

PROVOST'S AWARDS FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Award Guidelines — Excellence in Internationalizing the Campus

General

This award was created to recognize individuals who have truly excelled in internationalizing the campus. Internationalizing the campus is defined as international linkages through connections such as, but not limited to, study abroad by U.S. students, teaching and working abroad, study by international students and scholars in the United States.

Philosophy

One (1) page maximum describing your philosophy about internationalizing the campus, submitted as a separate document. This should be followed by the contributions made in delivering on this philosophy.

Narrative

(It is not required to address each of the elements outlined below.)

- Interest in and enthusiasm for incorporating global perspectives into one's disciplinary courses and for promoting student understanding of these perspectives
- Ability to arouse curiosity and to stimulate independent learning and the development of critical thinking in relation to international issues
- Ability to present international issues cogently and imaginatively
- Development of appropriate methods in assessing student learning in the area of international education
- Ability to assist students in participating in and achieving success in their international courses
- Command of the subject matter, including recent developments in international studies
- Sustained meritorious service rendered to the Department, College, or University, in raising awareness regarding international issues.
- Sustained meritorious input in raising student/faculty/staff awareness relating to international issues (e.g., workshops, content enhancement, curriculum transformation)
- Facilitation of international alliances at the University/College/Department levels
- Service activities on a global scale that include, but are not limited to, professional appearances, performances, consulting, serving on committees, participating in recruitment and placement of students, and serving to further the interests of a professional organization related to the individual's area of professional expertise
- Participation in professional activities and research related to international issues
- Contributions in curriculum enhancements in the area of international education
- Contributions in facilitating and enhancing WIU's international students' experiences
- Receipt of major international grant(s)
- Contributions to enhancing the University image on a global basis
- Participation in other relevant activities not addressed by the guidelines stated above