

Nomination Package

Based on the criteria listed in the Guidelines for Nominations, please attach to this Nomination Form a maximum of **five (5) pages** (excluding letters of support) that include the following information. Please do not bind or staple application materials.

- Explain the impact of your nominee's contribution:
 - Identify and focus on significant paid career accomplishments qualifying this nominee to be considered.
 - To others---local, state or national
 - To her career/profession
 - Why she deserves to be recognized as a Woman of Excellence.

- Attach a biographical sketch of the nominee, including significant aspects of her background, education, family, and career.

- Letters of support (required, maximum 3).

- Attach a copy of the nominee's resume (optional).

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Original form and supporting material are due by 5 p.m. on November 2nd, 2019 to:

**Women of Excellence Selection Committee
YWCA of Lubbock
6204 Elgin Ave.
Lubbock, TX 79413**

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2020 YWCA WOMEN OF EXCELLENCE

A YWCA of Lubbock Project

GUIDELINES FOR NOMINATIONS

ELIGIBILITY	Nominees must be women who have been residents of Lubbock or worked in Lubbock during the past year. A nominee may be resubmitted; however, previous recipients are not eligible. Additionally, nominees may not currently be serving as members of the YWCA Board of Directors or the YWCA Women of Excellence Committee.
CRITERIA	The nominee should be a woman who has achieved excellence in her career or profession in at least one category of achievement listed below. (Career or profession is interpreted to mean paid employment in her field.) Evaluations will be based on the quality of a candidate's achievements rather than the quantity of information submitted. Please attach only the information requested on the form. Do not send scrapbooks or large amounts of materials. Information will not be returned.
JUDGES	Selections will be made by the 2020 YWCA Women of Excellence Selection Committee, an anonymous and diverse group appointed from the community.
DEADLINE	Nomination forms must be submitted to the YWCA of Lubbock, 6204 Elgin Ave., Lubbock, TX 79413, on or before <u>5 p.m. on November 2nd 2019</u> . Contact (806) 776-9755 with questions.
EVENT	The awards event - TBD . Visit ywcalubbock.org for ticket information.

SAMPLE CATEGORIES OF ACHIEVEMENT

(Careers or professions are not limited to the examples listed below.)

ARTS AND CULTURE	Including, but not limited to, the creative arts (artists, sculptors, etc.), the performing arts (musicians, singers, actresses, dancers, etc.), and literary arts (authors, writers, poets, etc.).
EDUCATION AND RELIGION	Including, but not limited to, higher educators and administrators, primary and secondary educators and administrators, and ministers, chaplains, and education directors from any religious background.
GOVERNMENT AND HUMAN SERVICES	Including, but not limited to, professionals in local, state, or federal government, military, politics, government services, human services, and criminal justice.
SCIENCE AND MEDICINE	Including, but not limited to, research scientists, inventors, engineers, environmentalists, architects, and health professionals.
BUSINESS	Including, but not limited to, business owners, financiers, and entrepreneurs.
PROFESSIONAL	Including, but not limited to, attorneys, accountants, and bankers.

NOTE: At the discretion of the Selection Committee, an award may be presented in a category of achievement other than those listed above, or an award may not be presented in every category.

2019 Women of Excellence

Melissa Collier JoAnn Long, Ph.D. Karen Thornton Annette Sobel, MD Rebecca Geist Brandi Cantrell Lisaann Gittner, Ph.D. Melinda Garcia Schalow, MD Gabriella Ghandour Terri Duncan	Business Education Education Government Medicine Religion Science Social Justice Youth Leadership Mary Nell Strong Award
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2018 Women of Excellence

Jean Caslin Linda Ferguson Linda Donahue, Ph.D. Rebecca (Becky) Garza Lindsay Penrose, Ph.D. Carolyn F. Moore Shanna Hargrave Dr. Katharine Hayhoe Aliza S. Wong, Ph.D. Kathy Gilbreath Emilee Acevedo	Arts & Culture Business Education Government Medicine Professional Religion Science Social Justice Mary Nell Strong Award Youth Leadership
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2017 Women of Excellence

