Harper College

2025 Distinguished Alumni Award

**Nomination Form**

The Nomination Form can also be accessed and submitted online at [harpercollege.edu/alumni](http://www.harpercollege.edu/alumni)

**CRITERIA FOR NOMINATION**

* The candidate attended Harper College and completed a minimum of 12 credit hours.
* The candidate has achieved success of an exceptional nature within their chosen field or profession.
* Through leadership, public service, philanthropy, and/or active volunteering, the candidate has made a positive impact in his/her community.
* The candidate agrees to accept the award at the Distinguished Alumni Awards Event to be held on **Thursday, November 6.**
* The candidate is willing to return to campus at least once within the year (in addition to accepting the award) to be a guest speaker and/or participate in a student engagement activity.\*

**NOMINATION REQUIREMENTS**

* Nomination form must be completed and submitted by 5:00 p.m. (CST) on **Monday, May 5, 2025** and must be accompanied by a current resume or bio**.**
* Nominees can self-nominate or be nominated by someone else.
* If self-nominating, at least **two** current letters of recommendation **must be submitted.**
* Additional supplementary materials may be submitted which support the nomination and highlight the applicant’s accomplishments and contributions (i.e. news articles, brochures, awards/honors, photos, etc.).

*\*Harper College is open to discussing other ideas for involvement and/or potential student engagement activities when candidates are asked to accept the Distinguished Alumni Award.*

**CANDIDATE INFORMATION**

Date:

Nominee First and Last Name:

Nominee Former Name (Maiden):

Nominee Employer and Job Title:

Nominee Business Address: Nominee Home Address:

Business Phone: Home/Cell Phone:

 Email:

Dates Nominee Attended Harper College or Graduation Year:

Major/Area(s) of Study:

Is Nominee a Harper Graduate:  Yes  No

If yes, please provide associate degree name:

Did Nominee Receive a Certificate:  Yes  No

If yes, please provide certification program:

**Please Describe How the Nominee Meets Each of the Following Criteria:**

1. Please provide a statement about how the nominee has achieved success of an exceptional nature in their chosen field or profession, including how they have demonstrated leadership in their field. Include: 1) notable career moves, 2) important accomplishments and contributions, 3) professional affiliations and 4) honors or awards received. Please be specific and use additional pages if needed.

1. Please provide a statement about how the nominee has made a positive impact in the community through leadership, volunteering, philanthropy, and/or public service involvement. Please includes dates/timeframe of service. Please note if the community service impact made is through a career role or of a personal nature, or both.

Please be specific and use additional pages if needed.

**Contact Information of Nominator**

Nominated By:

Relationship to nominee:

Is nominee aware that you are nominating him/her?

Nominator’s Employer and Job Title:

Nominator Business Address: Nominator Home Address:

Business Phone: Home/Cell Phone:

Fax: Email:

Application will not be considered if incomplete.

Please submit nomination by Monday, May 5. Email additional supplementary material to alumni@harpercollege.edu. Please email or send US Mail to:

Harper College Educational Foundation

ATTN: Alumni Relations

1200 West Algonquin Road

Palatine, IL 60067-7398

Phone: 847-925-6701

Email: alumni@harpercollege.edu

Total Credit Hours Earned:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(to be completed internally)