



## 2015 UTEP Distinguished Alumni Award

### Nomination Form

The true measure of a university's greatness can be found in the achievements of its alumni. Many Texas College of Mines and Metallurgy, Texas Western College, and The University of Texas at El Paso graduates have made exceptional contributions to their profession, community, and/or to the University. The UTEP Alumni Association and The University of Texas at El Paso are proud to honor such outstanding alumni through the Distinguished Alumni Awards. If you know of, or are such a accomplished alumna/us, please complete and submit this nomination form by **February 13, 2015**.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ CLASS YEAR: \_\_\_\_\_

NOMINEE: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

EMPLOYER: \_\_\_\_\_

BUSINESS TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

OCCUPATION: \_\_\_\_\_

BUSINESS ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

UTEP DEGREE: \_\_\_\_\_ MAJOR: \_\_\_\_\_

The nominee is a graduate of which UTEP College or academic program?

\_\_\_ College of Business Administration

\_\_\_ College of Education

\_\_\_ College of Engineering

\_\_\_ College of Health Sciences

\_\_\_ School of Nursing

\_\_\_ College of Liberal Arts

\_\_\_ College of Science

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Please list additional degrees and honors from other universities:

Briefly explain below or in an attachment why you believe the nominee should be recognized as a Distinguished Alumni. Please include activities that demonstrate the nominee's continuing interest in and ongoing loyalty to UTEP.

Attach Additional Supporting Information as Appropriate. \_\_\_\_ Resume; \_\_\_\_ C.V.; \_\_\_\_ Photo(s).

Electronic versions are preferred and can be sent to [alumni@utep.edu](mailto:alumni@utep.edu).

NOMINATOR (self-nominations are accepted): \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return this form by February 13, 2015 to:**

**UTEP Alumni Association - The Distinguished Alumni Award Selection Committee**

**Peter and Margaret de Wetter Center**

**500 West University Avenue**

**El Paso, Texas 79968-0724**

**Phone: (915) 747-8600 Fax: (915) 747-5502**

**1-866-GO-MINERS**

**[alumni@utep.edu](mailto:alumni@utep.edu)**

**[www.alumni.utep.edu](http://www.alumni.utep.edu)**

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## UTEP DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI AWARDS GENERAL SELECTION CRITERIA

The Distinguished Alumni Award is presented by the UTEP Alumni Association and the University, and is the highest honor that can be bestowed on an exceptional alumna/us. In comparison, the Gold Nugget Awards are presented by UTEP's Colleges and Schools to their most outstanding alumni.

### **To be considered for the Distinguished Alumni award each alumna/us must be:**

- A graduate of The University of Texas at El Paso.
- Able to accept the award in person during the annual Homecoming festivities (Homecoming week usually falls from mid-October to early November).

### **Each alumna/us will be evaluated on a combination of their:**

- Accomplishments in their business, profession, life work, or other worthy endeavors.
- Integrity, stature, and ability to inspire pride in the faculty, staff, students, and alumni.
- Contributions to the community, state, or nation.
- Continuing interest, loyalty, and pride in UTEP.
- Uncommon generosity of time and/or financial support to the University.
- Ability through deed and actions to reflect and recognize the importance of his/her education.

### **A nominee is ineligible if he/she:**

- Is a candidate for any public office or currently serving in an electoral position
- Is a member of the award selection committee
- Has previously received the Distinguished Alumni Award

Upon initial review, the Nomination Form will be forwarded to the Distinguished Alumni Awards selection committee. The selection committee may then solicit additional materials in support of the nomination.