

**SUGGESTED CRITERIA FOR DETERMINATION
OF EXCELLENCE IN
SCHOLARSHIP/RESEARCH**

The following are suggested criteria for evaluation of excellence in scholarship/research. Given that these criteria are not ordered in any priority fashion, it is assumed that any faculty member considered for the Pratt-Heins Scholarship Award shall demonstrate superior ability in most of these areas.

1. Of major consideration in any analysis of scholarship is the willingness of the nominee to undertake those activities that show a high level of accomplishment in credible and appropriate academic research.
2. It is equally important that the nominee has published the results of that research in appropriate publications or otherwise disseminated the research results in recognized forums.
3. The nominee provides a record of continuing involvement in valid and appropriate academic research.