

OUTSTANDING WORLD LANGUAGE TEACHERS AWARDS GUIDELINES FOR SELECTION 2020

Please mail or email the nomination form at the bottom of this page by March 6, 2020, and forward the rest of the information to your nominee.

Nomination criteria:

1. Evidence of innovation in the teaching of world languages.
2. Evidence of overall classroom effectiveness.
3. Evidence of long lasting impact upon students.
4. Amount of foreign language related activity in which the applicant is involved in the public schools in addition to classroom teaching; e.g. foreign language days in the local school(s), foreign language evenings; orientation of students to the value of foreign language study; orientation of parents to the value of foreign language study; orientation of the community to the value of foreign language study. These are not exclusive categories, they are only examples.
5. Evidence of activity in professional organizations.
6. Honors received for foreign language teaching and/or contribution to the foreign language teaching profession.

All teachers who are nominated should submit the following no later than March 16, 2020:

1. A current **curriculum vita** that contains an account of the candidates teaching experience; professionally relevant service to community and profession (e.g. language-related extracurricular activities and programs, posts held in professional organization); any post graduate education; workshops or other professional developmental activity; and other information considered relevant.
2. **Three letters** that support the nomination, one from each of the following groups: students, faculty colleagues, and school administrators. Referees should specify how long they have known the candidate and in what capacity. Support letters may be sent with the application, or referees may send letters individually.
3. Via a brief **dossier**, any other material should be submitted relevant to candidacy. For example, the dossier might include descriptions of programs the candidate has developed, newspaper coverage of sponsored events, certificates indicating participation in professional and developmental activities and other evidence of professional accomplishments.

Support letters and other materials should reflect both general teaching expertise and accomplishments in teaching the language for which the person has been nominated.

Nomination Form

Please detach and mail to: **Outstanding World Language Teachers Awards, Department of World Languages and Cultures, Campus Box 111, University of Northern Colorado, Greeley, CO 80639.**

Or email this nomination information to: anna.williams@unco.edu

Please Print legibly:

Nominated by _____ email: _____

Nominee _____ email: _____

School _____

School Address _____

School Phone Number _____

Language _____