Deadline date for nominations: March 1, 2019

The Graduate School requests nominations for the Outstanding Graduate Assistant award. The amount of the award for an academic year is $2,000 or $1,000 per semester. The award offers departments an opportunity to thank students for their outstanding work as graduate assistants. Students must be employed as graduate assistants the forthcoming year to receive the award. The award is added to the bi-monthly pay checks of graduate assistants.

How to apply for the awards:

1. Letter nominations from faculty must be submitted to the Graduate School.
2. It is hoped the candidates will have a desire to pursue activities to improve the lives of less fortunate individuals and possess the desire to contribute to a better nation and a better world.
3. Complete and submit: Outstanding Graduate Assistant Award Form and supporting documentation.

Nominations will be accepted until March 1/2019

Please contact us if you have any questions at 646-5746.
Outstanding Graduate Assistant Award Form
Nomination Deadline 03/01/2019

Student Name:
Aggie ID:
Degree Program:
Department:
Current Graduate GPA:

Requirements for Nomination
(Initial and submit supporting documentation)

NOTE: The amount of the award for an academic year is $2,000 or $1,000 per semester and is added to the bi-monthly pay check of the graduate assistant. Departments can nominate up to three of their best graduate assistants per degree program.

_____ Cumulative GPA of 3.4 or higher
_____ Copy of transcript attached to nomination letter
_____ Candidate will be offered a _____10 hour or_____20-hour graduate assistantship within the department
_____ Candidate must be a graduate assistant who is engaged in the teaching or research mission of NMSU (state and non-state supported GAs can receive the award provided they are on the payroll of NMSU this coming academic year)
_____ Statement indicating how the graduate assistant has contributed to the teaching and/or research mission of NMSU

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Department Head Signature Date