## 2012 C.O.W AWARD Winner



The 2012 COW award winner is Brandt L. Schneider, Ph.D., Associate Professor Dean, Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences Graduate Mentor, Department of Cell Biology and Biochemistry, Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, 743-2700x275 brandt.schneider@ttuhsc.edu.

His nominator stated, "Dr. Schneider deserves to be a C.O.W. because over the years he has provided equal opportunities to the women in his laboratory and has always supported

and encouraged them both personally and professionally. All six of his TTU Howard Hughes Medical Institute Undergraduate Research Scholars have been women that have/will go on to pursue successful careers in science. Dr. Schneider has always been very understanding of working mothers and has always emphasized that family comes first. Dr. Schneider values the importance of family."