

## Student Affairs Participation Award FAQ

1. Can a graduate student be nominated for the award?  
Yes, this award is open to both undergraduate and graduate students.
2. What is the registration requirement for graduate students?  
They must be registered as a full-time student with the Faculty of Graduate Studies, not necessarily taking any coursework during the year of the award. Graduate students must have full-time registration in a master's or doctoral program in the Faculty of Graduate Studies.
3. Can a student nominate themselves?  
No. A student cannot nominate themselves.
4. Can a student nominate their peers?  
Yes.
5. Who normally nominates the students?  
It would be a faculty member who nominates a student. In the past, students had been nominated by Deans, Associate Deans, Professors, Department Heads, Directors, etc.
6. Can a student be nominated multiple times by different staff member?  
Yes. However, the number of nominations doesn't increase their chance of being chosen as the successful candidate.
7. If the nominees are co-presidents, co-founders of an organization, can they share an award?  
No. This award is intended to be given out to one student only. You could submit the nominations for both co-presidents. However, only one recipient will be chosen.
8. Does the nominee have to continue their education at the U of M in the following year to be eligible?  
No, they don't have to.