



APSCU

ASSOCIATION OF
PRIVATE SECTOR COLLEGES
AND UNIVERSITIES

APSCU Hall of Fame Award

Deadline April 2, 2012

The Hall of Fame was established to recognize graduates of private career colleges, who have achieved noteworthy success in their chosen career field. They acknowledge that attending a private sector career college or institution was a major step in their climb to success.

Past recipients of the APSCU Hall of Fame represent many men and women who began their journey to satisfying and successful careers by attending a private sector career institution. These graduates serve as examples for current students.

AWARD BACKGROUND

The APSCU Hall of Fame program was established to recognize, at the national level, students who have had extraordinary success and outstanding careers after leaving their colleges. This program helps identify people who have improved their lives with specialized education and training from a postsecondary private career college or institute.

ELIGIBILITY

Judgment will be made primarily on the achievement of the student in the years following their education. To be eligible, candidates **must** meet the following conditions:

- Be a graduate of an APSCU member private career college or school.
- Have substantial job experience (**usually seven to ten years or more**) related to the education and training they received at the institution submitting their application.
- Be nominated by the institution.
- Contributions must be clearly identifiable and documented.
- Cannot be an owner or director of an APSCU member school.
- Provide written consent for a background check prior to consideration.

CRITERIA

Candidates will be measured on general indicators of personal success such as job competency, achievement, innovativeness, contributions to the field, career success, and community service.

The members inducted into the Hall of Fame should represent high levels of performance, character, job advancement, and success, to be recognized as role models and leaders of society. They should reflect great credit to their institutions and their job fields.

HALL OF FAME HONORS

Individuals selected by the Awards Committee will be honored at a special ceremony during the APSCU Convention & Exposition. Winners will be inducted permanently into the APSCU Hall of Fame. The honorees will receive a special award during the awards luncheon held during the APSCU Convention & Exposition, June 22, 2012 in Las Vegas, NV.

ESTABLISH YOUR OWN HALL OF FAME PROGRAM

Institutions and state associations of private career colleges are encouraged to establish their own Hall of Fame program. By starting this program, each school will be able to easily identify successful students. These students can serve as role models to potential students, and can help promote the value and significance of each institution. Students can become candidates for possible inclusion in the national Hall of Fame program.

HOW THIS PROGRAM BENEFITS THE INSTITUTION

- Increases student recognition
- Enhances image
- Inspires faculty
- Promotes goodwill
- Stimulates achievement
- Builds employee morale
- Helps with employment of graduates
- Improves recruitment
- Presents new opportunities

IMPACT ON OUR SECTOR

This program has great promotional value. The private postsecondary community gains by recognizing its graduates. These former students will serve as testimony to the significance of learning technical and professional skills.



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Entry Form

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Please duplicate this form for multiple entries.

Candidate

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Dates of Attendance _____ Date of Graduation _____

Course(s) of Study _____

Note: Please notify the candidate that credit and background checks will be conducted during the selection process. The candidate must provide written consent, along with DOB, current city and state of residence.

Institution

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Contact _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

Email _____ Date _____

Limitation Notice: Recipients of this award may only win once.

Please provide the items listed below. Entries **must** be typed and submitted electronically via email in one file.

- Biographical information, including information on accomplishments or special awards.
- Current job description.
- Letter of support for the award from the employer.
- A quote from the former student as to why his/her career education was important for career success.
- A letter from the APSCU institution, "Why this candidate should be inducted into the Hall of Fame."
- High resolution color photo(s).
- A statement of consent for a background check (including full name, city, state, and date of birth) signed and dated by the nominee.

Send your nomination to: Carolyn.Woods@apscu.org. For questions or more information, please contact Carolyn Woods at (202) 336-6745.