



The SMU Distinguished Alumni Award

The Distinguished Alumni Award is the highest and most prestigious award the University can bestow upon its alumni. The award is presented to an alumnus or alumna of SMU who has demonstrated a record of distinguished service and extraordinary achievement in a particular discipline, organization, or cause that brings distinction to the University. Each year, individuals are chosen by the SMU Alumni Board Nominations Committee to receive this prominent award.

- Any individual may nominate an alumna and/or alumnus for this award
- Nominations must be received by mail by December 31, 2016 for consideration in 2017
- Once nominated, the individual's name remains in nomination for a total of three consecutive years, including the initial year in which they were nominated. After that time, the individual may be nominated again
- Please send the completed attached nomination form to:

SMU Office of Alumni Relations
Attn: Distinguished Alumni Award Nominations
P.O. Box 750173
Dallas, TX 75275-0173

Questions about the nomination process should be directed to the Office of Alumni Relations: 214-SMU-ALUM or 888-327-3755, or smualum@smu.edu

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NOMINATION FORM

Must be postmarked by December 31, 2016 for consideration in 2017

Nominee Name: _____

Class Year: _____

College/Major (if known): _____

Current occupation/title: _____
(attach current resume)

Main Criteria:

Record of extraordinary service and achievement to a particular organization or cause that has brought distinction to the University, either directly or indirectly
(attach press clippings, etc.)

Factors for consideration:

Examples of good character and citizenship
(attach character references)

Commitment to the University

Please note: The attachment of relevant support documents (i.e., letters of recommendation, press clippings, etc.) is encouraged.

Nomination Date: _____

Nominator's Name: _____

Contact information (address, email and/or phone number): _____
