# Oregon TECH

# STUDENT AWARDS

## HIRAM M. HUNT AWARD

The *Hiram M. Hunt Award*, donated by the late Dr. Hiram M. Hunt, is presented to an individual or student group for a specific **undergraduate** student led project judged to have made a significant contribution to their field.  Projects targeted for end of Spring term completion may be nominated.  Graduate level student work is not eligible for this award.  A presentation may be requested in support of a nomination.

SELECTION CRITERIA:

1. Individual or group members are enrolled as **bachelor's** degree-seeking students during the current academic year
2. 20% Originality of work
3. 20% Ability to think and work independently and/or in teams
4. 20% Demonstrates effective critical thinking and/or problem solving
5. 20% Thoroughness and perseverance
6. 20% Intellectual curiosity
7. Student will submit a **Student Biography before midnight on April 16, 2025** located at: Student Biography Form

The **Hiram M. Hunt Award** consists of an engraved permanent plaque housed on the Klamath Falls campus in the Student Affairs Office in the College Union.  The recipient is given an engraved plaque and certificate to keep.

SUBMISSION:

Letter of Nomination deadline:
**Midnight on March 19, 2025 to Student Affairs: CU 217 (Klamath Falls) or student.affairs@oit.edu**
Indicate the student's name and for which student award you are nominating the person. Clearly state how the student meets the student award criteria and why you are nominating the person for this award.  Nomination is only considered for that specific award and not for others; however, you may nominate a student for more than one award with a separate nomination letter.  Include a paragraph or sentence explaining how you know the person you are writing about and the nature of your relationship with them. Also include an evaluation of the student's skills and accomplishments.

Recommendation Letter(s) & Student Biography deadline:
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It is highly encouraged by the Student Awards Commission that the student seeks at least one recommendation letter (no more than 5) from a student, staff, faculty, friend, or community member.  The letter should express their support for the student award nomination with a few points from the above award criteria.