Professional Excellence	Demonstrates long standing commitment to professional work	Achieved distinction in a chosen field of endeavor since graduation	Holds/held active organizational roles, and/or accreditations	Received awards/recognitions from MMU or other organizations and peers	Honors/displays MMU's values of competence, community, compassion and commitment (4Cs)
Category Weight	15%	35%	25%	10%	15%
Community Service	Demonstrates long standing commitment to community service [unrelated to professional work]	Demonstrates unique accomplishments and/or serves as a role model in their service to others	Received awards/recognition from MMU or other organizations	Honors/displays MMU's values of competence, community, compassion and commitment (4Cs)	
Category Weight	20%	45%	20%	15%	
Service to University/ Alumnae Association	Demonstrates long standing commitment of service to the university or Alumnae Association	Has served in a variety of capacities with positive impact on the university or association	Takes leadership roles and serves as a role model in Alumnae Association or university activities	Honors/displays MMU's values of competence, community, compassion and commitment (4Cs)	
Category Weight	20%	30%	35%	15%	
Tower Award	Demonstrates excellence in their work and/or volunteerism	Shows unique accomplishments that distinguishes them from their colleagues and/or peers (peer recognition/references)	Displays great potential for future growth in their work and/or volunteerism	Received awards or recognitions from MMU or other organizations	Honors/displays MMU's values of competence, community, compassion and commitment (4Cs)
Category Weight	20%	35%	15%	15%	15%