

## Call for 2019 WSCA Exemplary Teacher Award Nominations

**Award Background:** Each year, the Communication and Instruction Interest Group recognizes exemplary teachers from around the region. These excellent teachers are invited to share their teaching style, strategies, and philosophies at the WSCA convention and participate in an open forum to discuss their approaches to the profession.

Note: Given our interest group's desire to be mindful about the language in and of our discipline, during the 2018 business meeting of the Communication and Instruction Interest Group a motion was passed unanimously to change the name of the Master Teacher Award to the Exemplary Teacher Award. We believe this more accurately captures the spirit of the award and reflects current thinking about our language choices for such a distinguished honor.

**About the Nomination:** WSCA members in all divisions are invited to nominate a colleague for this award. Nominees for the Exemplary Teacher recognition may work at any level of the educational system and teach in any area of Communication.

The nomination form can be found at <http://www.westcomm.org/?page=InterestGroups>. Please compile all materials (nomination form, CV, evidence of superior teaching, letters of support) into a single merged PDF file and send electronically by September 1st to Dr. Kimberly Aguilar, Vice-Chair for the Communication and Instruction Interest Group: [kimberly.aguilar@csus.edu](mailto:kimberly.aguilar@csus.edu)