KU Women’s Recognition Awards Nomination Packet

About the Awards

These awards were established to honor KU women students, staff, faculty, and alumnae who have contributed to the enrichment and improvement of the campus and community through their service, teaching, or involvement. These categories are examples of past awards. Please note that student awards recipients will receive a cash award made possible by the University of Kansas Women’s Memorial Fund. However, Women of Distinction winners do not receive a cash award.

OUTSTANDING WOMAN EDUCATOR - female professor, instructor or student teaching assistant.
OUTSTANDING WOMAN STAFF MEMBER - female unclassified or classified staff member.
OUTSTANDING INTERNATIONAL WOMAN STUDENT - undergraduate or graduate student from a country other than the United States.
OUTSTANDING NONTRADITIONAL WOMAN STUDENT - Nontraditional refers to undergraduates who are 3 or more years older than their classmates, commute 10 or more miles to campus, are married, parents of dependent children and/or are veterans.

OUTSTANDING WOMAN STUDENT IN:
  • Athletics
  • Leadership
  • Partnership
  • Community Service

ETHEL BOHNING SINGLE MOTHER AWARD – single mother who is a full time undergraduate student and has completed 30 credit hours with a minimum GPA of 3.0.

SALLY MASON WOMAN STUDENT IN SCIENCE AWARD - undergraduate woman student in the sciences (esp. biology) who has demonstrated academic excellence (3.0 GPA minimum), involvement in campus activities and leadership in her academic department.

KATHLEEN MCCLUSKEY-FAWCETT WOMAN MENTORING WOMEN AWARD - woman student, staff or faculty who has demonstrated outstanding commitment to the supporting and mentoring of women at the University of Kansas.

MARLESA RONEY STUDENT SUCCESS MENTOR AWARD - woman graduate or undergraduate student who has contributed to the success of another student.

KU WOMAN OF DISTINCTION - A KU woman (student, staff, faculty, OR alumna) who has distinguished herself through outstanding achievement and contributions to KU and/or the community. Note: Selected women must be available to have their photo taken by the project photographer prior to June 15th. They may also be asked to attend campus events that promote the calendar next academic year.
Instructions

A complete nomination includes:

☐ This 2-page nomination form
☐ A letter of support from someone other than the nominator that addresses the questions on the second page of this form

* We recommend that all materials be submitted together, but letters may be submitted separately as well, as long as they are in by the deadline.

* Your nominee may be qualified for several of the awards listed above, however no woman can be recognized through this process more than once per year. The selection committee determines, based on your recommendations, which award a woman receives.

* Women may be nominated as individuals or as a group, however the selection committee will sometimes choose to honor only part of a group. Email us with questions.

* Group Nominations: Fill out one form per person and identify each person as part of the group.

   Return completed form to Emily Taylor Center for Women & Gender Equity
   Room 4024 Wescoe or via email: emilytaylorcenter@ku.edu

   Due Date: Friday, March 4th by 5 p.m.

Nomination Form

Nominee’s name: ____________________
Nominee’s email: ____________________
Nominee’s address: ____________________
Nominee’s Phone Number: ____________________

If you would like your nominee to be considered for a particular award (or awards) please indicate so here: ____________________________________________

Select All That Apply to the Nominee: Student__  Staff__  Faculty__  Alumna__

If Nominee is a Student:
Select One: Freshman  Sophomore  Junior  Senior  Graduate  Other  *GPA:

   Major(s)/Minor(s)/Area of Study:
   (minimum 3.0 strongly recommended – documentation may be required if selected)

If Nominee is Staff or Faculty:
Position at KU/Title:

If Nominee is an Alumna:
Current Position:
KU affiliation (e.g., degree earned, position held):

Name of Rec-Letter Writer | Address | Phone | Email
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*If you have questions about finding a nominee’s GPA, email us at emilytaylorcenter@ku.edu
Nominee’s Name: ________________

Describe why you consider the nominee to be an Outstanding KU Woman:

How has the nominee served as a role model and/or mentor to others?

Describe the nominee’s achievements:

Describe the nominee’s contributions to KU students, the University, or the community:

Nominator’s Name: ____________________________

Email: ____________________________

Address: ____________________________

Phone: ____________________________