The Office of Undergraduate Research and Inquiry invites nominations for the <u>Distinguished Mentor of the Year award (DMOY)</u>: <u>Excellence in undergraduate research mentorship</u>. Each year, one university-wide DMOY is awarded based on the undergraduate research engagement in the previous year. The Distinguished Mentor of the Year is recognized with a \$2,500 award at the annual Honors Convocation.

- Any permanent, full-time faculty including tenured/tenure track faculty, non-tenured faculty, instructors, multi-year appointees, scientists/scholars, and research faculty who have been employed for one continuous year.
- Faculty must have engaged as direct mentors of students in undergraduate research and inquiry, to include co-curricular (e.g. grants, SURF/REU, publications, presentations), curricular (e.g. Research Intensive (RI) Courses, DIR), as well as individual and group student mentoring.
- Previous award winners are no longer eligible.

Call for faculty applications/nominations
Complete applications due to the Deans/Directors office
Deans submit College nominee and application materials to OURI
Faculty Honors and Awards committee begins review
Honors and Awards Committee selects 2023 Awardee
Award presented at the Honors Convocation

- Complete nominations are submitted directly to the dean/designee and contain the information outlined in the below guidelines. Deadline date for submission is
- Each dean/director/designee will determine the nominee from the College, ideally through review by a college committee.
- The College will send forward its nominee by submitting a formal letter of recommendation from the Dean or College designee as well as the faculty's complete application package to Ms. Patricia Sampedro (<a href="mailto:psampedr@fau.edu">psampedr@fau.edu</a>) from OURI. Deadline date for College nominations to OURI is
- OURI will share College nominees with