

2023-2024 Nexus of Excellence Awards Winners

Excellence in Instruction by Teaching Assistants

- Andrew Pennock – Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering
- Smita More-Potdar – Department of Biological Sciences

Excellence in Lower Division Undergraduate Instruction

- Ashish Borgaonkar – School of Applied Engineering and Technology
- Priyanka Rana Concepcion – Department of Mathematical Sciences
- Scott Kent – Federated Department of History

Excellence in Upper Division Undergraduate Instruction

- Sagnik Basuray – Department of Chemical and Materials Engineering
- Jonathan Grasman – Department of Biomedical Engineering
- Xiaonan Tai – Department of Biological Sciences

Excellence in Graduate Instruction

- Philip Pong – Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering
- Steven Chien – Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering

Excellence in Impact on Education by Non-Instructional Staff

- Todd Miller – Campus Planning and Design
- Alev Erdi – Department of Biomedical Engineering

Excellence in Innovation in Education

- Ala Saadeghvaziri – Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering
- MSI Team – Department of Mathematical Sciences
 - Peter Ward
 - Donivyn Schmidt
 - Kenneth Horwitz

Excellence in Undergraduate Advising and Mentoring

- Stephen George – Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering
- Shahriar Afkhami – Department of Mathematical Sciences

Excellence in Graduate Advising and Mentoring

- Hao Chen – Department of Chemistry and Environmental Sciences
- Linda Cummings – Department of Mathematical Sciences

Excellence in Faculty Mentoring

- Saikat Pal – Department of Biomedical Engineering
- Maria Stanko – Department of Biological Sciences

Excellence and Impact in Community Engagement

- Miriam Ascarelli – Department of Humanities and Social Sciences

Board of Directors of the Foundation Excellence in Service Award

- David Horntrop – Department of Mathematical Sciences

Constance A. Murray Diversity Award

- Tara Alvarez – Department of Biomedical Engineering

Master Teacher

- Maria Stanko – Department of Biological Sciences
- Padma Natarajan – Department of Mathematical Sciences

Foundation Excellence in Research & Innovation Medal

- Bharat Biswal – Department of Biomedical Engineering