

NOMINATION FORM

**AAHC 2009 Student Achievers' Awards and Leadership Recognition Banquet
November 14, 2009 – Saturday, 6:00 - 9:00 pm
Sheraton Hotel Downtown Orlando, 60 S. Ivanhoe Boulevard, Orlando**

Won't you help us identify the individuals and organizations who devote their time and resources to promote and enhance the positive image of Asian Americans in our communities? We would like to consider presenting them with a Leadership Recognition Award at our forthcoming premier event, the "AAHC 2009 Student Achievers' Awards and Leadership Recognition Banquet."

Please Note: 1. This nomination must be postmarked by Nov. 14, 2009 to be considered for this year. 2. The winners have to be present to receive the awards for this year.

I / WE NOMINATE

Name: _____
Title or Position: _____
Company or Organization: _____
Address: _____

Phone Number: _____
Fax Number: _____
Email: _____

CATEGORY *(Check one)*

- Community Service Award – Individual Community Service Award – Corporate
 Leadership in Diversity – Individual Leadership in Diversity – Corporate

NOMINATED BY:

Name: _____
Title or Position: _____
Company or Organization: _____
Address: _____

Phone Number: _____
Fax Number: _____
Email: _____

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Complete the nomination form.
2. Review the attached criteria and include all information that applies. Use a separate sheet of paper if necessary, or enclose a curriculum vitae. All claims of accomplishments and / or honors must have supporting documents.
3. Enclose a paragraph (no more than 500 words) on why you believe the nominee qualifies for the category selected. Evaluation of the candidate will rely on this narrative.
4. Mail nomination form with CV, supporting documents and narrative to:

**AAHC Nominations Committee
636 North Thornton Avenue, Orlando, FL 32803**

Postmarked no later than Nov. 7, 2009.

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C A T E G O R I E S

- **Community Service** – Award honors those who personify a true friend of Asian Americans through contributions to advance the Asian American interests in civic, cultural, government and business communities. There are two categories for this award: *Individual* and *Corporate*.
- **Leadership in Diversity** – Award honors an individual or corporation who demonstrated a leadership role in the community through a continuous focus on promoting an increased awareness and appreciation for diversity, and who successfully implemented programs to advance this cause.

H O W T O S U B M I T A N O M I N A T I O N

1. Complete the nomination form.
2. Enclose the curriculum vitae of the individual, describe his / her accomplishments and / or honors and distinctions received which are the given reasons the nomination is being made in the categories selected. Corporate nominations should describe the programs and / or company projects that clearly demonstrate the programs advance Asian American interests in the community.
3. Mail the nomination forms to:

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CELEBRATE!

Join us as we honor those individuals and organizations who devote their time and other resources to promote and enhance the positive image of Asian Americans in our communities.

Nominations are now open

For the

2009

ASIAN AMERICAN HERITAGE COUNCIL AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCE

A panel of leaders from business, government and the Asian American community will evaluate.

*Celebrate Asian American Heritage during the month of May.
Celebrate the rich diversity of Asian cultures,
the lives we share with others, and the contributions
we make to our communities where we live and work.*

*The awards will be announced during the
Asian American Heritage Council's
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with nomination paragraph to:

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ABOUT THE LEADERSHIP RECOGNITION AWARD

Community Service Award – Individual

To recognize an Asian American or non-Asian who personifies a true friend of Asian Americans through personal involvement in and support of activities enhancing and promoting the positive image of Asian Americans. Judged for involvement in and support of activities that enhance and promote cultural diversity in the community; active participation or engagement in civic projects and volunteer work; and promotion of cultural awareness through the arts and / or other educational programs.

Community Service Award – Corporate

To recognize and honor a corporation or group that continues to direct, mentor, improve and advance Asian American interests in cultural, educational, governmental and business communities. Judged for financial support of diversity programs in the community, and for activities that advance Asian American interests, participation in civic and cultural projects of the community that promote and enhance the positive image of Asian Americans, and engagement in cultural awareness projects and sponsorship of varied educational programs in the community at large for the benefit of Asian Americans.

Leadership in Diversity Award – Individual

To recognize and honor an individual who is focused on promoting an increased awareness and appreciation for cultural diversity and who has successfully implemented programs and activities to advance this cause in its organization's objectives. Judged for national leadership, local leadership, and honors and awards received for community service.

Leadership in Diversity Award – Corporate

Judged for continued financial support of cultural awareness and diversity programs especially those that improve and enhance the positive image of Asian Americans; advocacy of corporate policies that provide a supportive environment for minority and ethnic employees encouraging them to celebrate their diversity through company-sponsored group activities; assumption of leadership roles in non-company related Asian community affairs and projects; and sponsorships and support of scholarships and other such educational programs for Asian American youths, which support and inspire them to excel.