



**ST. JOHN'S
UNIVERSITY**

VINCENTIAN INSTITUTE
FOR SOCIAL ACTION

**Faculty Research Consortium (FRC)
Faculty Excellence Award in Community-Based Outcomes
and Poverty Research**

Nomination Packet

Nomination Deadline: Friday, August 16, 2019

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BACKGROUND:

In 2008, St. John's University established the Vincentian Institute for Social Action (VISA) to increase the visibility of the St. John's mission to enhance the educational experience of its students. VISA provides an organizational focus for a variety of programs where faculty and students can explore issues of poverty and social justice. As a Catholic and Vincentian institution, St. John's seeks to provide a distinctive, values-based education. VISA fosters the development of a worldview that recognizes the importance of global interdependence and encourages collaboration throughout the University in activities designed to advance its commitment to systemic change.

The Faculty Research Consortium (FRC) of VISA is responsible for outcomes research conducted across all elements of the Institute. The FRC is comprised of a select group of interdisciplinary St. John's University faculty who have demonstrated teaching, research, and scholarly expertise in areas related to community service, civic engagement, and social responsibility. The FRC promotes research by supporting the recruitment of qualified University professors who serve as research mentors for students. The FRC also develops research initiatives through VISA's programs and community partnerships.

PURPOSE OF FRC FACULTY EXCELLENCE AWARD:

The *FRC Faculty Excellence Award in Community-Based Outcomes and Poverty Research* was developed in 2019 by the FRC in an effort to annually identify one full-time faculty member at St. John's University who best exhibits excellence in community-based outcomes and poverty research. The FRC will review all nominations from the University community and select one award recipient, who will be recognized at an FRC Faculty Reception and Research Forum, or similar event. The award recipient will also receive a plaque commemorating this award.

ELIGIBILITY AND NOMINATIONS:

Full-time faculty at St. John's University are eligible to receive the *Faculty Research Consortium (FRC) Faculty Excellence Award in Community-Based Outcomes and Poverty Research*. Nominations will be solicited from the deans and department chairs of various schools/colleges of the University.

CRITERIA:

Consistent with the University's Vincentian Mission, the *FRC Faculty Excellence Award in Community-Based Outcomes and Poverty Research* is presented to a St. John's University faculty member who fulfills and exemplifies the following criteria:

- The nominee is currently a full-time member of the University's faculty
- The nominee has served as a principal investigator and/or author of community-based outcomes and poverty research during the past three (3) years, as evidenced by grants and/or publications
- The nominee has made a marked contribution to the growth and development of the University's Vincentian mission through research and scholarship.

NOMINATION DEADLINE:

- The nomination deadline is Friday, August 16, 2019. All nomination forms (Parts I and II) and supporting materials should be submitted to Kara A. James, Senior Secretary, (718-990-5947) in Lourdes Hall or at casaresk@stjohns.edu.

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Nomination Form: Part I

Dean or Department Chair Nominator Information:

First

Middle

Last

Title

Department and College

Campus Phone

E-mail

Campus Address (Building and Room Number)

Faculty Nominee Information:

First

Middle

Last

Title

Department and College

Campus Phone

E-mail

Campus Address (Building and Room Number)

Link to Online Faculty Bio (optional)

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Nomination Form: Part II

To be completed by the Dean or Department Chair Nominator

In one page, please summarize why you are nominating your faculty nominee for the *Faculty Research Consortium (FRC) Faculty Excellence Award in Community-Based Outcomes and Poverty Research*. Please feel free to include any published manuscripts or other demonstration of the nominee's research as it relates to the criteria for this award.