

ENGAGED SCHOLARSHIP RESEARCH AWARD

DEADLINE to be submitted via email: July 1st, 2011



Award Information

The Engaged Scholarship Research Award recognizes and honors one scholar for his/her outstanding research in the field of service-learning and engaged scholarship. Qualified research includes inquiry into the impact of the field of service-learning and engaged scholarship OR research utilizing community-based inquiry that results in a mutually beneficial exchange of knowledge and resources. All application packets (application form, professional summary, curriculum vitae, and research example) should be directly submitted via email to awards@floridacompact.org with the email subject line reading *Engaged Scholarship Research Award*. Two letters of recommendation, along with the two completed recommendation forms, should be directly submitted from the recommender via email to awards@floridacompact.org. **All application packets and letters of recommendation must be received by 5:00pm July 1st, 2011.** Applicants will receive an email confirming their packet has been received.

Engaged Scholarship Research Award applications will be reviewed with the following principles in mind:

- Value of the research to the broad field of service-learning and engaged scholarship
- Value of research to the applicant's discipline, program, or institution
- The extent to which the research tied to the applicant's area of expertise is of benefit to the external community, is visible and shared with community stakeholders, and reflects the mission of the institution
- Number and variety of publications and presentations
- Research rigor

Eligibility

- Either a faculty member, graduate student, or other individual who has conducted research in the field of service-learning or utilized engaged scholarship research methods within their own discipline.
- All applicants must be affiliated with a Florida Campus Compact member institution in good standing, and will be expected to participate in the Florida Campus Compact Awards Gala this fall.

Requirements

1. A completed **application form**.
2. A **professional summary** addressing all research, including the scholarship of engagement, community-based research, and/or the pedagogy of service-learning (research on the impact of service-learning on students/campuses/communities, etc). List other related efforts to advance the field. ****Professional Summary should be a maximum of 3-5 pages, Times font, 12 point, and double-spaced. Photographs may also be included.**
3. **Two letters of recommendation (with two completed recommendation forms)**, from a campus administrator, faculty member, student, or community representative who is familiar with your service-learning research.
4. **Curriculum Vitae** (please include all service-learning/engaged scholarship related activities).
5. **One research example** that best illustrates the quality of your work.

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Application Form

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Nominee: _____

Title: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

University/College: _____

Department/Discipline: _____

Expectations

By submitting this application, I hereby agree to provide a headshot photograph if selected, and consent to having my photo and abstract(s) of my research posted on the Florida Campus Compact website. I hereby authorize and consent to the forwarding and review of this information to the selection committee. I understand that my information will be reviewed by authorized members of the selection committee in evaluating me for the Engaged Scholarship Research Award.

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Recommendation Form**

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Nominee: _____

Recommender's Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Title: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Letter of Recommendation

Please attach your letter of recommendation explaining why you believe the applicant deserves to be recognized for his or her research in the field of service-learning.

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