Michelle Kraft Phebe Ellis-Roach Anna Jackson Judge Ann-Marie Carruth Sharmila Dissanaiké Kim Flenniken Candace Bourland Hicks Evelyn Davies Madeleine Lipetska	Arts & Culture Business Education Government Medicine Professional Science Mary Nell Strong Award Youth Leadership
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2016 Women of Excellence

Janie Bush Monica Hightower Abigail Crawford Berta Fogerson Karen Gibson Ann Manning Emily Lemley Linda Greenstreet Sandi Turner Rhosean Asmah	Arts & Culture Business Education (Classroom Impact) Education (Administration) Government Professional Religion Jane Burns Award Mary Neil Strong Community Serv. Youth Leadership
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2015 Women of Excellence

Amy Faris Suzanna Blake Dr. Lisa S. Leach Drue Farmer Lynda Loyce Dutton Dr. Mimi Zumwalt Michelle Pantoya PhD Betty Shewbert Dottos Michelle Suzanne Staley Gail Spivey	Arts & Culture Business Education Government Human Services Medicine Science Mary Nell Strong Award Youth Leadership Award Jane Burns Award
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2014 Women of Excellence

Alona Beesinger Aretha Marbly PhD Carolyn Simpson Dr. Ariwan Rakvit Laura Vinson Holly Betenbough Carolyn Perry Alejandra Estrada Lorrie Lushnat Bellair	Business Education Human Services Medicine Professional Religion Science Youth Leadership Mary Nell Strong Award
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2013 Women of Excellence

Mary Jones Saathoff, Ph.D. Nita Kiesling Karen K. Garza Marguerite Fallon, D.N.P., R.N. Nancy Tucker Sharp Sindee L. Simon, Ph.D. Neoka Perez Kristen Michelle Alcorte Carolyn Taylor	Arts & Culture Business Education Medicine Professional Science Special Achievement Youth Leadership Mary Nell Strong Award
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2012 Women of Excellence

Terri Caldwell Diannah Tatum Narissra Punyanunt-Carter Merinda K. Condra Lori Rice Spearman, Ph.D. Emily Ratcliff Louisa Hope-Weeks, Ph.D. Michaela Hardin *Christie Devitt	Arts & Culture Business Education Human Services Medicine Professional Science Youth Leadership Mary Nell Strong Award
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2011 Women of Excellence

Yvonne Racz Key Aimee C. Doane Dr. Kitty Harris Wilkes Beth Lawson Dr. Kelly Overley Kamlesh Varma, M.D. Kay Cross Sarah Jo Lambert	Arts & Culture Business Education & Religion Government & Human Serv. Professional Science & Medicine Special Award Youth Leadership
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<p style="text-align: center;">2010 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Bonnie J. Aycock Billie J. Caviel Grace Hernandez Nancy M. Koenig Vickie Russell Mary Crites Dr. Betsy Goebel Jones Sharon Hyde Bass Jade Shank</p> <p>Arts & Culture Business Education & Religion Government Human Services Professional Science & Medicine Special Achievement Youth Leadership</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">2009 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Louise Hopkins Underwood Margarita Olivarez Mitzi Ziegner Catherine Lee Pope Christina Esperat, R.N., Ph.D., F.A.A.N. Stacie George Melinda Corwin, Ph.D., CCC-SLP Sally Kipyego Jennifer McGrew</p> <p>Arts & Culture Business Education & Religion Government & Human Serv. Medicine Professional Science Special Achievement Youth Leadership</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">2008 Women of Excellence</p> <p>LaWanda Sherrod Murfee SuzAnn Moore Kirby Linda M. Brice, Ph.D. Maria Elena Quintanilla Kay Holder Sanford Sharyn Ivory Melisa Tatum Roberts Pamela A. Eibeck Allison Rae Korinek</p> <p>Arts & Culture Business Education Government Human Services Medicine Professional Science Youth Leadership</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">2007 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Beth Pratt Jan Thetford Kathryn Kinnison Rollo Adrienne Cozart Kathy Stocco Beena Variyam Cindy Jumper, M.D. *Mary Nell Strong Nicole Mitchell</p> <p>Arts & Culture Business Education Government Human Services Professional Science & Medicine Jane O. Burns, Ph.D. YWCA Youth Leadership</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">2006 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Margaret Yirka Vugrin Linda Gaither Linda Crawford Hoover, Ph.D. Vernita Woods-Holmes Judith Henry, Ed.D. Karen Baggerly, MSN, R.N. Rosa Hernandez Sheets, Ph.D. Marie Pfarr</p> <p>Arts & Culture Business Education Government & Human Services Professional Science & Medicine Special Achievement Youth Leadership</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">2005 Women of Excellence</p> <p>*Conny McDonald Martin (Mrs. C.B.) Margaret Williams Nettie Edwards Danette Castle Renee Bergenheier Underwood Patti J. Patterson, MD Susan Ford Wiltshire, Ph.D. Sara Ellen McCunniff</p> <p>Arts & Culture Business Education & Religion Government & Human Serv. Professional Science & Medicine Special Achievement Youth Leadership</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">2004 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Lugene Lane Pickering Geneva B. Boren Marilyn Phelan, J.D. Elma S. Moreno Gloria Snell Gale Sara Stalcup McKee Marianna Shubov, Ph.D. Katie Megan Akeroyd</p> <p>Arts & Culture Business Education Government Human Services Professional Science Youth Leadership</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">2003 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Toni Arnett Margaret Brannon-Randle, M.Ed. Trudy Putteet Mary Jeanne van Appledorn, Ph.D. Suzanne Adams Beck, M.D. Rev. Stephanie Schreiner Nash Alexia E. Green, R.N., Ph.D., F.A.A.N. Sharon Young Prather Ashley Marie Cartwright</p> <p>Art Education Government & Human Serv. Music Professional Religion Science & Medicine Special Achievement Youth Leadership</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">2002 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Tina Fuentes Kay Davis Lady Falls Brown, Ph. D. Ione Heartsill Connie Wharton Donna Bacchi, M.D., M.P.H. Joe Love Stogner Nelson Alana K. Noble</p> <p>Arts & Culture Business Education Government & Human Services Professional Science & Medicine Special Achievement Youth Leadership</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">2001 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Pat Maines Maxine Willingham Janie Landin Ramirez Judge Judy Parker Linda Suzan Lazarin Thomas Dr. Myrna L. Armstrong Mayor Windy Sitton Lauren Griffin</p> <p>Arts & Culture Business Education & Religion Government Human Services Science & Medicine Special Achievement Youth Leadership</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">2000 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Jean Bledsoe Knight JoAnn Leavey Shroyer, Ph.D. Carolyn R. McDougal Shari Dorris Flynn Jane Ann Tustin, R.N., M.S.N., C.S.N. Brenda J. Becknell Sunanda Mitra, Ph.D. Brooke Chavez</p> <p>Business Education Entrepreneur Government & Human Services Medicine Professional Science Youth Leadership</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">1999 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Judy Wells Chisholm Jan Berry Morris Patsy Landrum Whipple Catherine A. Ronaghan, M.D., F.A.C.S. Elizabeth Valentine Abraham Beverly Chilton, Ph.D. Burnis Marie Henderson Meghan Paige Fleming</p> <p>Business Education Government & Human Serv. Medicine Religion Science Special Achievement Youth Leadership</p>

