



Alumni Achievement Award & Young Alumni Achievement Award Guidelines

Created in 2010, the **College of Arts & Sciences Alumni Achievement Award** has recognized alumni who have made outstanding professional achievements while maintaining a connection to their community and alma mater.

This year, we introduce the **College of Arts & Sciences Young Alumni Achievement Award** to acknowledge and encourage service to the University by alumni aged 40 and younger.

Award Nomination guidelines:

- **The nominee must be a University of Delaware College of Arts and Sciences alumnus/na** (defined as completing at least 30 credit hours).
- **The nominee is making a significant contribution to further his/her profession.** This may include:
 - Holding a leadership position within an organization
 - Proven innovation in his/her field
 - Professional service activities the nominee has been involved with or leadership positions held. Examples include, but are not limited to, elected or appointed offices, directorships and trusteeships.
- **The nominee has made significant professional accomplishments and achievements.** This may include:
 - Honors for his/her excellence and service through professional or civic awards and commendations
 - Reaching a pinnacle of success related to job titles and positions held
- **The nominee has maintained a relationship with the University of Delaware.** This may include:
 - Serving on a University of Delaware committee or board
 - Speaking on campus, providing internships or recruiting UD students
 - Attending UD campus, regional alumni club or athletic events
 - Maintaining a relationship with his/her advisor or faculty members
 - Financial support of the University will be considered
- **The nominee is involved in his/her community.** This may include:
 - Serving on a local board or as a trustee for an organization
 - Volunteering for an organization or for an event related to his/her community or a national cause
 - Connecting his/her company to the community

Individuals not selected the first year of nomination are automatically reconsidered the following year. Selected award recipients must be present to receive their award in person during the induction ceremony.

The 2019 College of Arts & Sciences Alumni Achievement Awards
induction ceremony and reception will be held
Tuesday, May 21, 2019
University of Delaware Newark Campus

Deadline for nominations is Friday, March 1, 2019
For additional information, please contact Maura Ruffing
via e-mail at mruffing@udel.edu or by phone at (302) 831-7070



Alumni Achievement Award & Young Alumni Achievement Award Nomination Form

Name: _____

Class Year _____ Major _____ Degree _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone () _____ Work Phone () _____

E-mail _____

Employer _____

Title _____

Please answer the following questions on supplemental sheets. Supporting documents for each area, such as newspaper articles, press releases and resumes are strongly encouraged. Details for each question are included on the previous page.

1. What significant contributions has the nominee made to his or her profession and/or field?
2. What are the nominee's career accomplishments and achievements?
3. How has the nominee remained connected to the University of Delaware?
4. Detail any community service activities with which the nominee has been involved. This includes both leadership roles as well as participation.

Nominator's Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Daytime Phone () _____ E-mail address _____

Relationship/Connection to Nominee _____

Return by Friday, March 1, 2019 to: mruffing@udel.edu or

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