

2017 PHILANTHROPY AWARDS - NATIONAL PHILANTHROPY DAY
OUTSTANDING FUNDRAISING PROFESSIONAL



Purpose

The AFP Golden Horseshoe Chapter has established this award to be presented to an outstanding individual fundraising professional who is an AFP-GH Chapter member and who practices his/her profession directly for a nonprofit organization.

Nomination Criteria

An individual member of AFP-GH Chapter may forward the name of an AFP member or members for consideration for this prestigious award. The AFP Awards Selection Committee will engage in a highly confidential process to elicit the suggestions from members of the Chapter. The Committee will invite a limited number of candidates to consider standing for nomination and will then assist those individuals to provide the nominee's achievements listed below. The nominee must be notified and in agreement with the nomination process before the application is submitted.

Eligibility Criteria

List the nominee's achievements, including:

1. Description of career achievements, length, and tenure of fundraising background, experience, and results.
2. Evidence of the candidate's effective leadership qualities as well as examples of their ability to embrace fundraising as an activity that requires collaboration between team players that is effective, creative, and stimulating and that the individual acts as a team player.
3. Membership in AFP and evidence that the individual practices and promotes the *AFP Code of Ethical Principles and Standards of Professional Practice* for fundraising professionals.
4. Evidence of commitment to fundraising and philanthropy through voluntary service and financial support of charitable organizations. Description of individual's commitment to continuing professional development, including certification (CFRE/ACFRE), conference participation, publication and professional education.

The recipient must have at least 15 years of professional fundraising experience. Current AFP Golden Horseshoe Chapter Board Members, members of the Awards Selection Committee and self-nominations are not eligible for this award.

Submission Criteria

The Awards Selection Committee will review candidates based on the eligibility criteria set out above. If in the judgment of the Committee, no applications meet the criteria, no award will be given in this category.

Please submit the complete application package (completed nomination form, narrative and supporting documentation in one PDF document by e-mail) to npdafp@gmail.com.

Once your application is submitted, please expect an e-mail from the NPD Committee within 72 hours. Should you not hear from a representative, or for more information, please contact the Chair of National Philanthropy Day, Lacey Kempinski, at lacey@stjoesfoundation.ca.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: Friday, May 26, 2017 at 5 p.m.

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Nominee Profile

Name of Fundraiser: _____

Title: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____

E-mail: _____

Nominator Profile

Name: _____

Title: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____

E-mail: _____

I DO CERTIFY THAT ON the _____ day of _____, 2017, the above named Fundraising Professional is hereby nominated for this AFP Award. I also certify that the nominee has been informed of and given permission for this nomination.

(Please review checklist on reverse)

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Please read and check the boxes below:

- I agree to have the nomination stand for two years. (Applies to first time nominations only).
- In making this nomination, I have confirmed that the nominee is willing to allow their name to stand for this program.
- I have informed the nominee that the media may contact them for interviews and that they will be expected to participate in the public relations campaign for the NPD Awards.
- I have included a formal colour photograph (electronic high resolution - head and shoulders) which may be used on the AFP website or in other National Philanthropy Day promotional materials.
- I have included an executive summary of my nomination which highlights the key elements of the nominee's overall contribution to the philanthropic community. Summaries will be used to profile your nominee in the NPD Awards Event Program and promotional materials (max 125 words)*.
- I have limited my nomination to 3 PAGES (12-point format with 1" margins) and addressed separately, each criterion listed on the guideline sheet and provided a strong case for why my nominee deserves special recognition.
- I have attached supporting documents (no more than 6) to accompany the nomination.
- I have included a quote from my nominee referencing the importance of philanthropy in the nominee's life or community which may be used in promotional materials.

* Summaries are subject to review and changes as the National Philanthropy Day Committee sees fit.

Should you wish for specific materials in the application to remain confidential please confirm in e-mail along with application submission.

Signature of Nominator: _____

AFP Membership Number: _____

Please attach this page, and above noted documents, to the front of the nomination narrative and supporting documents and forward as one PDF document.