



Dear Colleagues,

Welcome to the August newsletter. Over the last month, the Awards Team has been preparing for the registration and nomination phases, plus recruiting Award Committee members and potential Assessors from institutions across Australia. We have now **confirmed our four Award Committees** which are detailed below in this newsletter.

Three reminders are in order:

1. In preparation for their nominations, we encourage nominees to watch the invaluable [Professional Development Series](#) developed last year. More information provided below.
2. Recommended assessors have been emailed a link to an **Expression of Interest form**. Please complete your EOI form by **Friday 11 August**. Any questions, contact the Awards Team at aaut@rmit.edu.au
3. **Nominee registration will be open from Monday 14 to Friday 25 August**. Instructions for registration will be sent to ICOs on Friday 11 August. Registrations cannot be added after the closing date, so please don't hesitate to put forward a nomination! More information provided in the newsletter below.

our new team member in next month's newsletter.

Regards,
Professor Angela Carbone
AAUT Director

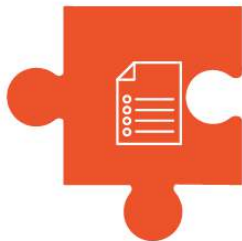
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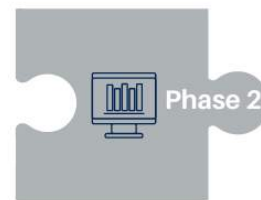
TIMELINE & KEY DATES



ICO Account ID
Awards Portal
Nomination Instructions
Friday 11 Aug



**Nominee
Registration**
Open: Monday 14 Aug
8.00am AEST
Close: Friday 25 Aug
11.59pm AEST



**Submission
Upload**
Open: Monday 4 Sept
8.00am AEST
Close: Friday 15 Sept
11.59pm AEST

2023 AAUT Key Dates

[Access 2023 Nomination Packs:](#) 15 June 2023

Receive Awards Portal Nomination Instructions: 11 August 2023

Phase 1: Nominee registration – 14 - 25 August 2023

Phase 2: Upload submission – 4 to 15 September 2023

AAUT UPDATE

Get ready for registration

1. ICO Contact

On Friday 11 August, each Institution Contact Officer (ICO) will receive their allocated account ID and instructions on how to access the 2023 AAUT Awards Nomination Portal. Please ensure your institution contact is correct ([see the ICO list](#)) and notify the Awards Team of any changes.

2. Email Security

To avoid delays in receiving emails from the AAUT Awards Portal, remember to get in touch with your institution IT centre to release any email from no_reply@sparkplus.com.au and support@sparkplus.com.au

3. Nomination Awards Portal Technical support

This year's technical support is via email only at support@sparkplus.com.au and aaut@rmit.edu.au

AAUT Professional Development Sessions

Nominees can now watch the [AAUT Professional Development sessions](#) to help prepare their submissions.



KEY FACTORS FOR A SUCCESSFUL TEACHING AWARD APPLICATION

A coherent narrative that:

- Captures *you* and your contribution as an outstanding educator – your philosophy, your aspirations, your approach to reflection and learning, your achievements
- Addresses *all* of the subcategories well and with compelling evidence against each assessment criterion
- Demonstrates *sustained* commitment and excellence

Watch all AAUT PD sessions online

We recommend nominees watch the following PD sessions depending on their selected award category:

- [2022-23 | Writing a successful Citation nomination](#)
- [2022-23 | Writing a successful Program Award nomination](#)
- [2022-23 | Writing a successful Teaching Award nomination](#)
- [2022-23 | Writing a successful Neville Bonner Award nomination](#)
- [2022-23 | Writing a successful Early Career Award nomination](#)

Assessor recruitment

The Awards Team is currently recruiting potential Assessors based on each institution's recommendations. Thank you to our ICOs for coordinating their DVCAs, academics and staff and getting these details organised swiftly.



At this stage, we are only seeking expressions of interest to assist in this process. The allocation of assessors will depend on the number of nominations we receive by mid-September. **Please note:** you are not eligible to assess if you're submitting a nomination this year.

2023 Award Committees

We warmly welcome all the 2023 Awards Committee members outlined below. The Awards Committees are made up of senior academic leaders in teaching and learning with a track record of leadership and extensive experience across the Australian higher education sector. They will be responsible for confirming and recommending the nomination ratings before sign-off by Universities Australia.

Citation Awards Committee

Prof Elizabeth Johnson (Chair) Deakin University	Prof Jessica Vandertelle La Trobe University	Prof Geoffrey Crisp University of Canberra	Prof Karen Nelson University of Southern Queensland	Prof Allie Clemans Monash University
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Prof David Sadler (Chair)
The University of Western
Australia



Prof Nicolette Lee
La Trobe University



Prof Graham Brown
Charles Sturt
University



Prof Mark Brimble
Griffith University



Prof Robina Xavier
Queensland University
of Technology

Teaching Awards Committee



**Emeritus Prof Pip
Pattison (Chair)**
The University of Sydney



Prof Grady Venville
Australian National
University



Prof Sherman Young
RMIT University



Prof Denise Jackson
Edith Cowan University



**Prof Rorden
Wilkinson**
Macquarie University

Career Achievement Award Committee



Prof Sally Kift (Chair)
President of the ALTF



Prof Angela Carbone
AAUT Director
RMIT University



Prof David Boud
2022 CAA recipient
Deakin University

AAUT RESOURCES



[website page](#) for a range of resources including:

- 2023 Nomination Packs
- Nominee Resources
- Professional Development video series
- Past newsletters
- Award booklets

Promotional resources

Check out AAUTN website for information about:

- [AAUT Overview](#)
- [Citations](#)
- [Program Awards](#)
- [Teaching Awards](#)
- [AAUT Neville Bonner Award for Indigenous Education](#)
- [AAUT Early Career](#)
- [AAUT Career Achievement Award](#)



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