
OUTSTANDING INITIATIVES AWARDS

AUTHORITY President

PRIMARY CONTACT

RELATED POLICIES

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The University of the Fraser Valley will present the Outstanding Initiatives Awards annually at the June Awards Ceremony to groups or individuals within the university, which have made an extraordinary contribution to advance the mission of the university in the community.

PROCEDURES/GUIDELINES

1. The awards are given for specific projects or achievements that do not fall within the individual's or group's normal job responsibilities.
2. Nominations may be made and seconded in writing to the President by any two UFV employees, Board of Governors members or members of the community. Nominations should include a statement for the reasons for the nomination.
3. The award(s) will take the form of a certificate publicly presented at the Annual Awards Ceremony.
4. Names of award recipients and the reasons for the award will be prominently displayed on each university campus.
5. The Senate shall act as a screening committee for all nominations and shall pass on its recommendations through the President to the Board of Governors, which shall make the final decision on award-winners.
6. Award-winning projects must meet all of the following criteria:
 - a) The initiative must have made a significant positive impact on the mission of the university.
 - b) The initiative must be started and/or implemented by an employee or employees or by a student or students of the university.
 - c) The initiative must be outside the scope of what might normally be expected as part of an employee's or group's job description.
 - d) The initiative must have taken place at least partially during the immediately preceding twelve month period.

Reference: The Board policy on Development and Review of Administrative Policies (BRP-220.06) empowers the President to create and revise policies and procedures consistent with Policy Directions of the Board. This policy is guided by Board policy direction Board and Senate Relationships (BPD-235).