REPORT TO THE RIVERSIDE DIVISION OF THE ACADEMIC SENATE FROM THE
COMMITTEE ON DISTINGUISHED CAMPUS SERVICE AWARD
May 2, 2007

The Committee is pleased to nominate **Professor Gary Scott** of the Department of Chemistry as a recipient of the **DISTINGUISHED CAMPUS SERVICE AWARD** for the academic year 2006-2007.

Professor Scott has a long history of extraordinary service and dedication to his department, college, and the UCR campus at large. He is best known for his long-time service as Associate Dean of CNAS, during which he has contributed in innumerable ways to the health and well-being of that college. However, Professor Scott’s dedicated service to UCR significantly predates his appointment as Associate Dean in 1993 which, until this past year, has been a half-time appointment. During this entire period, he has also maintained an active research program, participated in graduate student supervision and the teaching program of his department, and provided service that goes well beyond the college.

In addition to his departmental service prior to assuming the position of Associate Dean, Dr. Scott served as a member of the CNAS Executive Committee and on the Graduate Council, including as Chair of the Subcommittee on Courses and Programs of the latter. Since his appointment as Associate Dean, his Senate service has continued through his service as an ex-officio member of both the college Executive Committee and the Committee on Preparatory Education. All of his nominators make clear that Professor Scott’s dedication and service to UCR goes well beyond his duties as Associate Dean.

Examples of his major contributions are:

UCR Representative, UC council of Undergraduate Deans/Vice Provosts; Chair, Chancellor’s and Academic Senate Task Force on Subject A; Administrative oversight of the UCR CAMP program; Special Awards Lead Judge for UC scholarship award selection at the Intel International Science and Engineering Fair; Member, Search Committee, UCR Vice Chancellor for Student Services and Enrollment; Member, Task Force on the first-year Experience; Member, UCDC Steering Committee; Member Graduate Outreach Oversight Working Team; Member, Ad Hoc Committee on International Graduate Student Oral Fluency Issues; Member Search Committee, Counseling Psychologist, UCR Counseling Center, Member Oversight Committee on Restructuring Premedical Education at UCR; Member, UCR Instructional Facilities Planning Committee; Member Task Force on International Education; Member, Office of Undergraduate Education Advisory Committee; Member, Search Committee for Student Judicial Affairs Director; Member, Search Committee for Associate Dean, Academic Affairs, CHASS; Member, MARC U* Steering Committee; Member, Graduate Student Funding, Recruitment and Retention Task Force; Member, CNAS Ad Hoc Committee on Undergraduate Training in Health Sciences; Member, Biomedical Sciences Dean’s Medical Mission Committee; Member, Governing Board of the Joint Undergraduate Degree Program in Environmental Sciences between UCR and CSU Fresno; Member, Campus Summer Bridge Planning Committee; Director, CNAS Freshman Scholars Program; Director, CNAS Freshman Advising Seminar Program; Member Educational Effectiveness Subcommittee of the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) Reaccreditation Steering Committee.

These and many other service activities accepted continuously for many years demonstrate Dr. Scott’s extraordinary dedication to UCR and to the University.