



Killam Faculty Teaching Prize 2009-2010

The Faculty of Education has a long history of interest in good teaching. To emphasize the importance of exceptional teaching, the Faculty of Education awards two prizes of \$5000 each year.

Last year's award winners were: Beth Haverkamp (ECPS) and Anne Phelan (EDCP)

All Faculty members who hold a full-time tenured or tenure-track appointment are eligible for a Killam Faculty Teaching Prize. These prizes are based on teaching broadly defined over time and not solely on current classroom teaching. Consideration should be given to:

- Teaching performance in formal settings such as lectures (large and small), tutorials, laboratories, practica and clinical placements.
- Teaching performance in information settings such as graduate student supervision, office consultation, counseling.
- Innovation in curricula, course content and teaching methodology.
- Development of courses, programs and course materials.
- Continuing Professional Education activities.

Nominations should be in the form of a letter of nomination, signed by two individuals (students, faculty, or both) or by a Department Head, indicating the case for awarding a teaching prize to the nominee. Students wishing to nominate a faculty member are encouraged to talk with the Head of the Department in which the instructor resides. This will allow for joint nominations and/or help in strengthening a nomination letter. It is suggested that student nominations reach the **Department Head by December 1, 2009.**

Previous nominees may be re-nominated. Individual nomination packages should be submitted to the **Head's Office by December 1, 2009.** Department nomination packages should be submitted to the Chair of the Teaching Prize Committee, Dr. Rita Irwin, Professor and Associate Dean, **Teacher Education Office by January 15, 2010.**