

Excellence in Creative/Performing Activities

The COFAC Awards were created to exemplify where someone has truly excelled in this category. **Please begin your narrative by briefly stating your philosophy in approaching creative/performing activities.** This should be followed by the contributions made in delivering on this philosophy. Individuals applying for Excellence in Creative/Performing Activities are requested to provide guidance on the significance of each activity that is being submitted. This guidance can include prestige of the activity, etc. All articles, presentations and and/or creative/performances must be completed during the evaluation period. For creative/performing activities, applicants are encouraged to provide information on context and significance of the contributions. It is not important to address each of the elements outlined below.

1. Contribution to intellectual environment locally, regionally, nationally, or internationally through excellence in research. Provide author order (if applicable), and tell what contributions the applicant made to the work.
2. Originality/creativity and significance of the research
3. Creative activity, such as performances, exhibits, or design production that is an invited activity of regional, national, or international merit and substantiated with positive reviews
4. Commissions, appointments, or other artistic endeavors at the local, state, national, or international level
5. Service furthering the interests of a professional organization related to the individual's area of professional expertise. Designate as university, regional, national, or international service.
6. Participation in other creative activities that may not have been addressed by the guidelines stated above.
7. For all activities, please specify whether the activity was course related, or if it was a compensated activity (either stipend, or release time). The committee will decide how compensated and uncompensated items compare.
8. Application includes stipulated appendix furnishing an outline of your application activities. Use major headings for each category followed by a summary of the activity and the associated dates in reverse chronological order
Examples of appendices that will enhance your packet:
 - Demonstration of evidence
 - Citation of all documents included