

MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 26, 2009

TO: All Faculty and Officers of Administration

FROM: Peter Gilkey, Chair
Committee on Committees

RE: **Call for Nominations for the Wayne T. Westling Award**

Dear Friends and Colleagues:

We write to request nominations for the **Wayne T. Westling Award for University Leadership and Service**. This is a new award established by the University Senate that will be presented to a faculty or staff member for outstanding and long-term leadership and service. The award is named in honor of Wayne T. Westling, Professor of Law at the University of Oregon from 1979-2001. Professor Westling was renowned across campus for his unswerving and selfless commitment to faculty governance at the University of Oregon. For more information on this award, please refer to the website: <http://www.uoregon.edu/~uosenate/WestlingAward.html>

The two criteria for the Wayne T. Westling Award are: 1) Exemplary service over a period of years to the University through participation in University committees, advisory bodies, or faculty elective positions, and 2) Inspired leadership and commitment to the principles of faculty governance, participatory decision-making, and fostering a campus climate of inclusiveness and respect.

Nominations should be forwarded to **Peter Gilkey, Chair, Committee on Committees, c/o DeAnna Heying, President's Office, 110 Johnson Hall, by March 20, 2009**. Nominations should include a biographical sketch of the nominee that details his or her leadership and service contributions to the University community. Additional letters of support for the nominee are welcome. Upon recommendation by the Committee on Committees, the award will be presented by the University Senate at its May meeting.

The members of the Committee on Committees thank you in advance for taking the time to recognize those who contribute so much to the University community.

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Deadline is March 20, 2009

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