

**Office of the Provost and Vice President of Academic Affairs**  
**Faculty Award for Community-Based Learning and Scholarship**  
**2018 CALL FOR NOMINATIONS**

## **DEADLINE FOR NOMINATION IS DECEMBER 1, 2017**

The **Faculty Award for Community-Based Learning and Scholarship** is presented annually to one or more full-time faculty members at Indiana State University who have made serving the community an integral part of their academic goals and activities. The purpose of the award is to honor and encourage faculty members who have given generously of their time and energy to the community, through *creation and promotion of community-based learning activities* and through *scholarship focused on community issues*. The award will be presented at the Faculty Recognition Banquet on Thursday, April 12, 2018.

### **Nomination**

- The nominee must be a full-time faculty member at Indiana State University during both academic terms of the previous calendar year (2017).
- The faculty member may be nominated by a member of the community or an Indiana State University faculty, student or staff member.
- The nomination must be received in **Parsons Hall, room 203** or **by email at [donna.isbell@indstate.edu](mailto:donna.isbell@indstate.edu)** by **December 1, 2017**.

### **Review**

- The nominee will be notified of her/his candidacy for the award. Nominees will then be asked to submit a list of faculty, community and student references and a dossier describing their recent service activity.
- Letters of support will be requested from the reference list provided by the nominee.
- The nominee should submit a dossier of community-based learning and scholarship to **Parsons Hall, room 203, by February 2, 2018**.

### **Award Criteria**

Nominees must provide evidence of exemplary community engagement in the form of teaching and scholarship during the period that they have served as an ISU faculty member. The strong candidate will demonstrate excellence in one or more of the following areas:

- *Service and/or community-based learning*: These include course-based experiences that promote learning through community service or through field analysis of community issues.
- *Scholarship of teaching* (as it relates to the above): Research that explores the effectiveness of community and service-based experiences.
- *Scholarship of Engagement*: Providing direct service to a nonprofit organization or K-12 school to assist in addressing a particular community issue.
- *Community-based research*. Research or creative works that investigate a particular community issue.

### **Selection**

A screening committee composed of faculty, student and community representatives will review nominations and select the award recipient(s).

**Faculty Award for Community-Based Learning and Scholarship  
Nomination Form**

**Please send nomination form to:**

**Donna Isbell  
Indiana State University  
University Engagement  
Parsons 203  
Terre Haute, IN 47809**

**Or by email to [donna.isbell@indstate.edu](mailto:donna.isbell@indstate.edu) or fax to 812-237-4292**

**Nominee:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Department:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Extension:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Statement of Support:**

*Explain why you feel this nominee should be honored as a faculty leader in service learning and community engagement. Please provide specific examples that attest to the nominee's personal qualities and civic and community service activities. You may attach a letter if necessary.*

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**Your name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Dept. (if applicable):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_