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Nominations for Hamming Faculty Award for Interdisciplinary Achievement, 2016

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MEMORANDUM

From: Acting Provost
To: Faculty

Subj: NOMINATIONS FOR HAMMING FACULTY AWARD FOR INTERDISCIPLINARY
ACHIEVEMENT

Ref: (a) NAVPGSCOLINST 1650.1E

Encl: (1) Enclosure (46) of NAVPGSCOLINST 1650.1E

1. Per reference (a) this memorandum solicits nominations for the Richard W. Hamming Annual Faculty Award for Achievement in Interdisciplinary Activities.
2. Enclosure (1) provides the background for the award. In addition to the nomination procedures in enclosure (1) please include a brief resume (maximum of two pages).
3. Selection Committee: The Hamming Award committee for this year is:
Professor Keith Snider, Chair, GSBPP
Professor Susan Sanchez, GSOIS
Professor Brig Agrawal, GSEAS
Jim Greene, RADM, USN (Ret), Professor of the Practice, GSBPP
Scott Jasper, CAPT, USN (Ret), SIGS
4. Submission Procedure: Please provide the nomination material and resume in electronic format to Sharee Kelso-Costa prior to close of business on **Friday, 12 February 2015**. Additional information may be requested for finalists. If there are any questions, please contact the Committee Chair.



James H. Newman

THE RICHARD HAMMING FACULTY AWARD
FOR INTERDISCIPLINARY ACHIEVEMENT

1. Background

Mrs. Wanda Hamming has provided the NPS Foundation with the means to fund an annual award for achievement in interdisciplinary activities. Friends of the NPS Foundation have also contributed to this award. A faculty committee, constituted annually by the Provost, will collaborate with the Foundation in selecting the award recipient. Under suitable conditions the award may be shared between two (or more) recipients, particularly if there is collaborative work. The award need not be made every year. The award recipient will be given an engraved plaque and a substantial monetary award.

2. Guidelines for Nomination

a. Based upon Mrs. Hamming's indicated objectives, the following guidelines have been formulated:

(1) This award recognizes innovative accomplishments that support and enhance interdisciplinary activities at NPS. Such contributions might include creative course materials in interdisciplinary courses or particularly effective mentoring of students in interdisciplinary courses or curricula. Research that advances interdisciplinary solutions to contemporary military problems and issues will enhance the nomination. Favorable consideration will be given to efforts that involve NPS students in a collaborative manner and to efforts that show evidence of having been particularly stimulated and nurtured by the NPS environment.

b. The award is open to all faculty instructor positions, both tenure track and non-tenure track.

3. Nomination Procedures

a. Faculty may nominate other faculty as well as themselves. All nominations should be no longer than two type-written pages in length, and should include the following information:

(1) A brief description of the activities undertaken and how they support interdisciplinary courses or curricula at NPS.

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(2) The role or involvement of NPS students in the work.