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Christopher Dieni Institute of Biochemistry Carleton University Ottawa, Canada

Dear Chris.

Earlier in March, you received a letter for being nominated for a Capital Educators' Award. This award celebrates and recognizes talented individuals from all levels of education in the Ottawa region who have made a significant impact on their students' lives. Today, I am very pleased to inform you that you have been selected as a finalist for this award – one of six from Carleton University. This is indeed an impressive accomplishment and attests to your dedication to teaching.

The Capital Educators' Awards will be presented at a formal event entitled *EduGala*, to be held Thursday, May 19 at Algonquin College, Woodroffe Campus. As a finalist, you and your guest are invited to the dinner, which begins at 7:00 p.m., as well as to a cocktail reception scheduled to commence at 6:00 p.m. that evening. I hope very much that you will be able to attend the event to represent teaching excellence at Carleton University.

Please get in touch with Laura Ravelo (<u>laura.ravelo@carleton.ca</u> ex. 3460) at the Office of the Associate Vice-President (Teaching and Learning) to confirm your attendance to this event. Further details of the upcoming event will be circulated shortly.

Congratulations on your selection as a finalist!

Yours sincerely,

Peter Ricketts, BA (Hons), PhD

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