2020 McKelvey Engineering Awards
Nomination Guidelines

Nominees must be graduates of the McKelvey School of Engineering. Award recipients are selected based on a combination of factors, the most important of which is career achievement and distinction. Career achievement need not be in the field of engineering, understanding that many excellent candidates have followed a range of professions, including business, law, medicine, government, education. Additional factors considered by the selection committee include association with civic causes, professional organizations, public service, and volunteer leadership for Washington University. All nominations are under consideration for three consecutive years.

Three award categories are available for recognition.

Alumni Achievement Award recognizes engineering alumni who have contributed significantly to their career field and communities while upholding the highest standards and values in all aspects. Exemplary role models, these honorees inspire others to have an impact on their organizations, community, and society.

Award Criteria
1. Must be an alumnus of the McKelvey School of Engineering.
2. Honoree to have outstanding personal achievement and professional accomplishments.
3. Additional consideration given to involvement in civic causes, leadership of professional organizations, public service, and/or a particular dedication to Washington University.

Engineering Entrepreneurship Award recognizes engineering alumni entrepreneurs who advance innovative approaches and enable novel ideas for products, inventions, and technologies that are relevant to the economy now and in the future.

Award Criteria Include:
1. Must be an alumnus of the McKelvey School of Engineering.
2. Pioneers a new approach or technology.
3. Creates a culture of innovation.

Emerging Leader Award honors recent alumni of McKelvey Engineering who exemplify leadership and continued service through scientific excellence, innovation, and collaboration. This award highlights the positive impact alumni make on their local community and society.

Award Criteria Include:
1. Must be an alumnus of the McKelvey School of Engineering and 40 years old or younger.
2. Shows a record of accomplishments in professional, community, and personal development as well as an impressive career trajectory.
3. Demonstrated service to Washington University while a student and continue to contribute their time and talent as an alumnus.

Contact Erin Smith at erinsmith@wustl.edu or (314) 935-8273 with questions.
Nominations should include the following information:

- Name of nominee and Washington University degree.
- Mailing address, phone number, and email of nominee.
- Career history, with current and past positions held, and business address.
- Information on firm/organization/company where currently or most recently employed.
- Significant career achievements.
- Public service/volunteer activities and other awards or recognition.
- Brief statement outlining why the nominee is deserving of this award.
- Letters of recommendation and support are encouraged.
- Your name, address, email, and phone number.
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The deadline for submission is November 15, 2019. The Alumni Achievement Award and the Engineering Entrepreneurship Award will be presented at an evening ceremony on April 23, 2020. The Emerging Leader Awards will be presented at an afternoon ceremony on April 23, 2020.

**Nominator Information**

Full Name:__________________________________________________________

Class/Affiliation to WU: ____________________________________________

Address: __________________________________________________________

City: ____________________ State: _____ Zip Code: _______ Country: ________

Phone Number: ____________________________________________________

Email: ____________________________________________________________

Contact Erin Smith at erinsmith@wustl.edu or (314) 935-8273 with questions.
Nominee Information

Full Name: ____________________________________________

Class/Affiliation to WU: ____________________________________________

Address: ____________________________________________


Phone Number: ____________________________________________

Email: ____________________________________________

Please check the most applicable category for the nomination.

☐ Alumni Achievement Award
☐ Engineering Entrepreneurship Award
☐ Emerging Leader Award

Please provide comprehensive and thorough information.

Nominee’s career history, with current position held. If retired, indicate last position held.

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Please provide information on firm/organization/company where currently or most recently employed.
Include company’s name, city located, number of employees, gross revenues, significant projects, etc.

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Please list significant career achievements, awards, recognition of the nominee.

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How has the nominee demonstrated service to Washington University?

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How has the nominee demonstrated service to community or society?

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Please provide a statement outlining why the nominee is deserving of the award.

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The deadline for submission is November 15, 2019. Please include supplementary materials such as CV/resume, articles featuring the nominee, or letters of support. Submit completed form and supplementary materials to erinsmith@wustl.edu or mail to:

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