

Call for Nominations
The Second Language Research SIG Mid-Career Award

This award honors an outstanding scholar who has developed a research agenda for between six and fifteen years beyond the conferral of the doctoral degree. The award is designed to recognize an individual with a promising program of research on significant issues in the field of second language education.

Nominated mid-career researchers will be evaluated on the aims and potential outcomes of their work, as well as the overall degree to which their research advances knowledge in the field of second language research, promotes equity and access for students, teachers, teacher educators, communities, and/or families, and influences the creation, collection, and analysis of data. The nominated researcher must demonstrate a strong record of publications that reaches audiences in peer reviewed journals for researchers and/or practitioner-oriented journals, widely-disseminated reports from professional organizations, or scholarly publishing entities such as university or other academic presses.

Nomination packets must include:

- (1) A one-page letter of nomination describing the impact and reach of the nominees' scholarly footprint;
- (2) The nominee's most recent curriculum vitae;
- (3) Two representative scholarly publications; and
- (4) One letter of support from an individual familiar with the nominee's contributions in the areas of second language research and teaching or teacher education.
Letters of support must elaborate on how the research demonstrates the qualities listed in the paragraph above.

Self-nominations will not be accepted.

Please send nominations to: Dr. Liv T. Dávila, Awards Committee Co-Chair,
livtd@illinois.edu no later than **November 1, 2015**.