December 1, 2014

TO: College of Engineering Faculty

FROM: Ian M. Robertson, Dean

RE: The Bollinger Academic Staff Distinguished Achievement Award

It is again time to solicit nominations for the Bollinger Academic Staff Distinguished Achievement Award. The award is made possible by a fund established at the UW Foundation in honor of Charlotte and Elroy Bollinger who dedicated their lives to excellence in education with a strong belief in service. Their fond memories of the University of Wisconsin-Madison attribute this great institution with providing the start to careers of lifelong learning and dedicated service. This award was established to formally recognize the outstanding contributions to the College of Engineering made by members of the academic staff. This annual award consists of a plaque and a cash stipend.

The award will be presented at the annual Faculty and Staff Appreciation Day.

A nominee must be an academic staff member who meets one or more of the following criteria:

1. Has made a major contribution to the operation of the college, a department, center, program, or other unit within the college.
2. Has made an outstanding technical contribution to the college, either in an instructional capacity or as part of a research program.
3. Has made an exemplary contribution to teaching, as demonstrated by innovative teaching techniques, publications, or student recognition.

Nominations may be made by any official college group or organization, or any group of at least six (6) faculty and/or academic staff, and should include the following information:

- Curriculum vita or resume.
- Detailed evaluation of the accomplishment(s) for which the person is being nominated, impact the contributions have had on the program, student evaluations, etc.

Nominations should be sent electronically to Peggy Conklin, pconklin@engr.wisc.edu, by 4:00 p.m. on Friday, February 13, 2015.

As in the past, selection committee membership will consist of faculty and academic staff members.
Previous Award Winners:

1989  Ednor M. Rowe
1990  Clayton O. Smith
1991  Richard J. Cashwell
1992  Robert J. Sandberg
1993  Robert F. Perras
1994  Sandra Arnn
1995  Richard J. Casper
1996  Enid Simon
1997  Sandra Shaw Courter
1998  Igor N. Sviatoslavsky
1999  Karen Walsh
2000  Jay M. Samuel
2001  Donna M. Lewis
2002  Leonard F. Black
2003  Mark Swandby
2004  Thomas Murray
2005  Glenn Bower
2006  Donald Woolston
2007  Ann Morris
2008  Kelly Burton
2009  Jeff Stevens
2010  Laura Grossenbacher
2011  Todd Ninman
2012  Kumar Sridharan
2013  Janet Fredrick
2014  Haile Berhe