



**Consolidation Committee
Final Report**

Committee Details

Date: November 1, 2016

Committee Name: OWG 23 Faculty Honors and Awards

Committee Co-Chairs: George Thomas , ASU & Victoria Smith-Butler, DSC

Functional Area: Faculty Affairs

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List the major tasks your committee will need to take to accomplish your deliverables. Please provide more details for the tasks leading up to the SACSCOC Prospectus development.

Major Tasks for Committee Tracker from Final Planning Document and Recommendations

Task: To study and recommends various Faculty Honors and Awards

Recommendation and/or Action Taken:

1. After studying the existing faculty honors and awards at ASU and DSC (pre-consolidation) as well as taking into consideration the mission of the new ASU, the OWG 23 recommends five honors and awards for faculty in recognition of their service to the new ASU and the community.

The honors and awards recommended by the OWG are:

- 1) Teacher of the Year;
- 2) Researcher of the Year;
- 3) Public Service Award;
- 4) Mentor of the Year; and
- 5) Online Teacher of the Year.

2. After reviewing the selection processes at ASU and DSC pre-consolidation, OWG 23 is concerned that these processes are not completely faculty driven and that administrators have too large a role in the selection processes on both campuses.

OWG 23 recommends that the selection process for faculty honors and awards be faculty driven and that necessary guidelines and rubrics be developed by faculty for the selection process.

Other/Final Comments (if any):