

UB Exceptional Scholar Award FAQ

Awards: Sustained Achievement Award = SA
Young Investigator Award = YI

SA Eligibility:

- Nominee must be a tenured senior faculty.

SA Criteria:

- Work must have garnered above the norm accolades.
- Award is for a body of work completed over a number of years, however, not a lifetime achievement award(see ESA guidelines for details).

YI Eligibility:

- Nominee must be an untenured or tenure-track faculty.
- Nominee must have received terminal degree within the past 8 years.

YI Criteria:

- Work must have garnered above the norm accolades.
- Award could be for a single scholarship piece or sustained scholarship over a 2-3 year period (see ESA guidelines for details).

Restrictions:

- Faculty may only receive one YI award.
- If faculty holds Distinguished rank, ineligible for SA award.
- Nomination process is confidential.

Submission requirements:

Dossiers must include all items in the following order:

- detailed Dean's Letter of Recommendation
- Candidate's current CV
- External letters optional, but strongly encouraged

Deadline: March 15

Submission: PDF nomination submitted via UBbox with email notification to facultyaffairs@buffalo.edu + 1 hard copy mailed/delivered to OFA