

Van Houten Inducted into the Vermont Academy of Science and Engineering (VASE)

Judith Van Houten, Ph.D., George H. Perkins Professor of Zoology, Director of the VT EPSCoR, Vermont Genetics Network and HELiX Programs was inducted into the Vermont Academy of Science and Engineering (VASE) on September 23, 2008 at the Davis Auditorium. The general program began in a “Public Discussion” format moderated by Fran Stoddard of Vermont Public Television on “Green Initiatives for Vermont”.

VASE President, Jeff Finkelstein, said of the honor: “I wish to congratulate Judy on this singular honor; this is the highest recognition for contributions to science and engineering in the State of Vermont.”

The Academy was chartered by the State of Vermont: 1) to honor scientists and engineers for their achievements, 2) to promote the interests of science and engineering within the State, 3) to educate Vermont citizens about the importance of science and engineering, and 4) to help the State of Vermont with regard to problems in science and engineering.

“Judy’s membership will help advance these goals” said Dr. Finkelstein.