

## **Faculty Senate Excellence Award**

The Faculty Senate Excellence Award recognizes excellence in faculty achievement in all of the three standards of our profession: research, teaching, and service. Only non-tenure track faculty, including (but not limited to) instructors, lecturers, or adjuncts will be eligible for nomination.

Faculty must be nominated by another faculty member (self nominations will not be permitted) – nominating faculty must provide a brief summary of the candidate's qualifications (not to exceed 250 words).

The award will seek to reward candidates who demonstrate excellence in one or more of the following: (1) quality and importance of research (of any accepted type within the discipline); (2) level and amount of service to the university, college, or department, including service on any level committee, grant proposals, and service on student organizations; and (3) innovation, level of achievement, and maintenance of rigorous standards in teaching.

The nominees will be judged by a committee of three of the Faculty Senate, appointed by the president of the Faculty Senate. The awards committee may request additional information from finalists if necessary. The award will be presented at Honors Convocation by the president of the Faculty Senate.

**AWARD FORM FOR  
THE FACULTY SENATE EXCELLENCE AWARD**

Nominating Faculty Member: \_\_\_\_\_

Rank: \_\_\_\_\_

Campus: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to nominate \_\_\_\_\_ for the award.

Position of award candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

Campus: \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe, in a brief essay (approximately 250 words) the contributions the candidate has made to the university in the fields of research, service, and teaching. You may attach additional documents (a CV, for example), if you wish.