



TO: Deans, Chairs, Directors and Heads

FROM: Judy Walker, Associate Vice Chancellor for Faculty and Academic Affairs

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SUBJECT: **New:** Call for Nominations for 2021-22 Named Professorships

Please read the entire call, as there are several updates.

As you know, named professorships are intended to recognize outstanding faculty members for their contributions in research or teaching and promise for future excellence. For the first time in several years, we have multiple vacant University Professorships. Please consider nominating your current named professors for these top-level professorship openings on our campus.

Nominations Due: Tuesday November 10, 2020

Nomination Instructions

Nominee: fill out nomination form, download here:

<https://executivevc.unl.edu/documents/2020-Professorship-Nominee-Form.pdf>

Nominator: complete nomination form and combine required materials into one PDF file; submit to dean's office by appropriate date

Deans Office: add letter of support and complete professorship nomination form online go.unl.edu/professorship

Professorships Available

- George Homes University Professorship (\$15,000 annual stipend)
- Charles Mach University Professorship (\$15,000 annual stipend)
- Willa Cather Professorship (\$5000 annual stipend)
- Charles Bessey Professorship (\$5000 annual stipend)
- John E. Weaver Professorship (\$5000 annual stipend)
- Aaron Douglas Professorship (\$5000 annual stipend)
- Susan J. Rosowski Professorship (\$3000 stipend; available to Associate Professors only)

Refer to <http://go.unl.edu/universityprofessorships> for more information about each professorship and for detailed application instructions with specific guidance as to maximum page requirements.

Remember that each department is limited to one nomination per category (Holmes/Mach; Cather/Bessey; Weaver/Douglas; Rosowski).

Contact me at judy.walker@unl.edu or Suzi Tamerius at stamerius2@unl.edu with any questions.

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