

Council on Language Instruction

Excellence in Language Teaching Award

The Council on Language Instruction is seeking nominees for the 2025-26 Excellence in Language Teaching Award.

Do you have a colleague who...

- creates and maintains a learning environment in the classroom that allows students to find a personal connection to the target language and culture?
- experiments with different technologies, techniques and methodologies that effectively engage the students in and outside of class?
- inspires students in their studies of language, literature and culture and has a reputation for helping students to achieve?
- is known for sharing teaching ideas, materials and strategies?
- maintains a positive and supportive demeanor that helps to create community within the department?
- is always ready to help on projects in the department, college or university?
- sets high goals and works tirelessly to achieve them?

In other words...

Do you have a colleague who deserves commendation?

**Nominate your colleague for the
Excellence in Language Teaching Award!**

Application information at <https://www.cli.northwestern.edu/faculty-awards-accomplishments/cli-excellence-in-language-teaching-award.html>

**Send nominations to Patricia Scarampi (p-scarampi@northwestern.edu) by
Monday, January 12, 2026**

Complete application dossier due by Monday, March 2, 2026