## Early Career Excellence in Teaching Award

Qualifications and required materials:

- 1) All members of the faculty and teaching academic staff who have taught courses at UW-Parkside for less than five academic years are eligible to receive this award. Nominees with at least five years of teaching experience at UW-Parkside are eligible for the Stella Gray teaching award.
- 2) Nominees are responsible for providing the supporting documentation for their nominations, with the exception of the student nomination itself. Nominations shall come only from students and shall be solicited in both the fall and spring semester. All students (e.g. undergraduate, graduate, flex, part-time/full-time) can nominate instructors/faculty.
- 3) The primary source of information about nominees' teaching shall come from student course evaluations, student nomination form, and letters of support. Nominees should submit any combination of evidence of teaching excellence through letters of support or course evaluations.
- 4) Nominees should also submit supporting documentation in the form of syllabi from two courses and a brief statement outlining their philosophy of teaching and learning and highlighting recent efforts at course development or teaching improvement.
- 5) Nominees will be evaluated and an awardee will be chosen in the spring semester for the academic year.