

2020 YWCA WOMEN OF EXCELLENCE NOMINATION FORM

How did you hear about the YWCA Women of Excellence?

- Email
 Mail
 Other _____

Print or Type (please use N/A if not applicable)

Name of Nominee _____

First
Middle
Maiden
Last

Address _____

Street
City
State
Zip

Phone _____ E-mail _____

Business
Home
Cell

Husband's Name _____ Children's Names _____

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Nominator Information

Nominator _____

Address _____

Street
City
State
Zip

Phone _____ E-mail _____

Business
Cell

Person Completing Form _____

Name
Title
Phone

Are you submitting as a business or organization? Yes No

If no, list two other individuals to support the nomination.

1.

Name (Print)
Signature
E-mail Address

Address
City
State
Zip
Business Phone
Cell Phone

2.

Name (Print)
Signature
E-mail Address

Address
City
State
Zip
Business Phone
Cell Phone

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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 4th, 2019

to: Women of Excellence Selection Committee

**YWCA of Lubbock
6204 Elgin Ave.
Lubbock, TX 79413**

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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 4th, 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	Business
JoAnn Long, Ph.D.	Education
Karen Thornton	Education
Annette Sobel, MD	Government
Rebecca Geist	Medicine
Brandi Cantrell	Religion
Lisaann Gittner, Ph.D.	Science
Melinda Garcia Schalow, MD	Social Justice
Gabriella Ghandour	Youth Leadership
Terri Duncan	Mary Nell Strong Award

2018 Women of Excellence

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

2017 Women of Excellence

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

2016 Women of Excellence

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

2015 Women of Excellence

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

2014 Women of Excellence

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

2013 Women of Excellence

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

2012 Women of Excellence

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

2011 Women of Excellence

Yvonne Racz Key	Arts & Culture
Aimee C. Doane	Business
Dr. Kitty Harris Wilkes	Education & Religion
Beth Lawson	Government & Human Serv.
Dr. Kelly Overley	Professional
Kamlesh Varma, M.D.	Science & Medicine
Kay Cross	Special Award
Sarah Jo Lambert	Youth Leadership

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