

2011 LexisNexis | ALTA Award

for Excellence and Innovation in the Teaching of Law

Assessment Criteria

Categories

- Major Award
- Early Career Law Teacher Award

1. Development of curricula that reflect teaching innovation and leadership

May be measured by the extent to which you

- Implement research-led approaches to learning and teaching.
- Demonstrate up-to-date knowledge of the field of study in the design of the curriculum.
- Develop creative resources for student learning.

2. Demonstrate teaching approaches that inspire learning

May be measured by the extent to which you

- Stimulate curiosity and independent learning;
- Develop critical thinking, analytical skills and scholarly values;
- Encourage student engagement;
- Demonstrate high-level presentation and communication skills;
- Organise course material and present it clearly and creatively.

3. Approaches to assessment and feedback that encourage independent learning, respect and support

May be measured by the extent to which you

- Show that you provide timely, worthwhile feedback to students on their learning;
- Demonstrate your integration of assessment and learning objectives in your teaching.
- Explain your implementation of combinations of formative and summative assessment strategies.
- Use a variety of assessment and feedback strategies to cater for diverse student needs.

4. Scholarly work that enhances your learning and teaching activities

May be measured by the extent to which you

- Show that your research in teaching and learning has been integrated into your teaching practice.
- Conduct and publish research related to teaching and learning.
- Demonstrate how you contribute to professional activities related to teaching and learning.
- Demonstrate advanced skills in evaluation and reflective practice.

Where resources have been developed or scholarly work undertaken as part of a team, the extent of your contribution should be clearly indicated.

