The Nomination Process

All nominations should include the following:

1. A nomination letter (maximum of two pages) that highlights the outstanding contributions of the nominee in the field of teaching, research, or service.
2. A current and complete curriculum vitae.
3. In addition to the nomination letter, up to three supporting letters may be included (maximum length – 2 pages) specifically solicited for this nomination.
4. When a nomination letter refers to a previous award and/or honor, it would be helpful to have a description so that SH&A committee members from other academic units can understand the significance of the previous award or honor.
5. For teaching award nominations, please include one set of teaching evaluation questionnaires, but not letters of support from individual students. A hard copy of the nomination may be mailed or delivered to:
   Chair, Committee on Scholarly Honors and Awards
   Office of the Academic Senate
   Zot Code 1325

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Irvine Division of the Academic Senate

The UCI Academic Senate’s Committee on Scholarly Honors and Awards (SH&A) invites you to nominate colleagues who, in your opinion, have achieved excellence and are conveying high distinction to UCI through their research, teaching or service to the University and community.

The winners of the Academic Senate’s Distinguished Faculty Awards are selected by the Committee on Scholarly Honors and Awards. These Distinguished Faculty Awards provide the opportunity for the faculty to recognize the outstanding achievements of our colleagues and, by bestowing these awards upon them, make them and their contributions to the UCI community and society at large.

The Committee urges deans, chairs and other faculty members to submit nominations for these awards. The Committee strongly encourages the nomination of outstanding women and minority faculty members.

Recipients of the research awards should have made significant contributions through research and/or other creative activity that has had a major impact on the field, either through a career-long record of contributions, or as a result of a major contribution. The Distinguished Mid-Career Faculty Award for Research will be awarded to Senate members who have achieved the rank of Associate Professor through Professor IV at the time of the nomination.

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Recipients of the service awards should have made outstanding contributions of service to the University of California. The Daniel G. Aldrich, Jr. Distinguished University Service Award will be awarded to respective scholars. The Distinguished Mid-Career Faculty award for Service will be awarded to Senate members who have achieved the rank of Associate Professor through Professor V at the time of the nomination. Service may be defined as activities which enhance the mission of the university and lead to the improvement of the academic and/or personal lives of significant segments of the University community.

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• Distinguished Mid-Career Faculty Award for Research
• Distinguished Assistant Professor Award for Research

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