

Golden Nugget Awards – December 2020

Area 7

Brandi Lewis

Relationship to nominee: Supervisor

Reason for nomination: Brandi has been doing outstanding work this fall, as our college student teachers navigate COVID in our partner schools. We have experienced lots of changes and additional steps in our processes, but Brandi has kept up with all of it cheerfully with a positive attitude. Although I'm sure the pandemic has taken the same toll on her as it has the rest of us, Brandi doesn't show it. She has been working hard to keep up with everything in our office while also helping staff in other offices. She is extremely deserving of a Golden Nugget for her amazing efforts!! Thank you Brandi!

Christine Young

Relationship to nominee: Supervisor

Reason for nomination: Christine is a magician, keeping on top of things, coordinating meetings, organizing events and processes, and making sure everyone is informed and prepared at just the right time! All this and with an endless smile!

Area 8

Trang Do

Relationship to nominee: Fellow staff member

Reason for nomination: Trang is the penultimate employee in managing her time. She has been able to manage her business officer responsibilities for SDS with additional responsibilities being asked of her by the College of Computing and Informatics. In addition, she has become the data expert in our Twitter data, feed, and requirements. She has done all this while managing family duties that required her to travel across the country. She has served the university well above the call of duty.

Area 9

Tahnett Mack

Relationship to nominee: Co-worker

Reason for nomination: This is not a payroll related nomination. After contacting ITS several times to get my work phone forwarded unsuccessfully - I was able to get in touch with Tahnett who was working on campus for help. I was in need of my phone being forwarded to my cell to allow me to assist P Card Accountholders – I had disabled it when I was on vacation and was not able to get it forwarded by logging in as it continued to record I was unable to take calls. (and ITS forwarded to the wrong cell #) I contacted Tahnett who jumped into action to assist me with this successfully. She has been a lifesaver with this since I am not able to travel to campus with sickness and health issues preventing me from any possible exposure to Covid 19. I appreciate her cheerful demeanor and eagerness to help resolve this even though she was not familiar with these functions. Words cannot express how grateful I am for her and her deserving this nomination. Thanks so much Tahnett.