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Piedmont Community College Faculty Excellence Award Application funded by the PCC Foundation

Created to support PCC student, faculty, and staff, the Piedmont Community College Foundation is teaming up with the College's Office of Human Resources & Organizational Development to offer the Faculty and Staff Excellence Award program.

Information about the Faculty Excellence program and application is included here. These awards recognize excellence in the application of principles proven to promote student learning and success.

Available Awards

- \$3,000 Awards
 - Award winners will receive a \$1,500 cash award plus \$1,500 for discretionary program expenses
 - Eligible - Full-time faculty who have not received this award in the last two years
- 1,000 Awards
 - Award winners will receive \$500 in cash and \$500 for discretionary program expenses.
 - Eligible - Full-time faculty and curriculum part-time faculty will be eligible for the \$1,000 awards

Applications Are Due First Friday in July

All applications are due to the Office of Human Resources & Organizational Development by 4 p.m. on the first Friday in July via hand delivery, mail, or email. Faxed applications will not be accepted.

A Selection Committee designated by the Office of Human Resources & Organizational Development will choose award recipients and announce both Faculty and Staff Excellence recipients at the Fall Convocation in August. Recipients will also be considered for the State Board of Community Colleges award.

Application Information

Please develop a narrative, not to exceed seven pages (one page per criteria), addressing the criteria below. Note: nominations accepted from a supervisor, co-worker, or individual.

- 1) Interactions with students that focus on their successful development as whole persons.
- 2) Effective classroom environments that result in motivated students and successful learning.
- 3) Innovations in teaching methods including the effective use of technology.
- 4) Professional development activities and experiences that enhance teaching effectiveness.
- 5) Leadership roles beyond the classroom related to the practice and profession of teaching.
- 6) Past recognition and awards received as a faculty member.
- 7) Overall consistent and excellent job behaviors that exhibit unselfish devotion and significant contributions to students, college, and system success (exceeds normal expectations).

With your application, please include your current job description that includes your professional responsibilities. Supplemental material may include:

- Student/peer evaluations (no more than five)
- Letters of support (no more than five)