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APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT AS A STUDENT JUDGE

Name:

E-mail:

Address:

Primary Phone Number:

Secondary Phone Number:

1. How long have you lived in the Judging Center's area?
2. Have you applied previously for an appointment as a student judge or served elsewhere as a student judge? If yes, where?
3. How long have you been a member of AOS?
4. Describe your experience in growing orchids including the length of time, genera grown, special interest genera, size of collection, facilities, etc.
5. List your membership in orchid societies and your present and past participation, including offices held.
6. Have you exhibited in orchid shows? How often?

7. Have you served as a clerk/lay judge or helped with registration at any AOS show or regional judging? How often?
8. Have you been a member of the orchid society show committee? If so, list positions you have held.
9. Have you regularly attended or participated in any activity associated with the Center's Judging or Judges Training Seminars? If so, please list.
10. Describe any other training or educational activities which you have undertaken related to orchids.
11. Please provide an indication of the size of your orchid library (hard copy or electronic) and a list (title, author, and edition) of what you consider to be the key books, periodicals, papers, etc.):
12. How much have you explored OrchidPro?
Please list two or three other online sites you rely on for orchid information
13. Discuss any previous work and/or educational experience that would enhance your knowledge of orchids and your ability to evaluate them.
14. Why do you want to become an orchid judge?

15. What do you regard as your strongest qualification for serving as an orchid judge?

16. Do you understand and agree to meet the requirements for serving as judge as specified in the AOS Handbook on Judging (aos.org / Orchid Awards & Judging Tab/ Judging Handbook), specifically, the requirements for time and travel, and the requirements outlined in the information fact sheets and letter sent along with the application form?

17. List below the names and addresses of two or more persons who have knowledge of your interest in orchids and can attest to your growing and exhibiting experience, etc.

Signature

Date