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AWARD	TARGETED GROUP	QUICK REFERENCE CATEGORY	NOMINATOR	REQUIRED DOCUMENTS AND PAGE LIMITS
WVU Foundation Awards for Outstanding Teaching (up to six awards of \$5,000 for professional development)	All active faculty at any rank who currently teach	Distinguished Teaching and/or exceptional innovation in teaching methods, course and curriculum design, and instructional tools	Each college/school is responsible for nominating individuals	Cover sheet (1) Table of Contents (1) Summary Statement (5) Supporting Docs (20) Abridged Vitae (5)  32 pages
Caperton Award for Excellence in the Teaching of Writing (\$5000 in professional support)	Tenured faculty from any discipline	Teaching Writing- those who exhibit dedication and proficiency in teaching of writing of undergraduate or graduate students	Faculty member	Narrative (2) Supporting Docs (5) Abridged Vitae (5)  12 pages
Digital Learning Awards (\$500)	WVU Employees-Four categories a. Faculty, instructors, adjuncts (up to 4 awards) b. GTAs (up to 4 awards) c. Pre-School to high school, college, and the workforce (up to 4 awards) d. Selection Committee's choice	Excellence in teaching using innovative digital activities/programs	Faculty member	Summary of Teaching (2) Relevant syllabi (6) Optional (4)  12 pages
Benedum Distinguished Scholar Awards (up to four each year) \$5,000 in professional support	All faculty member holding a continuing appointment, at any rank, including those in administrative positions	Distinction/Excellence in Research, Scholarship, or Creative Activity	Nominator (can be outside WVU)	Disciplinary area (1) Two one-page reference letters (2) Narrative (2) Abridged vitae (5) List of referees (1) 12 pages

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Big XII Faculty Colleagues (up to 2 each year, four reserved for STEM education) up to \$2,500 to support the visit	Full-time tenured and tenure-track faculty on the Morgantown campus. Applications by non-tenurable faculty considered on case-by-case basis	Scholarly, creative, research, collaborations with Big 12 Colleagues	Faculty member	Cover form (1) Abridged Vitae (5) Description (1) Support letters (3) Budget (1)  11 pages
Ethel and Gerry Heebink award for Distinguished State Service \$3,000 and \$2,000 in professional development funds	Faculty or staff member who has provided distinguished service to WV for an extended time of at least eight years (\$3,000) and for a less extended time (\$2,000)	Service to WV	Nominated	Nomination form (1) Statement (4) Letters (6) Abridged vitae (5)  16 pages
James and Karen Caveney Alumni Association Faculty Excellence Award (5,000)	All faculty with continuing appointments at or above the rank of assistant professor or the equivalent including those in administrative positions  Good moral reputation and community standing	Excellence across research and acquiring of grants, teaching and innovation in instruction, and service to people of WV	Dean's office of each college/school is responsible for nominating	Cover (1) Table of contents (1) Summary (4) Abridge vitae (5) Research docs (5) Teaching Docs (10) Service Docs (4)  30 pages