

2012 Clyde T. Francisco Preaching Award



Dr. Clyde T. Francisco served at Southern Seminary for thirty-six years as Professor of Old Testament Interpretation. His ministry was characterized by a zeal for teaching in the classroom and preaching in as many congregations as possible around the globe. In his own words, Dr. Francisco was a preacher who also taught.

In honor of his service among the churches of the Southern Baptist Convention, the Francisco Award was endowed in 1973 for the purpose of encouraging students committed to the ministry of proclamation. Each year the Francisco Award recipient is granted a scholarship for one thousand dollars, and is invited to preach in a chapel service at the end of April.

Students eligible for the award must be currently enrolled in a master's degree program at SBTS. A calling to the pastorate is required, and leadership ability is expected. All sermon entries are evaluated on the basis of biblical insight, structure and style as reflected in a written manuscript and an audio recording.

All materials for application and/or nomination should be submitted to the Office of the Dean of Students (Norton 154) by February 22, 2012. The application or nomination should include the student contact and degree information.



2007
Justin Sampler



2008
Ken Schmidt



2009
Nick Moore



2010
Barry Fields



2011
Raymond Johnson

Nomination/Application Form

Applicant's name: _____

SBTS ID: _____ Degree Program: _____ Denomination: _____

Applicant nominated by: _____

Applicants should submit the following by February 22, 2012 to the Office of the Dean of Students (Norton 154):

- Typed Manuscript of Sermon
- CD of Sermon (60 minutes or less)
- Completed nomination form included with entry of all materials
- Audio presentation and manuscript must be anonymous