



College of Agriculture, Food and Environment

Office of Diversity

UK CAFE Empowerment Awards Nomination

These six awards were established to honor College of Agriculture, Food and Environment students, staff, faculty, and alumni who have contributed to the empowerment of women, including educating women on overcoming gender barriers and championing diversity and inclusion on campus and in the community.

Extension Empowerment Award—open to staff and faculty

Research Empowerment Award—open to staff and faculty

Instruction Empowerment Award—open to staff and faculty

Alumni Legacy Award—open to CAFE and HES alumni

Community Empowerment Award—open to community partners and leaders

Passing the Torch Student Award—open to undergraduate and graduate students

Eligibility

Faculty and staff candidates must have been employed full time in CAFE for at least 36 continuous months at the time of nomination. Temporary and part-time (less than .75 FTE) and contractual employees may not be nominated.

Student nominees must be currently enrolled.

Candidates may be nominated for more than one award, but no candidate will receive more than one award.

Candidates may be nominated as individuals or as a group. For group nominations, fill out one form per person and identify each person as part of the group.

Alumni must be graduates of a degree program in CAFE or the former College of Human Environmental Sciences.

Submit the completed form attached to email to Natasha Saunders, Natasha.saunders@uky.edu

or

mail or deliver to Natasha Saunders

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Lexington, KY 40546-0276

or

FAX: 859-323-1913

Deadline: September 16, 2016

Nomination Form

Please limit your narrative statements to the space allocated on this form and please do not attach additional paperwork.

Nominee's name: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Choose Award Category:

- Extension Empowerment Award—open to staff and faculty**
- Research Empowerment Award—open to staff and faculty**
- Instruction Empowerment Award—open to staff and faculty**
- Alumni Legacy Award—open to CAFE and HES alumni**
- Community Empowerment Award—open to community partners and leaders and CAFE retirees**
- Passing the Torch Student Award—open to undergraduate and graduate students**

If nominee is staff or faculty:

Position at UK/Title:

Department:

If nominee is an alumnus:

Current Position:

UK CAFE Affiliation (e.g., degree earned, position held):

If nominee is community partner/leader: List current community position, activism, volunteer positions (400 characters):

How has the nominee served as a role model and/or mentor to others (1000 characters)?

Describe the nominee's contributions to University of Kentucky College of Agriculture, Food and Environment's students, the University, or the community in the areas of empowerment of women, including educating women on overcoming gender barriers and championing diversity and inclusion (1000 characters):

How does the nominee work for empowerment, breaking down gender barriers, and championing diversity and inclusiveness within the context of extension, instruction, research, the student community, or community engagement (1000 characters)?

Describe the nominee's achievements in empowering others, breaking down gender barriers, and championing inclusivity and diversity (1000 characters):

Nominator's Name: _____ **Email:** _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

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