

Excellence in Faculty Scholarship Award

The Excellence in Faculty Scholarship Award, presented annually, recognizes one member of the Adelphi faculty who has achieved a record of outstanding scholarship. The award carries a prize of $5000, and the name of the recipient will be inscribed on a plaque that will be on display in the President’s Suite.

Eligibility

Candidates for the award must be full-time tenured, tenure-track, or clinical faculty or lecturers and have been full-time at Adelphi for a minimum of five years. Nominees for the awards must have demonstrated a record of consistent and outstanding scholarship and/or creative work while at Adelphi. The award recipient will be asked to serve on the selection committee for the subsequent three years. The recipient of the Excellence in Faculty Scholarship Award will not be eligible for re-nomination again for five years.

Criteria for Scholarly/Research Activities

Can be evidenced through a variety of activities accomplished in the last five years at Adelphi through one or more of the following:

- a sustained record of published research in peer-reviewed journals or venues in the discipline; in research monographs; in an authored or co-authored book;
- presentations at prestigious national and international peer-reviewed conferences;
- significant grants awarded;
- important patents or inventions;
- notable and extensive citation of work.

Application Process

Faculty candidates may be nominated by faculty or academic administrators at Adelphi, or self-nominated. The “Call for Nominations” will be announced via email and campus media.

A letter of nomination must be submitted. The letter should be signed by at least two additional full-time Adelphi faculty and/or administrators in support of the nomination. The letter of recommendation should describe and include examples of the continuity and distinction of the scholarship and/or creative work.
A committee of nine faculty (one from each of the professional schools and the Library and three from the broad areas of the College of Arts and Sciences) will receive and review the nominations. The award recipient will serve on the selection committee for the subsequent three years. He/she will not be eligible for re-nomination again for five years.

The committee will notify faculty nominees of their nomination. The nominee will be required to submit: (1) a current curriculum vitae; (2) a statement describing the location, impact, and prestige of the work; (3) evidence of disciplinary, national, or international recognition of the work; and, (4) a letter of support from the dean of the unit in which the nominee is appointed. When possible, materials should be submitted electronically.

The deadline for nominations is February 21, 2021. The Provost’s Office will notify faculty that they have been nominated for the Excellence in Faculty Scholarship Award. Once notified, faculty nominees have until March 23, 2021 to forward supporting material to the Committee.

Awards will be announced at the last Faculty Meeting of the academic year.

Nominations and supporting material should be submitted through this nomination form. All questions can be directed to adelphifacultyexcellenceawards@adelphi.edu.