

**ATTENTION!!**  
*Call for nominations and submissions*  
*for the first annual*  
**Ashok Kumar Malhotra**  
**Seva (Compassionate Service) Faculty Award**

**Eligibility:** All SUNY-Oneonta faculty

**Selection criteria include:**

1. Exemplary record of community service (locally, nationally, &/or internationally),
2. Ability to motivate others to perform community service,
3. Record of integrating community service into the teaching and learning process, and
4. Ability to give a 45-minute presentation concerning items #1-3.

**FRIDAY, APRIL 25, 2008:** Deadline for nominations (including self-nominations) to:

**Seva Faculty Award Committee**  
**Office of the Provost**  
**340 Netzer Administration Building**

**Note:** Electronic submissions are encouraged. Email materials to [seva@oneonta.edu](mailto:seva@oneonta.edu) or complete the online form at the following website: [www.oneonta.edu/seva](http://www.oneonta.edu/seva).

**Late September or early October 2008:** The first recipient of the Seva Faculty Award will receive a \$1000 check and give a public lecture in the Craven lounge (followed or preceded by an appropriate reception).

**Checklist of materials to submit:**

- \_\_\_ 1. Statement regarding community service, including evidence of: (a) motivating others and (b) integrating community service into the teaching and learning process.
- \_\_\_ 2. Title and brief outline of proposed presentation.
- \_\_\_ 3. Explanation of why the topic will interest a general audience, how it will inspire others to perform community service, and how it will enhance the reputation of the college.
- \_\_\_ 4. Letter of support from someone familiar with the candidate's community service.

The Ashok Kumar Malhotra Seva Faculty Award is made possible by an endowment created by Dr. Ashok Malhotra, Distinguished Teaching Professor of Philosophy. A similar award honors students who (a) maintain a high GPA and (b) demonstrate an exemplary record of community service. Contact Linda Drake at the Center for Social Responsibility for details.

This year's selection committee includes Dr. Douglas Shrader (chair – Distinguished Teaching Professor & Chair of Philosophy), Ms. Linda Drake (Director of the Center for Social Responsibility), Dr. Janet Nepkie (Distinguished Service Professor of Music), and Dr. Gretchen Sorin (Distinguished Service Professor & Chair of History Museum Studies). Each recipient of the Seva Faculty Award will also serve on the selection committee for the following three years.