



Individual and Presidential Awards Selection Committee Meeting
Thursday, June 8, 2017
10:00 am – 11:00 am
Founders Hall Chapel

Present: Suzanne Sims, Jerrie Smith, Steve Clark, Mike Essary, Jackie Smith, Glynice Crow, Saralyn Mitchell, Crystal Creekmore

Absent: None

- Each of the nominees was discussed by the committee. Strengths and concerns about the nominations were discussed.
- Suzanne will send the committee's recommendation to Mike McCoy toward the end of the week.
- Two committee members abstained from voting on nominees for which they had written a letter of support.
- The committee was reminded that these Guidelines are scheduled for review and will likely be revised.
 - Items discussed as possible revisions:
 - Can the committee change a Presidential nomination to an Individual Meritorious Award at their discretion?
 - In the remarks that are shared when the winners are recognized, could the President announce why the award was won? (This might already be a practice.)
 - Could the criteria for the relationship between the nominator and the nominee be addressed? (specifically, the minimum length of time that a nominee has worked for a nominating supervisor)
 - Has the University considered separate recognitions for Administration/Faculty/Staff?
- The nominations had overall support from the committee.
 - Individual Award – 3
 - Presidential Award - 3