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Faculty Research Awards, Spring 2021

The Provost is pleased to announce awards for outstanding research and scholarship. Each award is comprised of a monetary gift of \$2,500 and recognition at the Catholic University Research Day on Tuesday, April 15. Faculty nominees for the research and scholarship award must be members of the faculty on a tenure track or tenured appointment.

These awards are meant to complement awards for teaching excellence that are recognized through a separate process later in the spring semester. The research awards, all of which are not necessarily made each year, include the following categories:

- (1) Award for Achievement in the Creative Arts: This award is given to a member of the faculty whose achievements in scholarship or expression in the creative arts and artistic performance have had significant critical reception and are recognized nationally or internationally.
- (2) Award for Achievement in Research: This award is given to a member of the faculty whose achievements in research have had significant critical reception and are recognized nationally or internationally. The nominee shall have shown evidence of accomplishments that extend or deepen the boundaries of knowledge.
- (3) Young Faculty Scholar's Award: This award is given to a member of the faculty for demonstrated achievement during the first four years of appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor and promise of potentially significant scholarship.

Nomination Process

- (1) The nominator must be a tenure-track or tenured faculty member. No self-nominations are permitted.
- (2) The nominator should complete a Nomination Form and list the nominee's accomplishments with regard to the award category, citing specific examples, where appropriate. The form should be submitted to the Dean of the nominee's school by Friday, March 5, 2021.
- (3) The Dean will review each nomination and will forward those nominations that he or she has approved to the Office of the Provost by Friday, March 19, 2021. The names of the nominees and the supporting materials, including each nominee's curriculum vitae, will be forwarded to the Provost, and the Dean may add additional nominations.
- (4) A Selection Committee will recommend awardees for each category.

Selection

Final selection is made by the Provost in consultation with the Selection Committee. Award recipients will be recognized during sessions at **Catholic University Research Day**, April 15, 2021.