The UNLV Office of Community Engagement seeks to support, facilitate, and promote collaboration, partnership, and engagement between the university and its many constituent groups.

In support of its mission, the Office of Community Engagement is calling for nominations for a Community-Based Research Faculty Award. This award is given annually to one faculty member who has conducted community-based research. Recipients receive a monetary award of $2,000.

To be eligible for this award:

- The applicant must be an academic or research faculty member with more than one year of employment at the university at the time of application.
- The applicant must not have received the award in the last three years.
- The community-based research project must have:
  - Started within the past 24 months;
  - Been designed as a community-based research project;
  - Addressed a need identified or developed in partnership with a community partner, (nonprofit, government agency, organization, and/or business); and
  - Demonstrated a reciprocal benefit between UNLV and the community partner.
- The applicant’s activity/project must reflect UNLV’s commitment to community engagement in a measurable way and must align with the Top Tier Community Partnerships Strategic Plan:
  - Community support for student opportunities;
  - Engage with the community to support economic development;
  - Invite the community to advance development and fundraising;
  - Engage with partners to help build intellectual and cultural vitality in the community;
  - Build relationships through and invite support of athletics;
  - Encourage and facilitate greater community engagement; and/or
  - Help solve community problems.

Apply for the Community-Based Research Faculty Award online through the Office of Community Engagement Community-Based Research Faculty Award portal.