educators

## Interpretive Behavior of the Year Award Application

The goal of the IAATE Interpretive Behavior of the Year Award is to recognize achievements in combining educational value with training and bird natural history information.

Applicants will be evaluated on:

- Originality of the idea/behavior.
- Simplicity in explanation and comprehension of idea.

The final show behavior must be shown on video and be in a show setting.

### 1. Application Information

Application Year and Date: \_\_\_\_\_

IAATE Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of your idea: \_\_\_\_\_

Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Briefly describe the interpretive detail/behavior that the Awards Committee will see in the photos, video or supporting materials.**

Applications must be submitted by the January 25th, 2012. **Late applications will not be accepted.** Attendance at the Annual Conference is not required.

This award entry requires photos, video footage or supporting materials of the idea/behavior to be submitted. VHS tape, DVD or a Memory Stick along with an application form describing the details of the idea and behavior. **Please limit your video footage to 2 minutes or less unless approved by the Award Committee.**

Please return completed application by mail or e-mail to:

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IAATE Award Committee Chair  
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Thank you for entering and good luck!