

TO: City College Faculty and Students

FROM: The Outstanding Teaching Award and Mentoring Award Committee

TOPIC: Nominations for the 2007 Outstanding Teaching Award

DATE: February 1, 2007

We are pleased, once again, to seek nominations for the City College Outstanding Teaching Award. The Outstanding Teaching Award is one of the public ways in which the excellence of the City College faculty is celebrated. The Committee hopes that you will take an active part in this process by alerting your colleagues and encouraging their participation. The criteria that should be considered as you make your nominations are listed below.

The names of all award recipients are recorded on a permanent display in the Rotunda of the North Academic Center.

Nomination procedures are as follows:

1. Nominations are made through Faculty/Student Petition (see attached). A petition requires a minimum of **6** signatures of which at least **3** must be full-time City College faculty. **ONE FACULTY MEMBER MUST IDENTIFY HIMSELF/HERSELF AS THE NOMINATOR.** Please submit petitions to the Provost's Office (A-218) by 5 p.m. on March 15, 2007.
2. The **NOMINATOR** will be requested to provide updated curriculum vitae and appropriate documentation including a list of courses taught in the last five years by 5 p.m. on April 18, 2007 for the nominee. (Guidelines for supporting evidence will be provided.)
3. The Outstanding Teaching Award Committee will deliberate and recommend one or more recipients to the President.

CRITERIA considered for THE OUTSTANDING TEACHING AWARD have included:

1. Outstanding teaching quality as acknowledged by peers, and current and past students.
2. A significant positive impact on students.
3. The development of innovative and successful teaching methods or techniques, new course initiations, and/or major course revisions.
4. Availability to and support for students beyond regular classroom contact including mentoring relationships with students.
5. The development of quality textbooks, manuals and support materials.
6. Demonstrated versatility over a wide range of levels and subjects.
7. Successful teaching beyond City College (including academic, professional, civic and governmental arenas).

Members of the 2006-2007 Outstanding Teaching/Mentoring Award Committee:

Dean Joseph Barba

Provost Zeev Dagan

Professor Angel Estevez, Foreign Languages and Literatures (2005)

Professor Catherine Fosnot, Childhood Education (2005)

Ms. Leslie Galman (staff)

Professor Glen Milstein, Psychology (2004)

Professor Nickolas Pappas, Philosophy (2006)

Professor Jonathan Pieslak, Music (2006)

Dean Fred Reynolds

Dean Brett Silverstein

Professor Richard Steinberg, Secondary Education (2004)

Dean Maria Tamargo

Professor Umit Uyar, Electrical Engineering (2004)

NOMINATION FOR 2007 OUTSTANDING TEACHING AWARD

Nominee: _____

Nominator: _____
NAME (Please print and sign) DEPARTMENT

A minimum of SIX endorsements including a minimum of three from faculty is required.

Faculty Nominators

NAME	SIGNATURE	DEPARTMENT

Student Nominators

**PLEASE COPY AND ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF
NECESSARY**