

TUF DISTINGUISHED RESEARCH PROFESSORSHIP NOMINATION PACKAGE

The TUF (Texas University Fund) Distinguished Research Professorship recognizes senior faculty—current or incoming— who are leading or will lead strategic research initiatives aligned with institutional and statewide goals. To be eligible for nomination, faculty members must be at the rank of Professor or Research Professor and hold tenure or continuing appointment, respectively.

Nominator's Information:

- Name:
- Title:
- Primary Academic Unit:
- TTU Email Address:

Nominee's Information:

- Name:
- Title:
- Primary Academic Unit:
- TTU Email Address:

Nominee's Eligibility: *check to confirm each required criterion is met*

Nominee does not currently hold an administrative appointment greater than .25 FTE

Nominee does not currently hold a Horn Professorship

Nominee is tenured at the rank of Professor OR holds continuing appointment at the rank of Research Professor.

The Nominator should collect all of the following required documents and ensure that they are inserted into this nomination package in the following order:

1. Nominator's letter of nomination (max 2 pages)
2. Letter from Nominee's department chair, school director, or area coordinator (max 2 pages)
3. Five letters of support from current/emeritus faculty external to Texas Tech (max 10 pages total)
4. Nominee's CV (max 10 pages)
5. Nominee's statement of intended continuation of productivity post-award (max 2 pages)

The Nominator must save the nomination package as a single PDF document and submit it to the Nominee's academic dean's office by November 1, 2025. Late submissions, incomplete submissions, and submissions that exceed the maximum page limit will not be considered. Detailed information about the review process for accepted submissions is available here: