NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF STILLMAN COLLEGE AWARDS GUIDELINES



Award Categories

The "*S*" *Award*" is the most prestigious recognition given by The National Alumni Association.

The *"Distinguished Alumni Award"* is the second highest award given by the National Alumni Association.

The *"Blue Cub Award"* recognizes a recent graduate of Stillman College who is active and supportive in the Alumni Association.

The *"Golden Tiger Award"* recognizes veteran alumni and supporters of Stillman College.

The *"Senior Award"* recognizes an outstanding graduating senior at Stillman College and includes a \$100 cash gift.

The "*B. B. Hardy Chapter Award*" recognizes a Stillman College Alumni Chapter for organizational longevity and support to the College.

The *"Faculty/Staff Award of Merit"* – recognizes persons who demonstrate genuine concern and support for the College and the Alumni Association.

The "**Rising Star Award**" recognizes the chapter reactivated within the calendar year.

General Criteria for All Awards

Any Stillman College alumnus who is a member, in good standing, with the Stillman College National Alumni Association or a local Alumni Chapter is eligible to submit an award nomination.

Each nomination must be submitted using the official Award Nomination Form.

Nominees for an award may be a Stillman College student (senior), former student, graduate, staff member, or any person who has provided significant support to the programs of the College.

Awards will only be given when deemed appropriate based on the verified documentation received.

Nominees must not have previously received the same award.

Specific Criteria for Each Award

Nominees for the "S Award" must have:

A distinguished record of accomplishments and outstanding contributions to his/her chosen profession.

Attended at least one Alumni meeting in the year of nomination

Contributed at least \$5000 to Stillman College over the past five (5) years.

Nominees for the "Distinguished Alumni Award" must have:

A record of sustained accomplishments in his or her profession or have excelled in a significant leadership position in a branch of the Military; or has completed a professional program in which few African Americans are represented; or has made major achievements in some area of business or industry

Contributed at least \$1000 to Stillman College over the past three (3) years.

Nominees for the "Blue Cub Award" must:

Have demonstrated promise and potential for growth in a chosen profession.

Be an active member of the National Alumni Association of Stillman College or a local chapter.

Have contributed financially to Stillman College since graduation.

Nominees for the "Golden Tiger Award" must:

Be an alumnus age 50 or older

Have a record of exemplary volunteer service to the community and Stillman College

Have regularly provided service and contributed financial support to Stillman College during the years preceding the nomination.

Chapters Nominated for the "B.B. Hardy Chapter Award" must have:

Maintained viability over the 5-year period preceding the nomination; and

Demonstrated consistent support for the College and the National Alumni; Association; and

Contributed a minimum of \$3000 to Stillman College, in three of the last five years.

Nominees for the "Senior Student Award" must:

Have a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or above.

Have a record of exemplary volunteer service to the college community and show evidence of community service.

Nominees for the "Faculty/Staff Award of Merit" must have:

Served Stillman College on a continuing basis for at least three years.

Demonstrated actions beyond the call of business or professional duty in service to the College and the National Alumni Association.

Performed outstanding volunteer service, which has enhanced the quality of life and education for students at Stillman College.

Worked effectively to build and maintain bridges of collaboration among various groups in the Stillman College community; and

Provided financial support to the College.

Nominees for the "**Rising Star Award**" must have demonstrated an active and impactful engagement throughout the current year.

Obtaining the largest number of new members in the calendar year.

Most impactful membership engagement and fundraising events.

Most creative social media engagement.

NOTE: THE COMPLETED OFFICIAL AWARD NOMINATION FORM MUST BE EMAILED TO: NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF STILLMAN COLLEGE ATTENTION: AWARDS COMMITTEE NAASC.AWARDSCOMMITTEE@GMAIL.COM