TEACHING FELLOWSHIP

College of Health Retreat
Twin Falls
April 29, 2022
Purpose

To recognize, reward, and honor *educational leadership, teaching excellence, and educational innovation* during the preparation of future healthcare professionals in the College of Health.
Benefits of the Teaching Fellowship

• Offers individual recognition to support and enhance the status of teaching in higher education and to instill pride in an academic career and the achievement of student learning outcomes.

• Showcases the institution’s support of individual teaching excellence and the positive impact on student learning outcomes.
Length and Funding

Length: One academic year

Funding: $2500 stipend

Funding: $1000 for travel or to support workshop
Faculty Qualifications

• Full-time tenure track academic faculty and .5 FTE or higher clinical faculty teaching in a COH program.
• Minimum number of five years completed at ISU.
Criteria for Selection

- **Educational Leadership**: Leading faculty and students in the COH, KDHS, university, or discipline in the development of their teaching, scholarship, and service achievements. Contributions are made to the scholarship of teaching.

- **Teaching Excellence**: Actions create learning environments that maximize student learning and achieve or exceed student learning outcomes.

- **Educational Innovation**: Application of novel and unique strategies to advance student learning. Innovation involves intentional activity and creativity aimed at improving education.
Application Materials

• All applications are loaded to a Box folder and shared with committee members.
• A letter from the nominee addressing the three criteria and providing evidence of (1) Educational Leadership, (2) Teaching excellence, and (3) Educational Innovation. The maximum length is 1500 words (approximately two pages per criterion).
• Current CV.
• Appendix A: Support letters must address the applicant’s achievements related to educational leadership, teaching excellence, and/or educational innovation.
Application Materials

• Appendix B: Teaching and Learning Philosophy.
• Appendix C: Course or other materials supporting the applicant’s achievements related to educational leadership, teaching excellence, and/or educational innovation.
• Appendix D: Other evidence.
Application Process for 2022-2023

• Application materials are due by midnight on **September 1, 2022**.
  • In subsequent years, application materials are due on **April 1**.
• Committee members review the applications **September 1-15**.
  • In subsequent years, the committee review occurs **April 2-30**.
• 2022 award is announced by the **end of September**.
  • In subsequent years, the announcement is made in **May**.
Teaching Fellow’s Responsibilities

- Plan and present a Faculty Development Workshop in October and February including a mentoring workshop to help faculty prepare for tenure and promotion.
- Serve as the official liaison between the COH and the Center for Teaching and Learning.
- Serve on the Teaching Fellowship Committee for the next two years.
Teaching Fellowship Committee

• Members are selected from four different disciplines.
• Initial appointment: Two-year or three-year terms to ensure the committee has a combination of new and continuing members.
• Maintain representation from other disciplines when members are replaced.
• Committee chair is the Associate Dean of Curriculum and Assessment.
Feedback and Questions

Questions are the path to learning

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