The Carolina Center for Public Service oversees the annual selection of three campus-wide awards honoring individual students, faculty, staff and University units for exemplary public service and engaged scholarship. Award recipients are honored at a spring celebration where they receive a monetary award and framed certificate.

The Robert E. Bryan and Office of the Provost Awards require a very brief (two-paragraph) nomination submitted by 11:59 p.m., Feb. 2, 2015. Selected nominees will be invited to complete a more detailed submission about their work by Feb. 23, 2015. Final selection will be based on both the initial nomination and the nominee application.

Full nominations for the Ned Brooks Award are due by 11:59 p.m. Feb. 23, 2015.

All nominations open Dec. 1. and will be accepted at unc.edu/ccps/portal. For details, visit ccps.unc.edu/awards-recognition. For questions, email ccps@unc.edu or call 919-843-7568. Save the date for the 2015 Public Service Awards – April 7, 2015.
The **Robert E. Bryan Public Service Award** honors the memory and accomplishments of alumnus Robert E. Bryan ’26 of Newton Grove, North Carolina who worked his way through the University to become a successful businessman, entrepreneur and public servant.

Five Bryan Awards will be given for a specific effort (rather than an overall record) exemplifying outstanding engagement and service to the state of North Carolina that is characterized by:

1. working in partnership with community members,
2. inspiring and involving others, and/or helping others to serve,
3. responding to a practical problem, issue or concern of the state, and
4. working to assure the impact in the community is lasting.

Bryan Awards will be given to each of the following to recognize an outstanding

1. undergraduate student,
2. graduate student,
3. faculty member,
4. staff member and
5. officially recognized student organization.

The **Office of the Provost Engaged Scholarship Award** was established in 2000 by Provost Dick Richardson to recognize extraordinary public service and engaged scholarship at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. This award recognizes faculty members or university units for exemplary engaged scholarship in service to the state of North Carolina. The service should serve as an example of excellence, including responsiveness to community concerns and strong community partnerships.

Three Provost awards will be given, one each for:

1. engaged teaching,
2. engaged research and
3. engaged partnership.

The **Ned Brooks Award for Public Service** honors the contributions and values of Ned Brooks, who has served the University since 1972, making significant contributions to the mission of service and engagement, including a leadership role in the development of the Carolina Center for Public Service. The award recognizes a staff or faculty member of the University community who throughout his/her career has, in a collaborative and sustained manner, made a difference in the larger community by:

1. encouraging active involvement of others in service to and engagement with the community beyond the University, and/or
2. directly providing public service beyond the University, and
3. mentoring, inspiring and providing opportunities for others to effectively make a difference in the larger community.

The award is based on a sustained record of service over a period of years carried out through the individual’s role(s) at the University rather than as a private citizen. All faculty and staff are eligible. One award is given annually.