Bill and June Flatt Outstanding Faculty Research Award

Purpose
To recognize excellence and to encourage continuing high productivity in faculty research in the College of Family and Consumer Sciences.

Eligibility
One award will be given to a tenured faculty member.
Past recipients of the award are not eligible for re-nomination.

Nominations
Each department and unit of the College is eligible to nominate one person for the Bill and June Flatt Outstanding Faculty Research Award selected by a designated peer faculty review committee at the unit level. The nominations are to be made through the following departments or units:

- Financial Planning, Housing and Consumer Economics
- Nutritional Sciences
- Human Development and Family Science
- Textiles, Merchandising and Interiors
- Institute for Human Development and Disability

How to nominate
Each department or unit may submit the dossier of one nominee selected by a committee at the department or unit level.

The nominations for the College shall consist of:

1. One (1) letter of nomination detailing the nominee’s outstanding achievements in the areas of research. The nomination letter should specifically address how the individual’s work relates to each of the award criteria listed below.
2. One (1) letter of support. This letter should be from a peer or colleague researcher. The letter of support should specifically address how the individual’s work relates to each of the award criteria listed below.
3. Updated curriculum vitae.

Nominations can roll over for up to three (3) years. The department/unit must email facsdean@uga.edu by the award deadline each year to confirm if a nomination is being
rolled forward for consideration. Letters of support do not have to be up-dated yearly. It is at the department/unit’s discretion to replace letters of support.

The recipient will be recognized at the Spring College Assembly with a plaque and shall receive a cash award.

Criteria

1. Recognition of outstanding body of nationally and internationally recognized research by peers in the discipline and as evidenced by support letters.
2. Original contributions to knowledge and potential for significant new creativity in the theoretical or applied sectors of the discipline.
3. High level of research productivity as evidenced by publications, grants, and mentoring of graduate students.
4. Application of research scholarship in the field, including new applications developed and tested; new or enhanced systems and procedures demonstrated or evaluated for government agencies, professional and industrial associations, or educational institutions.
5. Positive contribution to college and/or campus-wide excellence in research.

Deadline

January 30, 5:00 p.m.