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**SAGE EREFERENCE PLATFORM SELECTED AS A
2007 CHOICE OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC TITLE
ANOTHER SAGE ONLINE PLATFORM RECEIVES RAVE REVIEWS**

Los Angeles, London, New Delhi, and Singapore (March 12, 2008) – SAGE’s online platforms are receiving rave reviews and awards. SAGE is pleased to announce that the *SAGE eReference* platform was recently honored as a 2007 Choice Outstanding Academic Title.

Choice publishes an annual list of Outstanding Academic Titles that were reviewed during the previous year. This prestigious list reflects the best in scholarly titles reviewed by *Choice* and brings with it the extraordinary recognition of the academic library community. Citing its quality content and the smooth interface, *SAGE eReference* was selected from among the 7,000 titles reviewed in *Choice* each year to receive this honor.

Created in partnership with RDW Group/iFactory, the dedicated *SAGE eReference* platform is the online host for 65 *SAGE Reference* encyclopedias (with a total of 80 expected by the end of 2008). The platform provides users with many key features, including simple and advanced searching and browsing, multiple options for displaying and utilizing results, and library-friendly user, browser and purchasing options.

“In addition to including world-class content, SAGE continually works to develop our online platforms as a result of feedback from librarians, faculty and students to provide the best possible user experience,” commented Rolf Janke, Vice President and Publisher, SAGE Reference. “This acknowledges our dedication to excellence & innovation that we work so hard for at SAGE.”

In addition to the *Choice* award, another SAGE online platform, *SAGE Journals Online*, SAGE’s online journal delivery platform, recently won the 2007 Professional and Scholarly Publishing Award for Excellence.

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