

A.M. & JO WINCHESTER DISTINGUISHED SCHOLAR AWARD

Nomination Guidelines

The Winchester Distinguished Scholar Award is given annually to a scholar who has demonstrated continued excellence in scholarly activity for at least five years at UNC.

Nominations for Distinguished Scholar may be submitted for consideration by any UNC faculty or professional staff member.

Nominations are reviewed and the Scholar selected by the Faculty Research and Publication Board (FRPB). The Board recognizes all scholarly activity in a nominee's career and these serve as a base for evaluation. In spite of the complexities of judging between the various disciplines, the FRPB has the pleasure of selecting the most distinguished scholar among many.

To facilitate the Board's task, nominators should provide a letter explaining why the nominee should be considered for the award, and a copy of the nominee's curriculum vita within the broad guidelines outlined below. Please indicate which entries have been through a peer review process. You are welcome to add any notes to this material; however, please limit nomination materials to a two inch binder. NOTE: Do not send original materials as they may not be returned.

1. Scholarly Activity at National or International Level

Examples: Publications in regional journals, books that are circulated at this level, national and international juried shows, performances and presentations.

2. Scholarly Activity at the Regional Level

Examples: Books and publications in regional journals and libraries, regional shows, performances and/or presentations

3. Scholarly Activity at the Local Level

Examples: Local seminars, presentations, recitals, performances, shows

4. Recognition by peers within a discipline, awards, honors

A. National B. Regional C. Local

5. Editing a book, journal or similar activities

A. National B. Regional C. Local

6. Serving on panels or holding office

A. National B. Regional C. Local

7. Grants

A. Research grants, unrestricted B. Contracts

8. Other

If the professional contributions do not fit under these broad headings, please describe the uniqueness of the contributions and its impact on the national, regional and/or local level.

Nomination packages, including all materials and samples of the nominee's work must be submitted to the Office of Sponsored Programs, to the attention of Sherry May no later than 5:00 p.m. on the 2nd Friday in October.