

Outreach Teaching Excellence Award

The college invites nominations for the Outreach Teaching Excellence Award. The intent of this award is to recognize and honor the contributions made by faculty as part of the outreach mission of Oklahoma State University. The award enriches the relationship between academic programs and continuing education and helps foster faculty participation in outreach activities.

Award Details

The recipient will receive \$500 in professional development funds and a plaque with their name engraved on it. The plaque will be presented during the college's spring awards ceremony. The college's award recipient will become the college nominee for the university-level Outreach Teaching Excellence Award.

Eligibility

- Full-time faculty or instructors for the last three years in the College of Education and Human Sciences at OSU
- Nomination materials should include activities that span no more than the last three years (i.e., Summer 2019 thru Summer 2022)

Evaluation Criteria

The criteria for this award are based on criteria adapted from the OSU Outreach Teaching Excellence Award. (The college's award recipient will become the college nominee for the university-level Outreach Teaching Excellence Award.)

Nominations will be assessed based on the nominee's contributions in noncredit Outreach programs in the following areas:

- 1. Impact of Outreach Programs (qualitative and quantitative) 50% weight
- 2. Innovation and Creativity in Program Content or Delivery 30% weight
- 3. Overall Program Implementation of Outreach Programs (materials, participant experience/satisfaction) 20% weight

Nomination Period

The nomination period begins on October 1. All nominations must be submitted by 11:59 p.m., November 15. The award recipient will be notified during the spring semester, and the award recipient will be announced later in the spring semester.

Nomination Procedure

Nominations may be submitted by any faculty member or staff member in the College of Education and Human Sciences; faculty may self-nominate.

- Nomination packets are limited to three pages total.
- The nomination letter must be signed by both the nominator and school/department head.
- Nomination materials should include activities that span no more than the last three years (i.e., Summer 2019 thru Summer 2022).

Complete the online nomination form <u>here</u>. The nomination dossier for this award will be submitted electronically as a single PDF document* that includes:

- 1. Letter of nomination signed by both the nominator and the school/department head.
 - a. Describe the nominee's contributions in noncredit Outreach programs in the following areas.
 - i. impact of outreach programs
 - ii. innovation and creativity in program content or delivery
 - iii. overall program implementation of outreach programs.
- 2. Additional letters of support and/or supporting materials. Nomination packets are limited to three pages total.

*Please use the following file name convention for the single PDF document: "Nominee's Last Name_Department_OTEA.pdf".

The CEHS Faculty Development and Research Committee (FDRC) serves as the college review and selection committee and typically requires that nominations be submitted by mid-November. The FDRC makes a recommendation for the award recipient to the Dean early in the spring semester.