



**Campus Compact**  
Mid-Atlantic

## **EARLY CAREER ENGAGED SCHOLARSHIP AWARD**

**DEADLINE to be submitted via email: September 23, 2021**

### **Award Information**

The Early Career Engaged Scholarship Award recognizes outstanding research and scholarly contributions to the field of service-learning. **All application/nomination packets and letters of recommendation must be received by 5:00 pm, September 23, 2021.** Applicants/nominees will receive an email confirming their packet has been received.

Early Career Engaged Scholarship Award nominations will be judged based on the following questions:

Is the applicant's research innovative or cutting edge? Does it advance the field and if yes, how? Does it fill a particular gap missing from current research, or does it fill a new niche with new information needed in the field? Can it be demonstrated how the work has influenced other research, or applied in practice? (I.e. has it been widely circulated and read? Utilized by practitioners or others?) Does it provide new data necessary to increase the sustainability and visibility of service-learning?

The award will be given to an individual who is within the first ten years of teaching in higher education. new to service-learning for scholarship in the field, and applicants/nominees will be selected based on both the quality and breadth of their work.

### **Eligibility**

- Either a faculty member, graduate student, or other individual who has conducted research in the field of service-learning.
- All applicants/nominees must be employed at a Campus Compact Mid-Atlantic member institution in good standing.

### **Requirements**

1. A completed application/nomination form.
2. A professional summary addressing all research, including the scholarship of engagement, community-based research, and/or the pedagogy of service-learning (research on the impact of service-learning on students/campuses/communities, etc.). List other related efforts to advance the field.
3. Two letters of recommendation (with two completed recommendation forms), from a campus administrator, faculty member, student, or community representative who is familiar with the applicant/nominee's research on service-learning.
4. Curriculum Vitae (Please include all service-learning related work and/or publications).
5. One research example that best illustrates the quality of the applicant's work.
6. Application Instructions
7. Professional Summary and recommendation letters should be a maximum of 3 pages, and 11-point Calibri font. Photographs may also be included.

Compile application/nomination form, professional summary, completed recommendation forms and recommendations, research example and CV into ONE DOCUMENT, either Word or pdf.

Attach this document to an email with the subject: Early Career Engaged Scholarship: NAME OF NOMINEE IN ALL CAPS. Send to [awards@ccmidatlantic.org](mailto:awards@ccmidatlantic.org) by 5:00 pm, September 23, 2021.

For questions, please contact us at [awards@ccmidatlantic.org](mailto:awards@ccmidatlantic.org) or 301-696-3280.



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**Application/Nomination Form**

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Recommendation Form**

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Applicant/Nominee's Last Name	First Name		
Recommender's Last Name	First Name		
Recommender's Title	Recommender's Email		
Recommender's Phone	Fax		
Campus/Organization Address	City	State	Zip

**Letter of Recommendation**

Please include this form with your letter of recommendation explaining why you believe the applicant/nominee deserves to be recognized for their research in the field of service-learning.

Note to Recommender: This award will recognize the most outstanding scholar in the Maryland-DC-Delaware region for their exemplary research in the field of service-learning. Therefore, please carefully consider the selection criteria relative to the expertise and contributions of the applicant/nominee.

**Please include this form and a one-page, 11-point font Calibri letter of recommendation within the full nomination packet to [awards@ccmidatlantic.org](mailto:awards@ccmidatlantic.org) with the email subject line reading *Early Career Engaged Scholarship: NAME OF NOMINEE*, by 5:00 pm, September 23, 2021.**

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