

2009 Sarlo Award for Teaching Excellence



Background

The Sarlo Award for Teaching Excellence has been given annually since 1999 at a special presentation by the AIDS Research Institute at UCSF. Donated by George S. Sarlo and the Sarlo Family Foundation—a supporting foundation of the Jewish Community Federation of San Francisco, the Peninsula, Marin and Sonoma Counties—the teaching awards are designed to elevate individual, public, and institutional respect for teaching and to honor outstanding professors at selected colleges and universities throughout Northern California.

The diverse programs of the AIDS Research Institute at UCSF have a rich tradition of aiding and encouraging young scientists in their education and career development through teaching.

These teaching awards are intended for those members of the campus community who have performed extraordinary service in teaching at all levels within the University to students, fellows, interns, and junior faculty involved in HIV/AIDS research and clinical care. Candidates for the Sarlo Award should be individuals who, in their roles as instructors, have proven exceptional in their commitment and ability to stimulate, nurture, and inspire young minds.

Award

Award amount is \$5,000 for one year and can be used for unrestricted purposes to benefit the teaching and related needs of the recipient.

Nomination guidelines

Nominations may be submitted by anyone in the campus community, including the junior faculty, fellows, interns, and students taught by the nominee. Nominations should consist of a letter detailing the nominee's teaching experience and experience in the field of HIV/AIDS and a curriculum vita of the nominee. Those who have submitted nominations in the past are encouraged to resubmit. A maximum of three nomination letters will be accepted for each nominee, however any number of signatures may appear on any given letter.

Submission and deadline

Nominations must be submitted to the Sarlo Award Committee, c/o Kathleen Jose, UCSF Box 0886, by 5:00 PM **Friday, October 23**. Please send an electronic version of your nomination letter and nominee's CV as well, to Kathleen at josek@ari.ucsf.edu. Email or call 597-4650 if you have any questions.

Award Notification

Nominees will be notified of the outcome of their nominations in November 2009.

We look forward to your nominations,

Laurence Huang, MD
Chair, Mentorship Awards Committee