**FLAM**

**2019 Lifetime Achievement Award**

FLAM is soliciting nominations for the Lifetime Achievement Award to be presented at the annual fall conference. The award honors a member of the foreign language teaching profession who has devoted his/her professional career to the improvement of foreign language learning. The honoree must be within two years of retirement or recently retired and must have been a member of FLAM for the past consecutive five years. The honoree must have a minimum of fifteen years teaching experience at elementary, middle, secondary or post-secondary level.

I. Criteria for Nomination

Only current FLAM members who have been a member of FLAM for the past five consecutive years may make a nomination. The nominees themselves may submit their own nominations. The nominee must have a minimum of 15 years teaching experience at elementary, middle, secondary or post-secondary level.

**All nominating and support materials must be sent electronically.**

II. Information on the Nominee:

 The following information is required:

A. Educational background

B. Missouri teaching experience

C. Missouri professional lifetime achievements

III. Letters of Recommendation:

A minimum of two (2) letters must be submitted and may come from any of the following sources: principal, supervisor, departmental chairperson, deans, colleagues, current or former students.

The nominator must arrange for delivery of all documents by **March 15, 2019**. All materials need to be submitted electronically in PDF format to:

**Tonia Tinsley - FLAM President-Elect and Grant/Award Chair: tetinsley@missouristate.edu**