

Scholarship & Service Award

Criteria:

The intent of the **Scholarship & Service Award** is to recognize outstanding graduate student productivity. A successful submission will exhibit an element of remarkability and may include: a research article, book, or chapter, patent, national level presentation, research grant, artistic creation, magazine article of national reach, community engagement or student development initiative, or the nominee may have embodied scholarship in action for a collective body of work that brings theory to practice in developing, for example, innovations in teaching, service to the profession, or transforms the student life experience. Although the project does not have to be complete, it must be more than an idea; there should be some tangible representation or proof of imminent completion of the project.

Supportive documentation is required, including clearly defined and measurable outcomes as well as a letter of recommendation from a faculty member. Other supportive materials may include IRB documentation or research notes.

From the list of those nominated, the recipient will be chosen by a panel that includes members from the Division of Student Development and Career Services professionals and a faculty member. The recipient of this award will receive a plaque from the Division of Student Development and a small gift for their efforts. In addition, the School of Graduate Studies will award the recipient a plaque and a \$300 stipend. As such, the recipient must attend the GA Awards Dinner and the Showcase at GSS to deliver a poster-like presentation.