Music Newsletter - Winter Qtr. Week 4

Music Department Mon 1/25/2021 8:00 AM To: INTEGRATED COMPOSITION, IMPROVISATION, &TECHNOLOGY-All Students, MUSIC - PERFORMANCE-All Students, MUSIC-All Students, Sender Custom Email List <zotmail@uci.edu> Dear UCI Music students,

We hope your Week 4 is off to a good start!

Below we are sharing the Vice Provost's call for nominations for the 28th Annual Celebration of Teaching Awards, recognizing individuals for excellence in undergraduate teaching. We understand this has been a year like no other, and that there may have been Music faculty and/or graduate students who have went above and beyond in their classes. Students are welcome to nominate directly via the link (https://dtei.uci.edu/2021-celebration-of-teaching-awards-nomination/) or to forward supporting rationale for any Music faculty nominations to the Music MSO, Peter Chang, at pechang@uci.edu, to submit on your behalf.

The full descriptions of the awards are below. Please note that nominations are due by <u>midnight</u>, <u>Friday</u>, January 29th, 2021.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask!

Thank you,

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Office of the Vice Provost for Teaching and Learning

Dear Colleagues,

The campus community is invited to nominate individuals to be recognized for excellence in undergraduate teaching. The descriptions and eligibility of the awards are below as well as a link to submit your nomination.

Nominators are asked to submit the name of the person being nominated as well as a brief reason for the nomination. Faculty, staff, and students are all welcome to submit nominations. Self-nominations are also welcomed. Once nominations are closed, all nominees will be invited to apply for the award. Nominations for Dean's Honorees will be solicited directly from each School.

Nominations are due by midnight, Friday, January 29th, 2021.

All award winners will be honored at the 28th Annual Celebration of Teaching in a virtual ceremony in April.

Dr. De Gallow Professor of the Year – Open to all Senate faculty members Recognizes a faculty member who excels in teaching though the use of particular methods, tools, or materials that positively impact students

Lecturer of the Year - Open to all full or part-time lecturers

Recognizes a lecturer who excels in teaching though the use of particular methods, tools, or materials that positively impact students

Excellence in Digital Learning Award – Open to faculty of all ranks Recognizes an instructor who utilizes innovative and effective uses of instructional technology and/or online teaching practices

Excellence in Pedagogical Development Award – Open to faculty of all ranks

Recognizes an instructor who has spent considerable time and effort engaging in various pedagogical development opportunities. This could include personal pedagogical development, mentoring graduate students in pedagogy, or providing pedagogical development opportunities to colleagues or departments.

The Learning Experience Design and Online Teaching Award – Open to faculty of all ranks

Recognizes an instructor who has devoted tremendous effort in designing an online learning space with digital active learning activities to enhance the student learning experience. This could include faculty who are creatively using the Learning Management System (e.g., Canvas) and various external learning tools to deliver an interactive hybrid, flipped, or online course.

Most Promising Future Faculty Award – Open to all graduate students

Recognizes graduate students (3 awards available) who show great promise through their effectiveness as an instructor/TA, their research, and their service to the department, university, profession, or community. Nominees must have advanced to candidacy.

Submit Your Nomination -https://dtei.uci.edu/2021-celebration-of-teaching-

awards-nomination/

Please contact Andrea Aebersold, Director of Faculty Instructional Development (<u>andrea.aebersold@uci.edu</u>) with any questions, and we look forward to receiving your nominations.

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