The national Carrick Institute for Learning and Teaching in Higher Education offers three different awards (1) Citations for Outstanding Contributions to Student Learning; (2) Teaching Excellence; (3) Programs that Enhance Learning.

The university received 8 citations for Outstanding Contributions to Student Learning.

Citations for Outstanding Contributions to Student Learning

Arts
Dr Stephen Robertson
Conservatorium of Music
Dr Diane Collins
The following colleagues were forwarded as the university’s nominees for the latter categories. The recipients will be announced later in the year.

Teaching Excellence

Biological Sciences, Health and Related Studies (including Agriculture, Animal Husbandry, Medicine, Nursing, etc)
Assoc Prof Rosanne Taylor
Law, Economics, Business and Related Studies
Prof Frank Stilwell
Humanities and the Arts
Dr Gaynor Macdonald
Physical Sciences and Related Studies (including Architecture, Building and Planning, Engineering, Computing and Information Science)
Dr Tom Hubble
Social Sciences (including Education)
Dr Lyn Carson

Indigenous Education, for receipt of Neville Bonner Award/s
Ms Sally Farrington and Ms Sue Page

Early Career
Dr Neal Peres Da Costa

Programs that Enhance Learning

The First Year Experience
Arts Network Mentoring Program
Dr Nerida Jarkey
Postgraduate Education
PReSS – Postgraduate Research Students’ Society, Northern Clinical School, RNSH

Innovations in Curricula, Learning and Teaching
Office of Teaching and Learning in Medicine – common first year Medicine/Dentistry
Assoc Prof Chris Roberts

Flexible Learning and Teaching
Ulyd eLearning
Dr Rob Ellis

Services Supporting Student Learning
Scaffolding Literacy
Dr David Rose

Educational Partnerships and Collaborations with other Organisations
Year 5 Extramural Support Team, Faculty of Veterinary Science
Dr John Baguley

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Vice-Chancellor’s Awards 2006

Outstanding Teaching

Economics and Business
Early Career Award: Giuseppe Carabotta

Education and Social Work
Dr Donna O’Connor

Health Sciences
Dr Mary Jane Mahony

Science
Dr Manjula Sharma

Support of the Student Experience

Arts Mentoring Network Program
Dr Nerida Jarkey

Koori Centre Web Presence
Deborah Kirby-Parnson & Curtis Flood, Koori Centre

Australian Physiotherapy Association
University of Sydney Group
Student: Roxanne Healey

Excellence in Research Higher Degree Supervision

University Awards
Health Sciences
Prof Mark O’Neill

Nursing & Midwifery
A/Prof Robyn Overall

Science
Dr Maureen Boughton

CHASS AWARD

Arts
Dr Carole Cusack

NSW Minister for Education and Training & The Australian College of Educators Quality Teaching Awards

Each year the Australian College of Education together with the New South Wales Department of Education sponsor Quality Teaching Awards. University educators are eligible for these awards. The Quality Teaching Awards recognize and applaud accomplished teaching. Over the years eleven members of the University of Sydney have received these prestigious awards. The application process for these awards is very rigorous. It includes a detailed but short portfolio, letters of nomination, class room visits, and interviews with students. The aim of the award is to learn from the example of outstanding teachers. A link to the web site is below. While the University has encouraged its teachers to seek such recognition, it has never been able to promote or support applicants. In light of that fact it is all the more remarkable that eleven individuals have succeeded in the process. Their names are listed below. Congratulations to each and every one of them!

To recognize their achievement and to encourage others to apply the Institute for Teaching and Learning recently organized a meeting with the recipients. In discussion they kindly agreed to constitute themselves as a network, to advise and support others in considering an application. To some extent each of them has been doing that individually, but that effort will now gain greater visibility and code-ordination. The Network will feature on the Institute’s web site in the near future. Those who attended the meeting also agreed to offer a panel discussion about learning through the application process at an alumni Chapter event on 1 September.

Members of the University of Sydney who have received a Quality Teaching Award are:

- Chemistry
  Dr Adrian George
  A/Prof Anthony Masters

- Education and Social Work
  Dr Robyn Ewing
  Dr Michael Anderson

- Government
  Dr Lyn Carson

- Geosciences
  Dr Thomas Hubble

- Pharmacy
  Erica Sainsbury

- Nursing and Midwifery
  Catherine Webb

- Sciences and Technology
  Dr Mary Peat

- Veterinary Science
  Dr Michelle Hyde
  Dr Paul McGreavy

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