

LILLY TEACHING FELLOWS AWARD PROGRAM NOMINATION FORM

DUE: Monday, February 2, 2009

The Center for Teaching and Provost's Office welcome nominations from department chairs and heads for the Lilly Teaching Fellows Program for the 2009-10 academic year. The purpose of this highly successful program is to enable promising early career faculty to develop expertise in teaching while they pursue the research activity expected of faculty in a major university (see attached brochure).

All full-time, tenure-track faculty who have taught for at least a year at UMass, as well as faculty within one year of receipt of tenure are eligible. Fellowship nominees from previous years are encouraged to reapply.

Name of Nominee

Department

Phone Number

RECOMMENDATION: [Briefly describe the nominee's record as a scholar and a teacher. Explain how he/she would use the fellowship year and would benefit from being a Lilly Teaching Fellow. Continue on other side of page if additional space is required. **[Please attach the nominee's Curriculum vitae to the nomination form.]**

If the CFT provides funding to your department of \$12,500 towards the cost of a TA position, will it be possible for you to release the nominee from teaching two courses during the 2009-10 academic year (assuming a four/five course load)? ____ Yes ____ No. [If "No", please indicate on reverse side of page the alternate arrangement you would propose.]

Department

Signature of Chair/Head

Phone Number

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