



Cullen College of Engineering

UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON

**2024 CULLEN GALA AWARDS
NOMINATION PACKET**

University of Houston 2024 Cullen Gala Awards

Lifetime Achievement Award

The Lifetime Achievement Award honors alumni who have made significant academic and/or professional achievements consistently throughout the course of their careers. The award celebrates the culmination of a career, one that has impacted the profession, community and society through demonstrated leadership, ingenuity and service.

Nominees must be a graduate of the Cullen College of Engineering over the age of 65 and retired/semi-retired from their profession. In addition, the nominees must satisfy three or more of the following criteria:

- a. Has demonstrated a continued interest in the Cullen College of Engineering by serving as an ambassador promoting the College's reputation regionally, nationally and/or internationally. Examples include supporting the College as a member of the Cullen College of Engineering Leadership Advisory Board, demonstrating exceptional leadership skills within the engineering profession, providing mentoring and or research opportunities for students in the College and/or graduates from the College and contributing time, money, instructional equipment or research support that has significantly enhanced the College's reputation within the State of Texas, across the nation and internationally.
- b. Has created, managed, or led an engineering or service organization for which his or her skills and education brought national and international recognition.
- c. Has served as an exemplary community leader and provided exceptional leadership to the community and profession.
- d. Has had a distinguished career in which he/she attained national/international recognition for their accomplishments.

The Lifetime Achievement Award is a one-time honor. The Cullen College of Engineering Awards Selection Committee will select up to one recipient annually. Members of the awards nomination committee and the awards selection committee and/or relatives, employers and employees of members of the committees are not eligible for consideration. The award may not be conferred in absentia; however, it may be granted posthumously.

Distinguished Engineering Alumni Award

The Distinguished Engineering Alumni Award recognizes alumni who have made significant contributions to society and whose service, accomplishments and careers have brought credit to the University of Houston and the Cullen College of Engineering.

Each nominee must satisfy the following criteria:

- a. Has earned a degree from the University of Houston Cullen College of Engineering.
- b. Nominee must have earned their first degree from the College at least ten years prior to selection.
- c. Must be distinguished in his or her business, profession, life work or other worthy endeavors.
- d. Must be a person of such integrity, stature and demonstrated ability that the award will reflect honor on the UH Cullen College of Engineering.
- e. Has demonstrated a continuing interest in the UH Cullen College of Engineering.
- f. Must have provided service to professional, business, civic and social organizations.

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Faculty members at UH who have earned a degree from the University of Houston Cullen College of Engineering are also eligible for this award, in addition to alumni who are in industry and professional service. However, it is expected that the above criteria, when applied to faculty members, will be applied in a manner appropriate for their circumstances. For example, faculty nominees may be deemed as appropriate candidates if they have demonstrated exceptional service to the university community beyond that which is normally associated with faculty members. Or, faculty nominees may have made significant contributions to the profession beyond that normally associated with the usual research that is expected from faculty members. Or, faculty nominees may have used their research to benefit the surrounding community in a manner not usually seen among faculty.

Excellence in Leadership Award

The Excellence in Leadership Award recognizes individuals/organizations who illustrate outstanding efforts to contribute to the success of the Cullen College of Engineering through their leadership and service.

Nominees must satisfy the following criteria:

- a. Has exhibited the qualities of leadership, management and team-building skills necessary for the operations of a successful business, including the introduction of new or significant improvements to existing processes that increase productivity, decrease cost, improve quality, or enhance the competitive position of the nominee's company.
- b. Must be of such integrity, stature and demonstrated ability that the award will reflect honor on the UH Cullen College of Engineering.
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Lifetime Achievement Award – Nomination Form

Please Submit in PDF Format

Provide a nomination letter (2 pages maximum-minimum font of 11 points) and complete the Nomination Form. Additional information may be attached to the Nomination Form (maximum of 5 additional pages) in response to items 6 through 9. A resume can be submitted and will be counted as a part of the 5 additional pages.

*This nomination process is extremely **confidential** and the nominator shall avoid disclosure of nominations to anyone (including the nominee).*

1. Nominee's Full Name: _____ D.O.B.: _____

2. Email Address: _____

3. Home/Business Address: _____

4. Occupation/Title: _____

5. Degrees earned at UH and dates confirmed: _____

6. Memberships in professional, business, civic and social organizations:

7. Describe the eminence, service and accomplishments of the nominee in the chosen field of endeavor. (Please describe service.)

8. Describe significant contributions by the nominee that benefit the University of Houston, the community, state or nation through public service, civic acts, social service, service in the armed forces, etc.

9. Additional information regarding the nominee:

Nominator (please print): _____

Address: _____

Daytime Telephone: _____ E-mail Address: _____

Submit nomination materials to:

Cullen College of Engineering
C/O Nine Ibarra
4222 Martin Luther King Blvd., E421
Houston, TX 77204
Email: naibarr3@central.uh.edu

Deadline: 01 June 2024

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**THE INAUGURAL CULLEN GALA
WILL BE HELD OCTOBER 10, 2024**

**Award winners will be selected in July 2024.
If your nominee is selected, you will be contacted shortly after
the selection process is complete.**

Thank you for your support.