



FEDERAL UNIVERSITY WUKARI

DISTINGUISHED TEACHING AWARD

1.0 INTRODUCTION

The University Management recently introduced the Federal University Wukari Distinguished Teaching Award for Academic Staff who distinguished themselves in teaching and learning. The objective of this award is to motivate our lecturers to become better teachers so as to improve outcomes for our learners and students. The criteria for the Award and the Award Assessment form are attached to aid in the selection process.

2.0 AIMS OF THE TEACHING AWARDS ARE:

To;

- Offer a platform for recognising excellence in teaching and learning at Federal University Wukari
- Celebrate excellence in teaching and learning in the University
- Identify best and/or innovative practices in teaching that can be replicated across all Faculties and departments

It is expected that this award will offer a vehicle through which individual lecturers can build a profile of excellence in teaching and learning at Federal University Wukari.

3.0 ELIGIBILITY

The Nominee must:

- be a permanent staff of Federal University Wukari
- have primary responsibility for a course in his/her Department
- have taught at least three (3) courses in the academic session under review
- have no adverse report within the academic session under review

4.0 CRITERIA FOR THE FUWDISTINGUISHED TEACHING AWARD

The following criteria will be used in the selection process.

4.1 Criteria 1: The Nominee must have developed his/her own courses in the Department he/she is teaching

4.2 Criteria 2: The Nominee must have developed the curriculum in his/her Department, and he/she has been involved in mentorship of younger colleagues

4.3 Criteria 3: The Nominee must submit a personal Teaching Philosophy

4.4 Criteria 4: Assessment of Nominee Teaching as observed by colleagues (only for Finalists in the Award) – Not applicable for Departmental and Faculty Assessment

4.5 Criteria 5: Nomineeteaching Portfolio with emphasis on:

- Evidence of Scholarly work or Publication related to teaching
- Evidence of Marking Scheme of aspects of courses taught by the Nominee
- Evidence of Continuous Assessment conducted on students

4.6 Criteria 6: Student Assessment of Teaching(via administration of questionnaires to Students)

5.0 APPLICATION PROCESS

- Step 1: Each Department, after a thorough screening of candidates based on criteria listed above, will present one Departmental Nominee to the Faculty Committee for the next stage of the exercise.
- Step 2: Upon receipt of all the Nominees of the Departments in the Faculty, the Faculty Committee will subject the candidates to screening using the aforementioned criteria. Only one candidate will emerge from each Faculty for the FUW Distinguished Teaching Award.
- Step 3: All Nominees from the different Faculties are forwarded to the University-wide Distinguished Teaching Award Committee who will select the Winner and two Runners up.

NB: Details of scores of all candidates screened must be forwarded to the Faculty and the FUW Distinguished Teaching Awards Committee.



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Name of Nominee:

Department:

Faculty:

TEACHING AWARD ASSESSMENT SUMMARY –FINAL SCORING SHEET

S/No.	Criteria for the Distinguished Teaching Award	Maximum Mark Available	Score Obtained
1	The Nominee must have developed his/her own courses in the Department he/she is teaching	10	
2	The Nominee must have developed the curriculum in his/her Department, and he/she has been involved in mentorship of younger colleagues	10	
3	The Nominee must submit a personal Teaching Philosophy	10	
4	Assessment of Nominee Teaching as observed by colleagues	20	
5	Nominee teaching Portfolio with emphasis on:		
	• Evidence of Scholarly work or Publication related to teaching	10	
	• Evidence of Marking Scheme of aspects of courses taught by the Nominee	10	
	• Evidence of Continuous Assessment conducted on the students	10	
6	Student Assessment of Teaching	20	
Total Score available = 100			% Mark scored =

Date of Assessment: -----

1. Name and Signature of Departmental Screening Committee Chairman

2. Name and Signature of Faculty Screening Committee Chairman

3. Name and Signature of University Screening Committee Chairman