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<p align="center">1998 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Peggy Willis-Aarnio Diane Brown Earl Dorothy Phea-Norville Leigh Keeney McPhaul Annette Gary, R.N. Ph.D Francina Johanna Proctor Caryl E. Heintz, Ph.D. Reagan Elyse Davis</p> <p>Arts & Culture Business Education & Religion Government & Human Services Medicine Religion Science Youth Leadership</p>	<p align="center">1997 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Ruth Jane Holmes, Ph.D. Phyllis Sullivan Jones Sherry Sancibrian Kathy Volanty, Ph.D. Irasema Velasquez Marisue Pounders Smith Jitra Subpamongkol Anuras, M.D. Christy Michele Badgwell</p> <p>Arts & Culture Business Education Government & Human Serv. Professional Religion Science & Medicine Youth Leadership</p>
<p align="center">1996 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Karin Crider McCay Nancy Jo Patton Jane O. Burns, Ph.D. Paula Davis Lanehart, Judge Patricia S. Yoder Wise, R.N., Ed.D Paulina M. Jacobo, J.D. Cassandra L. Henry Holli Nicole Douglass</p> <p>Arts & Culture Business Education & Religion Government & Human Services Medicine Professional Science Youth Leadership</p>	<p align="center">1995 Women of Excellence</p> <p>*Billie Wolfe *Betty Baker Tammy D. Barnes Fedynick Louise T. Cummins Services Louise Willson Arnold Marian K. Solowy Myers, M.D. *Norma E. Porres, M.D. Shaili M. Khandheria</p> <p>Arts & Culture Business Education & Religion Government & Human Professional Science & Medicine Special Achievement Youth Leadership</p>
<p align="center">1994 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Suzanne Aker Lou Dunn Diekemper Jane L. Winer, Ph.D. Gwendolyn Titus *Nelda Thompson Irene S. Wilson, R.N., M.Ed. Sheryl Swoopes Monica Baca</p> <p>Arts & Culture Business Education & Religion Government & Human Services Professional Science & Medicine Special Achievement Youth Leadership</p>	<p align="center">1993 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Sylvia Ashby Mary Tom Riley O'Bar, Ed.D. *Rita P. Harmon *Barbara L. Sommerville Sandra Sabatini, Ph.D., M.D. Susan Singer Hendrick, Ph.D. *Louise C. Allen Katherine Anne Lucas</p> <p>Arts & Culture Education & Religion Government Human Services Medicine Science Special Achievement Youth Leadership</p>
<p align="center">1992 Women of Excellence</p> <p>*Elizabeth Skidmore Sasser, Ph.D. *Margaret Talkington *Sister Maureen Van der Zee, C.S.J. Carolyn Lanier *Marjorie C. Kastman Mary Grace Umlauf, R.N., Ph.D. Marsha Sharp Kirsten Storin Doty</p> <p>Arts & Culture Business Education & Religion Government & Human Services Professional Science & Medicine Special Achievement Youth Leadership</p>	<p align="center">1991 Women of Excellence</p> <p>*Betty J. Savage Mills *Virginia M. Sowell, Ph.D. Rev. Jo Roberts Mann Sylvia A. Martinez-Flores Jane F. Goldthorn, M.D. Melanie Weed Barnes Helen Wagner Willey Michelle Leslie Erickson</p> <p>Arts & Culture Education Religion Government Medicine Science Special Achievement Youth Leadership</p>
<p align="center">1990 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Glenna Maxey Goodacre *Palma Lancaster Smiley Ethel M. McLeod Shirley Anne Naile McManigal, Ph.D. Yondell Masten, R.N.C., Ph.D. Eileen McAllister Johnson, Ph.D. Alicia Boswell</p> <p>Art—Special Award Arts & Culture Business Education & Religion Medicine Science Youth Leadership</p>	<p align="center">1989 Women of Excellence</p> <p>Janeen Drew Gilliam Elizabeth G. Haley, Ph.D. Marilyn Jantz Dickey Services Elizabeth Creson Sisco, J.D. Teddy L. Langford, R.N., Ph.D., C.N.A.A. Kamie Ethridge Yumi Christina Koh</p> <p>Arts & Culture Education & Religion Government & Human Professional Science & Medicine Special Achievement Youth Leadership</p>

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