Teaching Awards:  
Call for Nominations  

2019 MAA Golden Section Distinguished College or University Teacher of Mathematics Award (General)  
&  
2019 MAA Golden Section Distinguished College or University New Teacher of Mathematics Award

The MAA has two awards for distinguished college or university teaching of mathematics: the Deborah and Franklin Tepper Haimo Award (instituted in 1991) and, for beginning college or university teachers of mathematics, the Henry L. Alder Award (instituted in 2003). The recipient of the Golden Section Teaching Award (General) is nominated by the Section for the MAA Haimo Award. The recipient of the Golden Section New Teaching Award is nominated by the Section for the MAA Alder Award if the recipient holds a Ph.D. The Golden Section has a two-step nomination process that consists of (i) the initial nomination, and (ii) the full nomination. The initial nomination is very simple and requires the filling out of a one-page form together with a one-page summary that supports the nomination. After screening the initial nominations, the Teaching Awards Committee will invite the nominators of clearly competitive nominations to submit full nominations.

Members of the Golden Section are encouraged to nominate their exceptional colleagues for the two Golden Section Distinguished Teaching Awards (New Teacher and General). The formal Call for Nominations and the Nomination Form files are available at [http://sections.maa.org/golden/Teach.html](http://sections.maa.org/golden/Teach.html). These files describe the award and eligibility requirements. The initial nomination deadline is

**Tuesday, April 30, 2019**

Please direct questions to John Thoo, Teaching Awards Committee Interim Chairman, at the Department of Mathematics and Statistics, Yuba College, 2088 N Beale Rd, Marysville, CA 95901-7605, jthoo@yccd.edu.

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**Interested in serving in a leadership role?**  
(Chair cycle, Teaching Award Cmte, etc.)

**Interested in hosting the section meeting?**

Please contact one of the officers listed on the cover for more information.

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**Previous General Teaching Award Winners**

An asterisk precedes names of those who went on to win a national Haimo Award.

1992  G. D. Chakerian, UC Davis
1993  *Paul R. Halmos, Santa Clara University
1994  Jane Day, San José State University
1995  *Edward M. Landesman, UC Santa Cruz
1996  G. Thomas Sallee, UC Davis
1997  Jean J. Pedersen, Santa Clara University
1998  Donald C. Pfaff, University of Nevada, Reno
1999  *Leonard F. Klosinski, Santa Clara University
2000  *Evelyn Silvia, UC Davis
2001  Wade Ellis, Jr., West Valley College
2002  *Paul Zeitz, University of San Francisco
2003  Peter Tannenbaum, Fresno State
2004  *Gerald L. Alexanderson, Santa Clara Univ.
2005  Russell Merris, Cal State East Bay
2006  Tatiana Shubin, San José State University
2007  William Fisher, Chico State University
2008  John B. Thoo, Yuba College
2009  *Allan J. Rossman, Cal Poly San Luis Obispo
2010  Dennis Smolarski, Santa Clara University
2011  Joseph Conrad, Solano Community College
2012  *Matthias Beck, San Francisco State University
2013  Steven Blasberg, West Valley College
2014  Duane Kouba, UC Davis
2015  Michelle Manes, Univ. of Hawai‘i at Mānoa
2016  Serkan Hoşten, San Francisco State University
2017  Jesús De Loera, UC Davis
2018  Frank Farris, Santa Clara University

**Previous New Teaching Award Winners**

An asterisk precedes names of those who went on to win a national Alder Award.

2016  Martha Shott, Sonoma State University
2018  Elizabeth Gross, University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa