



EQUITY & EXCELLENCE FOR ENGLISH LEARNERS

Massachusetts Association of Teachers
of Speakers of Other Languages

Anne Dow Award for Excellence and Creativity

2019 Call for Nominations

Members of the MATSOL community are encouraged to nominate colleagues for The Anne Dow Award for Excellence and Creativity, to be awarded in Spring 2019.

The Anne Dow Award for Excellence and Creativity is given annually to a professional who has made outstanding efforts that reflect enthusiasm and creative, energetic, independent thinking. This professional displays the ability to take risks, solve problems, support colleagues, and model ethical behavior.

Specific criteria vary from year to year, to reflect the many facets of Anne Dow's career and interests. ***The 2019 award will be granted for culturally and linguistically responsive teaching.*** The award includes an honorarium of \$1,000.

To nominate an individual please provide the following information:

- From the *nominator*: Your name, address, phone, e-mail, affiliation, and relationship to the nominee;
- For the *nominee*: The nominee's name, title, affiliation, and email;
- A statement of at least 250 words and no more than 750 words describing the individual's achievements and why you think they should get the award;
- If appropriate, any supporting materials (but in one attachment) of not more than ten pages.

Nominations will be judged according to the criteria in the award description above. Preference will be given to applications which describe specific, concrete actions which could be emulated, rather than general descriptions of excellence.

The award will be presented on at the MATSOL 2019 Conference on May 30, 2019.

To submit the nomination:

Send as PDF attachments in e-mail to tgriffith@showaboston.edu
with subject line: *Dow Award*

Date Due:

Midnight on Monday, March 25, 2019

MATSOL Awards Website: www.matsol.org/awards