

# DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI AWARDS



## Distinguished Athletics Award Nomination

**NOMINATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, May 27, 2016 (by 5 p.m. MST)**

*All nominations must be RECEIVED by this time/date.*

### AWARD DESCRIPTION

The purpose of this award is to recognize an individual for his/her outstanding commitment to Colorado State University Athletics who has contributed to the goal of excellence in Athletics and brought honor to the University. The recipient may be a former Department of Athletics staff member, former athlete, or dedicated volunteer, and does not need to be a Colorado State University graduate.

### AWARD CRITERIA

#### **Ideal candidate must have:**

- Evidence of outstanding commitment to CSU Athletics.
- Made significant contributions (as a staff member, athlete, volunteer, or donor) toward the success of CSU Athletics.
- Demonstrated achievements that have brought honor to the University.
- Demonstrate their pride in CSU through contributions of time and/or resources.

### GUIDELINES OVERVIEW

This is an overview of some of the nomination guidelines. For a full description of the guidelines and/or a list of past recipients, please refer to the website [www.alumni.colostate.edu](http://www.alumni.colostate.edu)

#### **Eligibility**

- The award is open to alumni or friends.
- Candidates may only be considered for one award category per year.
- Candidates may only receive one award every five years.
- Past award recipients may not be re-nominated for the same award.
- Awards may not be given to persons whose election would generate a potential conflict of interest with their current responsibilities and their selection as a Distinguished Alumni Award recipient, such as:
  - Any person currently running for an elected office or being considered for an appointed political office.
  - Any person receiving monetary compensation from Colorado State University or its affiliates during the nomination process (exception: Albert C. Yates Student Leadership Award, Distinguished Faculty Award, and Distinguished Alumni Employee Award).
  - Current Colorado State University System governing board members, Alumni Association board members, and CSU Foundation and CSU Research Foundation board members.
  - Any person, who by other position of potential conflict of interest not previously identified above, is determined by the Awards Committee to be ineligible for this award.

#### **General Guidelines**

- Nominations must be RECEIVED by the posted deadline. Nominations received after the deadline are not guaranteed full consideration.
- All nominations must follow specific award guidelines. Specific guidelines are listed on each award form.
- Please do not submit paper nominations in a binder or a bound format.

### SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

With the nomination form, please attach the following:

1. Nominee's vitae/resume (please limit the vitae/resume to **no more than 4 pages**)
2. **No more than 5 pages** of supporting documents (i.e. letters of support, newspaper clippings, etc.)

## MAILING ADDRESS

Submit complete nominations to:

Colorado State University Alumni Association  
Distinguished Alumni Awards  
7114 Campus Delivery  
Fort Collins, CO 80523-7114

Or e-mail nominations to:

[Gloria.owusu@colostate.edu](mailto:Gloria.owusu@colostate.edu)

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\*denotes required fields/section

### NOMINEE INFORMATION

First Name*:	Middle Initial:	Last Name*:
Address*:		
City*:	State*:	Zip*:
Daytime Phone*:	E-mail*:	
CSU Grad Year (if applicable):	College:	
Degree:		
Non-CSU Degrees (identify university and graduation year):		
Occupation/Profession:	Title:	
Business Name:		
Business Address:		
Business Phone:		

### QUESTIONS\*

Please attach your responses to these questions. Each question has a size/length limit of **3500 characters, including spaces**. Nominations that exceed the size/length restrictions may not receive full consideration.

1. How has the nominee demonstrated an outstanding commitment to Colorado State University Athletics?
2. How has the nominee made significant contributions toward the success of Colorado State University Athletics?
3. In what ways has the nominee brought honor to Colorado State University?
4. In what ways has the nominee demonstrated pride in CSU through contributions of time and/or resources?

### NOMINATOR INFORMATION

First Name*:	Last Name*:	
Address*:		
City*:	State*:	Zip*:
Daytime Phone*:	E-mail*:	

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