

TO: PVM Faculty

FROM: S. Kathleen Salisbury, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs



DATE: January 30, 2019

RE: Nominations for the 2019 Alumni Faculty Award for Excellence

Attached is a nomination form for the Alumni Faculty Award for Excellence. Recent recipients of the award have been Drs. Eli Asem, Leon Thacker, Steve Adams, Larry Horstman, Debbie Knapp, John Christian, and Gary Lantz, and Dr. Laurent Couëttil.

The award consists of a plaque and a check for \$1,000.

The reference document is FAC DOC 84-1, dated 2/23/84. Briefly, all voting faculty members of the College are eligible for nomination, and only nominations made by PVM voting faculty will be considered.

The Selection Committee makes the final choice, and the award is to be presented at the Purdue Veterinary Conference in September. We hope you will give this matter serious consideration.

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Attachments

THE ALUMNI FACULTY AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE

Purdue University College of Veterinary Medicine

Nomination Form – 2019

- I. My nominee for 2019 is: _____
- II. List on a separate sheet, chronologically with dates, the official assignments the nominee has had in this College.
- III. The category/categories of the nominations is/are:
- ____ A. Excellence in research, scholarship, and/or creative endeavors.
- ____ B. Excellence in instruction and related activities.
- ____ C. Excellence in public and professional services and relations.

Please attach written documentation of evidence of excellence in the category/categories identified above. While it is appropriate to attach a current curriculum vitae of the nominee, this should not be the only written documentation in support of excellence. There should be a summary of accomplishments and recognitions, and an explanation of how these accomplishments support the concept of excellence.

_____/_____
Signature of Nominator / Date

PLEASE SUBMIT THE NOMINATION TO CARLENE LINN IN THE DEAN'S OFFICE (LYNN 1176) BY FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 2019.

**The Establishment of the Alumni Faculty Award
for Excellence in the College of Veterinary Medicine**

This Faculty Document rescinds and supersedes FAC. DOC. 82-4, dated 2/9/82, titled: The Establishment of an Alumni Distinguished Faculty Award in the College of Veterinary Medicine.

Background: The Purdue University College of Veterinary Medicine Alumni Liaison Committee meeting in regular session on 24 October 1981 recommended that a Distinguished Faculty Award be established. Independently, and shortly thereafter, Dr. and Mrs. Carl Osborne (PUR '64) made a cash contribution to the College, the interest from which was to "...be used to foster academic excellence and scholarship by collegiate faculty." In both instances, the recommendation was that the faculty member be identified and publicly recognized annually for performance excellence by a suitable award mechanism. The Administrative Group of the College, after considering these recommendations in detail, favorably accepts them and recommends the establishment of The Alumni Faculty Award for Excellence.

Eligibility:

1. All voting faculty members of the PVM are eligible.
2. Recipients of the award shall remain ineligible for reconsideration.

Criteria for Selection:

1. Any number of eligible faculty members may be nominated to the Selection Committee.
2. There shall be not more than one award per year.
3. Criteria for selection are the judged performances and contributions in one or more of the following:
 - A. Research, scholarly, or creative endeavors
 - B. Instruction and related activities
 - C. Public and professional services and relations

Procedures:

1. A nomination form will be developed and distributed to the PVM voting faculty by the dean at the end of each calendar year.

2. Only nominations from PVM voting faculty will be considered.
3. Nominations with attendant documentation will be due in the Office of the Dean by a date specified on the nomination form. Please include 4-6 letters of support that provide additional evidence of teaching excellence.
4. All nomination materials will be duplicated and distributed to the Selection Committee within two weeks following the due date in the Office of the Dean.
5. The Selection Committee shall be the Selection Committee identified to consider nominations for Distinguished Alumni Awards (two members selected from and by the Alumni Liaison Committee; two members selected by the PVM Faculty Committee; the dean (or designee), who shall chair the committee; and one additional member selected by the Administrative Group of the PVM). This committee will consider all nominations reaching it and will act in time to have the necessary materials prepared for presentation at the Annual Conference.
6. In case there are no nominations, or, if in the opinion of the Selection Committee, none of those nominated qualify, no award will be made that year.

The Award:

1. The award will be made during the banquet of the Annual Conference for Veterinarians and Alumni Reunion.
2. The award shall consist of:
 - A. An individual plaque presented to the awardee.
 - B. A check in the amount of \$1,000 on the PVM Development Fund, or a specifically designated fund if one is established, to support this program.
 - C. The recipient's name placed on a suitably engraved master plaque which shall hang in a conspicuous place in the College of Veterinary Medicine.