

# Educator of the Year Award Criteria

College of Applied Health Sciences

## Educator of the Year Award

The purpose of the award is to honor educators who inspire students and impact their success.

### Criteria

Nominations will be evaluated using the following criteria:

1. Evidence of having inspired students and colleagues.
2. Evidence of impact on students' success.
3. Exceptional knowledge in the subject area.
4. Promotion of critical and independent thinking.
5. Promotion of life-long learning.
6. Demonstrated consistent excellence in undergraduate and/or graduate teaching.
7. Heavy involvement in mentoring will also be considered.

### Award

A one-time stipend of \$500 will be awarded to the recipient.

### Eligibility

1. More than a 50% appointment as an assistant, associate or full professor, clinical or tenure track, faculty member.
2. Individual has not received the award in the previous five years.

### Nomination

1. One-two page nomination describing how the nominee's record meets the award criteria.
2. Up to 5 pages of supporting materials that further detail how the nominee's record meets the award criteria may be submitted.

Nomination packet should be sent to: AHS Awards Committee, c/o Joelle Lantz, [jclantz@uic.edu](mailto:jclantz@uic.edu)