



# AUM Community Engagement Recognition

Citizenship and community engagement (CE) are core values at AUM. We define community engagement as AUM's collaboration with our larger communities (local, regional/state, national, global) for the mutually beneficial exchange of knowledge and resources in a context of partnership and reciprocity. The purpose of community engagement is the partnership of AUM knowledge and resources with those of the public

and private sectors to enrich scholarship, research, and creative activity; enhance curriculum, teaching, and learning; prepare educated, engaged citizens; strengthen democratic values and civic responsibility; address critical societal issues; and contribute to the public good.

Apply by [April 1st](#) for recognition in the spring semester ceremony.

## STUDENTS

### Community Engaged Learners

#### Complete

- Six hours of community-engaged courses (e.g., UNIV, internships, Study Abroad/Away)
- Active involvement in service or civic engagement activities (document at least 8 hours)

#### Recognition:

- Recognition at ceremony
- Recognition on transcript
- Honors Cord

### Community Engaged Leaders

#### Complete

- Community Engaged Learner in previous year
- Three more hours of community-engaged courses
- Active leadership in service or civic engagement activities (document at least 8 hours)

#### Recognition:

- Recognition at ceremony
- Recognition on transcript
- Honors Cord (different color)
- Award for exemplary case, which might include leadership, innovation, impact, or commitment over time

### Community Engaged Faculty

#### Complete

- Participate in civic service or engagement for at least eight hours/academic year

#### At least one of these:

- Community-engaged professional service (related to professional expertise)
- Community-engaged teaching (offers a course that is recognized as CE by the EEEEC)
- Community-engaged scholarship (presentation or submission of manuscript)

#### Recognition:

- Recognition in ceremony
- Consideration in reviews
- Award for exemplary case, which might include leadership, innovation, impact, or commitment over time

### Community Engaged Staff

#### Complete

- Participate in service or civic engagement for at least eight hours/academic year
- Organizing/supporting programs or events for student related to CE
- For those who teach, teaching CE courses that are verified can count.

#### Recognition:

- Recognition in ceremony
- Consideration in annual review
- Award for exemplary case, which might include leadership, innovation, impact, or commitment over time

## Community Partners

AUM will annually recognize our community partners in order to acknowledge the power of collaborations between AUM and community partners, foster deeper connections between AUM and organizations, and encourage more AUM units to participate in community service initiatives.

Faculty, staff, students, and alumni may nominate community partners for recognition, which will be based on any combination of the following:

- A sustained collaboration between AUM and the partner over time
- The impact of the collaboration to the community
- Innovative characteristics of the collaboration
- Mutual benefit to AUM and the partner

#### Recognition:

- Each nominee will receive a certificate of recognition.
- An award will be given for an exemplary partnership with demonstrated impact.

[Nominate a community partner](#)



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