2017 UTEP Distinguished Alumni Award

Nomination Form

The true measure of a university's greatness can be found in the achievements of its alumni. Many graduates of The University of Texas at El Paso (previously Texas Western College and The Texas College of Mines and Metallurgy) 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 one of these accomplished alumna/us, please complete and submit this nomination form by **February 24, 2017**.

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.

To complete the application for consideration, it is required to submit the following supporting documents: 1) Nomination Form 2) Short Bio 3) Resume or CV, and 4) Nominee Photo(s). Electronic versions are preferred and can be sent to alumniawards@utep.edu by February 24, 2017.

NOMINATOR (self-nominations are accepted): _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

Please return this form by February 24, 2017 to:

UTEP Alumni Association - The Distinguished Alumni Award Selection Committee
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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.