

2022 AAUT OVERVIEW



AUSTRALIAN AWARDS
FOR UNIVERSITY TEACHING

ABOUT AAUT

The Australian Awards for University Teaching (AAUT) were established in 1997 by the Australian Government to celebrate and reward excellence in university teaching and have been administered by Universities Australia since 2018. Click [here](#) for 1997 to 2018 Australian University Teachers of the Year (AAUTY) Booklet.

REQUIREMENTS FOR SUBMISSION

- Nomination Form
- Claims Against Assessment Criteria
- Curriculum Vitae (CV) – *Teaching Awards Only*
- Team Statement of Contribution – For Team Nomination Only
- Two Letters of Reference
- Supporting Materials – Program and Teaching Awards Only
- Digital Photograph

[AAUTN Award Mentor Scheme](#) is available to assist in nominations preparation. Please contact **AAUT awards team:** aaut@rmit.edu.au

AWARD TYPES

- **Citations for outstanding contributions to student learning (Citations)** are a smaller scale award that recognise and reward the diversity of contributions made by individuals and teams to the quality of student learning.
- **Awards for Programs that Enhance Learning (Program Awards)** recognise learning and teaching programs or services that make innovative and outstanding contributions to student learning and/or the quality of the student experience.
- **Awards for Teaching Excellence (Teaching Awards)** recognise Australia's most outstanding university teachers or teaching teams who have demonstrated excellence, leadership and sustained commitment to teaching and learning in higher education.
- **Awards for Australian University Teacher of the Year** is awarded to one Teaching Award recipient, who has an exceptional record of advancing student learning, educational leadership and scholarly contribution to learning and teaching.
- **Career Achievement Award** is occasionally awarded to one or more individuals who is recognised for the impact they have had on the higher education sector and whose achievements had a major influence and left an enduring legacy.

Categories	No. of awards	Max submissions per institution
11	Up to 100	6
4	Up to 4	2
9	Up to 9	3
N/A	1	N/A
N/A	1 or more	1

Each nominee is required to prepare a submission consisting of a written statement and relevant supporting documents. [Institutional Contact Officer \(ICO\)](#) is responsible for the online submission of all nominations for their institution.



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For more information on the AAUT awards type visit the link

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