**Outstanding
Professional Services Award**

The Outstanding Professional Services Award honors a member of the School of Allied Health Professions for their remarkable achievements in service to their profession outside of LSUHSC. This annual award recognizes a faculty member who has made significant contributions or held leadership positions that support their department and the school’s mission through professional organizations or community initiatives. The award recognizes sustained excellence with a record of substantial external service in local, state, regional, national, or international communities either in professional disciplinary endeavors or in the multiple forms that community engagement can take (including teaching and scholarship); or a combination of external service and leadership in professional and community settings.

**Purpose:** The Outstanding Professional Services Award is presented annually to a faculty member who provides outstanding service to their profession and services as a role model to others by exemplifying our mission to provide health care education, research, patient care and community outreach of the highest quality throughout the State of Louisiana.

**Eligibility:** Any full-time SAHP faculty member that demonstrates a significant contribution to the community through their professional service and/or community engagement activities at a local, state, regional, national, and/or international level. A previous recipient of this award is not eligible for the same award in consecutive years of service.

**Process:** Any faculty member may self-nominate or be nominated by a faculty colleague or department chair. Recipients will be selected based on evidence provided by completion of the nomination eligibility criteria form and by providing an updated annual CV of the nominee. Nomination forms may be found at [School of Allied Health Professions - LSU Health New Orleans (lsuhsc.edu)](https://alliedhealth.lsuhsc.edu/Admin/FAAnnualAwards.aspx), downloaded, and submitted to Laura Stazio, SAHP FA Secretary, lstazi@lsuhsc.edu, via email attachment with the nominee’s CV.

**Award:** The award will be announced and presented during the SAHP Faculty Meeting on Tuesday April 4, 2023 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the HDC Chancellor’s Dining room (335).

**Deadline:** All nominations will be accepted starting February 16, 2023 and must be received by March 17, 2023. There will be no exceptions.

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**Nominee’s Name:**

**Nominee’s Department:**

**Nominator’s Name:**

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**Please answer ATLEAST ONE the following questions to describe why the nominee is deserving of the outstanding professional services award.**

1. Provide an example showing how the nominee participates in professional services at a local, state, regional, national, and/or international level including any leadership positions within these services or organizations. (i.e. President of Organization, Chair of Committee, Task Force Member)
2. Describe how the nominee demonstrates an outstanding level of service in the greater community. May include, but not limited to, expertise to community organizations, public professional appearances or performances; consulted with governmental agencies, business industries, educational systems, community service or arts organizations; served discipline or disciplinary professional organizations and societies; leadership in developing community engagement.
3. Describe the impact and significance of community engagement the nominee has demonstrated at the University and/or community, regional, national, or international levels.
4. Describe or list any external awards and/or recognitions by local, national and international organizations for community engagement services by the nominee.