

Outstanding Research Achievement Award

Eligibility

Any member of the faculty of the School of Medicine who meets the following criteria is eligible:

- Has been a faculty member for at least six (6) years prior to nomination
- Is an Associate Professor or Professor at the Wayne State University School of Medicine
- Is not a prior recipient (the award may be conferred only once upon an individual)

All School of Medicine faculty members are eligible to nominate a candidate for this award.

Review Criteria

The nomination packet will be reviewed by the Research Achievement Award Committee. Evidence of sustained, high quality research and research leadership will form the basis for selection of the recipient of this award. A sustained record of meritorious publication and scholarship is expected. Specifically:

- A nominee must have demonstrated a record of nationally and internationally recognized research
- A nominee's scholarship must provide a significant contribution to his/her professional/discipline
- A nominee's record of research and publication while at the Wayne State University will be given the greatest weight
- Nominees will be evaluated for (a) nationally and internationally recognized research or creative activity, (b) quality of scholarly work and (c) contribution to professional/discipline
- Written endorsements should address these criteria:
 - a) Quality/uniqueness of scholarly/creative work
 - b) Reputation of the journals/juried events
 - c) Importance of nominee's research nationally and internationally
 - d) Contribution of the work to the advancement of the discipline

The Nomination Packet Consists of:

1. Nomination letter of no more than two (2) single-spaced, typewritten pages in 12-point font, commenting on the specific contributions of the individual to a field of medical science, as well as the research leadership and service provided to the research community by the individual.
2. The nominator must seek a seconding letter from an individual who is not associated with Wayne State University, nor a former student or fellow of the nominee. This seconder should be an individual who is a nationally recognized leader in the nominee's own field. The seconder's letter should address the nominee's contributions to the field.
3. The nominator must also submit the nominee's current CV and his/her five (5) most significant papers.

Nominations

Nominations are to be submitted electronically through The Office of Faculty Affairs to ofapd@wayne.edu.