

Ginger Rudeseal Carter Miller Teacher of the Year Competition 2021

Small Programs Interest Group of the Association of Education in Journalism and Mass Communication

SPIG is seeking applications for the annual Ginger Rudeseal Carter Miller Teacher of the Year competition.

The award, named for a former SPIG president and long-time group proponent, honors a SPIG member who demonstrates excellence in teaching and advising.

The deadline for submissions is April 15, 2021 and those interested can be nominated or can apply. Only members of SPIG are eligible (the current the SPIG head, vice head and past winners are not eligible).

Applicants should submit the following materials:

1. One letter of recommendation from a former student with the names, email addresses and phone numbers of two other possible former student references.
2. One letter of recommendation from a colleague or former colleague with the names, email addresses and phone numbers of two other possible references.
3. Evidence of teaching and advising excellence. These must include:
 - A 500-word statement of your teaching philosophy;
 - Two course syllabi;
 - Two examples of class assignment, such as a project, test or exercise;
 - Two formal teaching evaluations by students, as professionally administered by the applicant's institution under conditions of student anonymity representing two courses;
 - A curriculum vitae (no more than eight pages).

These nomination packets must be emailed to: SPIG Second Vice Head Jackie Incollingo at jincollingo@rider.edu

The winner will be chosen by May 15 and honored in August at the virtual SPIG business meeting at the annual AEJMC convention.