The Writing Across the Curriculum Committee announces the

Writing Across the Curriculum Excellence Award And Writing Across the Curriculum Excellence Award For Innovation in a Writing-centered Class

Statement of Purpose

The WAC Excellence Awards recognize excellence in the use of writing in the classroom to facilitate student learning.

Guidelines:

- Any full-time or part-time faculty member from any discipline who has not won the award in the last three years is eligible to apply.
- Applicants may submit descriptions of any kind of student writing assignments that
 encourage learning. Types of writing assignments can include, for example, informal
 assignments, formal assignments, writing-to-learn assignments, writing projects in
 the discipline, or projects combining technology and student writing.
- Interested faculty members should submit a completed application form and its accompanying materials to LeighAnne Locke, Writing Across the Curriculum, Computing & Math Department, GC 1E17.
- The deadline for applications is Friday, April 21, 2017.
- Winners will be selected by the Writing Across the Curriculum Committee on the basis of the effective design and implementation of student writing assignments that develop students' abilities to think critically and write well. Winners will be notified by the end of May 2017.
- Each winner will be awarded a \$500.00 cash prize.

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