



Date: May 25, 2020.

To: UNLV Campus Community

From: Kate Korgan, Graduate College Dean

Re: **CALL FOR NOMINATIONS– 2021 Nevada Regents' Scholar Award – Graduate Students**

The Graduate College is pleased to announce the opening of the nomination period for the 2021 Nevada Regents' Scholar Awards - Graduate Students. **Nominations, including the completed application packet and materials supporting the nomination, are invited through 5:00 p.m., Monday October 5th, 2020 and must be sent via email to GradAssociateDean@unlv.edu with the Subject Heading: Regents' Grad Scholar Award 2021.** This award, which carries with it a \$5,000 cash stipend, will be awarded to one graduate student. Your assistance in identifying nominees would be greatly appreciated.

Awards are to be based upon distinguished academic accomplishments, leadership ability, and service contributions while a registered NSHE student, as well as for the recipient's potential for continued success. All nominations must be submitted in writing on behalf of the student. The eligibility requirements and instructions for the nominator and nominee are on the required nomination form found at: <http://www.unlv.edu/provost/awards-recognition>

I. ELIGIBILITY

- A. Graduate student nominees must be currently enrolled in no fewer than six (6) graduate credits in the semester in which they are nominated and must have been accepted to graduate standing by the time the award is granted.
- B. Leadership and service accomplishments must have occurred while the nominee is a registered NSHE student.
- C. Nominations must be submitted by an academic or administrative faculty member.

II. NOMINATIONS

Each nomination must contain the following information **only**:

- C. Formal letter of nomination from an NSHE employee (academic or administrative faculty) that demonstrates the nominees' academic and leadership abilities;
- B. NSHE Nomination Form; and
- C. Materials from the nominee as detailed on the nomination form.

The recipient of this award will be notified by spring 2021 and recognized at the campus ceremony typically held in April. Please share this memorandum with faculty and encourage them to identify worthy nominees. If you have any questions about the Regents' Scholar Awards – Graduate Student, please contact GradAssociateDean@unlv.edu.

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