UNI DISTINGUISHED SCHOLAR AWARD
2026-2027 Cover Sheet

Nominee _____

Department _____ College _____

Date of Initial Appointment to the UNI Faculty _____

Current Academic Rank _____ Year UNI Tenure Awarded _____

Office Phone _____ Department Phone _____ Campus Mail Code _____

Nominees must be a late-career tenured Regular Member of the Graduate Faculty with at least five years of full-time UNI service at the time of nomination.

A faculty member may receive the Distinguished Scholar Award only once. Faculty may not apply for the Distinguished Scholar Award, the James F. Lubker Faculty Research Award and the Outstanding Graduate Faculty Teaching Award in the same year. If nominated for all of them, the faculty member will need to choose which award to apply for.

Instructions for the Nominee:

1. Include this cover sheet with the supporting documents.
2. Materials should be prepared for intelligent lay readers who may not be familiar with the literature, terminology, or details associated with the nominee's field of research or creative activity.
3. One digital copy of all nomination materials must be received by **Friday, February 5, 2027, by 4.30 p.m** at gradcollege@uni.edu**.**

For questions, please **c**ontact the Graduate Studies Office at 3-2748 or rubina.chowdhury@uni.edu

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List the name and email address of the individual submitting support letter:

Name:_____

Email: _____

Signature of Nominee:

_____ Date _____