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## **MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** October 17, 2017

**TO:** Deans, Associate Deans, Directors and Department Heads

**FROM:** Andrew C. Comrie, Ph.D.

Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost

**RE:** CUES Distinguished Fellowships

**Call for Nominations** 

I am pleased to issue the 2018 call for nominations for CUES Distinguished Fellowship awards.

The Center for University Education Scholarship (CUES) was established in 2016 to catalyze the practice of innovation and scholarship on university level teaching and learning. The CUES Distinguished Fellowships will be awarded to University of Arizona tenured, tenure-eligible, or career-track faculty who have demonstrated exceptional scholarship, innovative improvements, and strong leadership in addressing grand challenges in university level teaching and learning.

With generous donor support to acknowledge their ongoing work, CUES Distinguished Fellows will receive awards of \$20,000 annually for either one, two, or three year projects in at least one of three areas: innovation, scholarship, or grand challenges. Fellowships are awarded for calendar years beginning in January 2018 and will be honored at the Awards of Distinction ceremony in Spring 2018.

A complete description of the guidelines and criteria for nominations are available at: http://cues.arizona.edu/nominations.

Please nominate or encourage deserving individuals to apply. Nominations will be accepted until 5:00 PM on December 8, 2017.