

Board of Admission for Excellent Teachers (2015-11-10)

The Board of Admission for Excellent Teachers has the responsibility to decide if the title of 'Excellent Teacher' is to be awarded to an applicant, teacher at the faculty of Science and Technology (TekNat), Uppsala University. The board analyses the submitted applications, sends them to experts in the field, decides if the applicant can be called for an interview and, finally, if they are awarded the title or not. The criteria on which the board bases its decision are broad, but may be summarized as follows:

- Analysis of the applicant's teaching philosophy
- Applicant's holistic perspective on teaching and learning
- Applicant's scientific approach to teaching and learning
- Pedagogical leadership skills
- Interaction with students and student development
- Pedagogical prizes

The first meeting of the board for this semester (2015, autumn) took place on the 12th of October. Two applications were submitted to the Board of Admission for Excellent Teachers, one by Kjell Staffas and another by Åsa Cajander. The meeting's purpose was to decide whether or not the applications should be sent for analysis to experts. Since both applicants submitted all necessary documents (C.V., Teaching portfolio and recommendation letter from the prefect), it was decided that their applications should be sent.

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