



DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE SUPERVISOR NOMINATION PACKAGE

Nominee Information:

Name of Nominee(s)	
Department or Unit:	
Nominee(s) Work Number:	
Nominees(s) Email:	
Academic Rank:	
Start year as a supervisor:	

NOMINEE(S) SIGNATURE

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Indicating agreement to be nominated, have name published and able to attend fall convocation for award presentation.

Nominator Information:

Nominator Name(s):	
Department or Unit:	
Nominator(s) Work Number:	
Nominator(s) Email:	

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: May 31st (annually)

Return package and all supporting documentation electronically to:
College of Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies, Attn: Selection Committee
by email to cgps.ea@usask.ca



Award Information:

The University of Saskatchewan recognizes that working with graduate students is one of its primary functions and, accordingly, it expects its faculty members to strive towards excellence in this activity. An atmosphere in which excellence in graduate student supervision is not only encouraged but also acknowledged in a tangible and visible manner. As one step toward achieving this end, the Distinguished Graduate Supervisor Award was established.

Eligibility:

All members of the faculty of the College of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies are eligible for the award. 'Supervision' will be interpreted broadly to include supervision of artistic works and of written works such as projects, theses and dissertations.

Who Can Nominate:

Students, alumni, faculty, departments or colleges may make nominations.

Criteria:

The adjudication committee comprising of the Dean of the Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies, the Director of the Gwenna Moss Teaching and Learning Centre, three past recipients of the award, and a representative from the Graduate Student Association rank all nominations that display evidence of the following:

- 1) Superior supervisory and mentoring ability including the ability to interest, stimulate and excite students and to motivate them to achieve high standards.
- 2) Demonstrated excellence in scholarship undertaken with students which would include a record of encouraging and aiding students to present their material at conferences and to publish their scholarly work or display/perform their artistic work in suitable outlets.
- 3) External scholarships or awards earned by graduate students on the basis of work completed under the direction of the supervisor
- 4) Employment successes of former students attributable, at least in part to, the supervision provided by the nominee.
- 5) Other elements that the nominator considers important to contributing to a positive learning/research environment for graduate students.

What to include in the Nomination Package:

- Nomination cover page (page 1 of this package)
- Nominator support template (pages 3-5 of this package)
- Supporting letters from previous students (max 6)
- Supporting letters from colleagues (max 2)
- Nominee's abbreviated CV

Please do not exceed 50 pages



Nomination Support Template

_____ has reputation, among students and colleagues, for superior supervisory and mentoring ability including the ability to interest, stimulate and excite students and to motivate them to achieve high standards.

Demonstrated examples:

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.



Current Graduate Student Statistics:

	Masters Supervision		PhD Supervision	
	ongoing	completed	ongoing	completed
sole supervisor				
co-supervisor				

**Insert # of students in each category*

Co-authored with students:

Referred journals	Conference papers	Book chapters	Patents	Performances

**Insert # of each by category*

Awards/Recognition

Award Name	Value	Award Name	Value

**insert name/value – if more room is needed use an additional page*

Additional Comments



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Nominee's Graduate Student Teaching Philosophy (optional)