



Capstone Experience/Thesis (CE/T) of the Year Nomination

Please fill out the top portion of this form and attach a letter of support for the eligible student. Completed nominations should be submitted to the CE/T Advisor (cet.advisor@wku.edu). In order to be considered for this award, the student *must* have defended and submitted the final electronic copy to the CE/T Advisor before the nomination deadline.

All nominations must be received by Wednesday of the last week of Spring Semester classes.

Name: _____

Student's Name: _____

Defense Date: _____

Final CE/T Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Nomination Guidelines

Only students whose CE/T projects earned the "Pass with Distinction" designation will be considered for this award. Projects that receive this distinction are clearly superior in every way. This designation is granted only to those candidates whose performance is superior and distinctive in all areas and if the draft presented at the defense requires only minimal revision. Additional guidelines that might be helpful are:

- The student's performance at the defense is clearly outstanding;
- The student showed extraordinary initiative and originality during the project;
- The CE/T is publishable, in part or whole (depending on the traditions of the disciplinary press) or deemed competitive in juried forums appropriate to field; and
- The CE/T is comparable to competent graduate work at the Masters-level.

Please attach a letter explaining how your student's project meets these criteria. You might also describe/evaluate the student's performance in the following areas:

- Scholarly/intellectual/creative merit,
- Quality and style of writing and/or any additional work presented (as appropriate to discipline), and
- Quality of the defense.

Please note: This is an interdisciplinary evaluation. Your letter of support should speak to faculty across disciplines. Also, quotes from the letter may be used for recruiting, development and/or sponsorship purposes.