

# Chancellor Awards Categories and Criteria 2020

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The Chancellor's Awards for Excellence accepts nominations in nine categories. Awards are open to individuals and teams from the Anchorage campus or one of UAA's community campuses.

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## Excellence in Teaching

*Faculty | Up to two awards per year: One from the Anchorage campus; one from a community campus.*

Demonstrates exceptional commitment to advancing a culture of institutional excellence that inspires and enables student achievement and success through excellence in teaching in two or more of the following aspects:

- Instruction and learning experiences
  - Building and developing curriculum and learning resources
  - Mentoring students
  - Advancing student excellence
  - Advancing teaching excellence
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## Excellence in Academic Research/Creative Activity

- Outstanding contribution to student achievement that improves transition to higher education, performance and grades so that most students persist and complete their educational goals.
- Demonstrated innovative and creative approaches in advising, programming, partnerships, outreach and support services that identify and remove barriers to success.

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## Staff Excellence

## Climate Change Impact (formerly Sustainability)

*Faculty, staff or students | Up to two awards per year: One from the Anchorage campus; one from a community campus.*

Demonstrating outstanding commitment to reducing UAA's impact on the environment or increasing our understanding or the impacts of climate change through teaching, research or community service.

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## Operational Effectiveness (inactive)

The Operational Effectiveness award category was eliminated in 2020 due to insufficient nominations in prior years.

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## Safety (inactive)

The Safety award category was eliminated in 2020 due to insufficient nominations in prior years.