

## MERIT AWARD FOR PROMOTING INDIGENOUS ACHIEVEMENT

**NOMINATION/APPLICATION PROCEDURES:** This nomination/application form must be completed in full. Please do not exceed the page limits (where indicated). Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Once prepared, Applicants/Nominees must submit their full application via the '[Merit Award Nomination Form](#)'. Note: Materials must be compiled into one single PDF with a maximum size of 100mb. No paper or email submissions will be accepted.

Note: All matters pertaining to Merit Awards are governed by the provision of Article 25 of the Collective Agreement between the University of Manitoba (UM) and the University of Manitoba Faculty Association (UMFA).

### QUESTIONS

1. List the initiatives/activities/innovations you have engaged in during the calendar year under consideration that have promoted Indigenous achievement? Following the list of initiatives/activities/innovations, clearly describe the characteristics of each activity, your role, and the impact of the activity in promoting Indigenous achievement. You may wish to include activities related to:
  - a. Curriculum/course development and revisions to better incorporate Indigenous knowledges and perspectives in the curriculum.
  - b. Innovations in teaching that promote greater understandings of Indigenous knowledges, cultures, and traditions and/or contribute to Indigenous student success at the University.
  - c. Research, scholarly work, and other creative activities that further understandings of Indigenous knowledges and cultures.
  - d. Activities to enhance engagement between the University of Manitoba and Indigenous organizations, groups, and communities.
  - e. Leadership or involvement in activities that enhance the success of Indigenous students.
  - f. Involvement in activities that celebrate Indigenous cultures and promote greater understanding of Indigenous cultures and traditions among students, staff, and/or the broader community.
  - g. Community service to Indigenous communities and groups, where you have made an essentially non-remunerable contribution to promoting Indigenous achievement.
  - h. Any other activities that promote Indigenous achievement.
2. Please identify which supporting materials are being uploaded in the single document application form in support of this nomination/application. Examples include: reference letters from University colleagues or officials, from members or officials of community organizations, students, or from others as appropriate; awards, citations, or other forms of recognition, including criteria connected with the award; and published accounts of service rendered, or of recognition accorded with respect to service.