

## **CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR THE D.H. SPEIRS AWARD**

The Doris Huestis Speirs Award is the most prestigious award given by the Society of Canadian Ornithologists and is presented annually to an individual who has made outstanding lifetime contributions to Canadian ornithology. Past awardees include professionals who work at museums, government agencies, private companies and universities, as well as amateur ornithologists.

To nominate a candidate for the Speirs Award please provide the Chair of the award committee with the name of the nominee and supporting information that describes the nature and scope of the nominee's contributions and impact in Canadian ornithology. This could include their efforts to advance conservation, science, public education, or some combination of these or other contribution(s).

Nominations for the 2010 award should be sent to:

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Nominations will be accepted until 31 December 2009.

For more information on the award and previous award winners go to: [http://www.sco-soc.ca/speirs\\_award.htm](http://www.sco-soc.ca/speirs_award.htm)