

Of the Year Nomination!

Please select the category of the nomination (click on the box and type an X). Please submit a separate form for each nomination.



Full time faculty



Part time faculty



Classified

Name of Nominee: Jonathan Anderson

Nominee Department/Area: English

Please provide ALL of the following information about the person being nominated.

- 1. Outstanding service and contributions to the college community.
 - a. Jonathan has gone above and beyond his role as our Department Co-Chair: hosting incredibly informative and supportive AB-705 professional development meetings; walking us newly hired English full timers through the PPR and our new roles on campus; and serving as a highly reliable mentor for our entire department as he helps us negotiate not just the newly instated online platform, but also answering all of our day-today questions and directing us where to go when our questions are beyond his abilities. He is a rock in such uncertain and unstable times.
- 2. Outstanding support of student success.
 - a. Jonathan has implemented all of the Best Practices changes of AB-705 into his courses. He often reports his successes in areas such as backwards course design, scaffolding, thematic

course design, and effectively using embedded tutors. His students grow as writers and thinkers in a supportive and compassionate environment. Additionally, Jonathan candidly speaks and reflects on his failures to reach students, always in attempt to model growth and development for our department and to the benefit of our students.

- 3. Any additional criteria deemed significant
 - a. Jonathan embodies and serves as an example of Crafton's Institutional Values of "academic excellence, inclusiveness, creativity, and the advancement of each individual." Since Jonathan grew out of an untraditional and non-academic environment, he is uniquely able to relate to our students and create a rigorously thoughtful learning environment which includes all students, not just our privileged students who are traditionally most likely to succeed. He implements creative pedagogical strategies and promotes teacher-to-student communication to ensure all of our students are able to advance their academic, career and personal goals. Best of all, he inspires us as faculty to grow, to challenge ourselves to be better, to take risks, to fail and to learn from our failures.

Date: 04-02-2020

Name of nominating faculty member: Ashley Nichole Hayes

Submit completed form to Meridyth McLaren, mmclaren@craftonhills.edu by 5:00 pm, Friday, April 10, 2020.