

## **College of Engineering**

### **Harrison Faculty Award for Excellence in Engineering Education**

The Harrison Faculty Award for Excellence in Engineering Education was established by Doris A. and Stanley E. Harrison (BEE'58) and consists of \$10,000 gross and a plaque. The award will be presented at the Faculty Awards Banquet in May 2009.

#### **CRITERIA**

The award will be presented to a member of the College faculty in engineering or architecture who is in the early or mid-part of his or her career (within 15 years of receiving his/her Ph.D. or other terminal degree) and who has distinguished himself or herself through a contribution to the College of Engineering or society. Faculty members who received their Ph.D. or other terminal degree in 1993 or before are not eligible. The award will be based on excellence in teaching and the qualitative aspects of teaching; exceptional fundamental or applied research (either in scope or originality) in one or more areas of endeavor ordinarily carried out in the College of Engineering; or a single or unique contribution to engineering or architectural concepts, which is responsive to or has an impact on society as a whole. As a general rule, the award will be made to an individual (except under unique circumstances in any year that suggest a team should receive the award).

#### **NOMINATIONS**

Nominations must be made by the department Chair or by his/her designee. To assist the selection committee, the nomination packet will consist of a letter of nomination, no more than three letters of support, and any supporting materials. Be brief and to the point, yet with sufficient information to permit a rational selection. Include a curriculum vitae of the nominee. Nominations must include a citation of no more than 50 words, highlighting the reasons for the nomination. This citation will be used in the program if the nominee is selected for this award.

#### **SELECTION COMMITTEE**

The Selection Committee will consist of the Dean of Engineering, one or more senior representatives from the faculty of the College of Engineering, a representative from the private sector, and one undergraduate member of the Engineering student body.

#### **DEADLINE**

The application materials will all be submitted electronically. The total nomination package must be submitted by February 27, 2009.