

*CRITERIA AND PROCEDURES FOR THE NOMINATION AND SELECTION OF  
BOARD OF GOVERNORS EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING AWARD AND  
ALUMNI TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARDS  
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT GREENSBORO*

**AWARDS and ELIGIBILITY**

**UNC Board of Governors Excellence in Teaching Award.** Recognition for a tenured faculty member who has completed at least **seven** years of teaching at UNCG, with an average teaching load over the three years preceding consideration of at least three courses per year. The Board of Governors Award brings statewide recognition.

**Mary Settle Sharp Alumni Teaching Excellence Award.** Recognition for a full-time tenured faculty member who has completed at least **three** years of teaching at UNCG, with an average teaching load over the three years preceding consideration of at least three courses per year.

**James Y. Joyner Alumni Teaching Excellence Award.** Recognition for a full-time tenure-track faculty member who has completed at least **three** years of teaching at UNCG, with an average teaching load over the three years preceding consideration of at least three courses per year.

**Anna Maria Gove Alumni Teaching Excellence Award.** Recognition for any full-time lecturer, academic professional or clinical faculty member who has completed at least **three** years of teaching at UNCG, with an average teaching load over the three years preceding consideration of at least three courses per year.

No person may receive a second Alumni award within five (5) years. The Board of Governors award is only given once to an individual.

**CRITERIA**

The Teaching Excellence Awards selection process defines distinguished teaching as:

- a. Outstanding success in facilitating student learning (including consistent success in making complex ideas understandable and meaningful to the students)
- b. Evidence of innovation and creativity in teaching
- c. The establishment and maintenance of high academic standards
- d. Support for the academic and professional pursuits of students (including mentoring and advising students); and
- e. Demonstrated leadership in teaching (including disciplinary, departmental, and university- wide contributions, presentations, and publications)

**NOMINATIONS**

We welcome nominations by students, faculty members, staff, and alumni.

THE CALL FOR NOMINATIONS IS ONGOING UNTIL OCTOBER 4, 2017.

Nomination forms must be accompanied by a signed statement of support (not to exceed 2 typewritten pages). The form is available on the web at:

<http://utlc.uncg.edu/teaching/teaching-excellence-awards/nominationform>

**NOTIFICATION AND SELECTION**

All nominees will be notified of their nomination by October 11, and will be sent instructions on the required materials and deadlines at that time. The submitted materials will be reviewed by a faculty/student committee appointed by the Provost, and will recommend the recipient for each award to the Chancellor by December.