

**The University of Arizona  
Department of Systems and Industrial Engineering  
Alumni of the Year Award Nomination Form**

**Nomination Deadline: January 18<sup>th</sup> 2021**

Name of Nominee:

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Home address:

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Daytime Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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UA degree(s) and graduation year(s):

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Non-UA Degrees:

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(Identify university, degree(s) and graduation year(s))  
Occupation or Profession:

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Business Name:

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Business Title:

\_\_\_\_\_

Business Address:

\_\_\_\_\_

Business Telephone:

**Please include the following materials in the nomination package:**

(Refer to next page for criteria and eligibility requirements.)

- I. Your nomination letter with required information and a statement that you informed the candidate that he/she has been nominated for an award.
- II. A seconding letter (optional).
- III. The nominee's curriculum vitae (CV).
- IV. This form.

Nominated By:

\_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Telephone #

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Address:

\_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail:

**Please email the nomination package to the following address:**  
**son@sie.arizona.edu**

**ALUMNI OF THE YEAR AWARD  
DEPARTMENT OF SYSTEMS AND INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING  
THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA**

**Purpose**

This award is intended to honor systems and industrial engineering graduates for their personal contribution toward engineering achievement, leadership, and service to the profession, society, and the Department of Systems and Industrial Engineering at the University of Arizona.

**Eligibility Requirements**

The nominee must have graduated from The University of Arizona with a graduate or undergraduate degree in Systems Engineering, Industrial Engineering, or Engineering Management. The award will be made posthumously to alumni that meet all of these requirements.

**Selection Criteria**

The nominee must have a distinguished record of accomplishment in his/her chosen profession based upon, but not limited to, any of the following or equivalent profession-specific criteria:

- Advanced the state of the art and/or practice by making distinguished contributions to the theory and/or practice of systems and industrial engineering that contributes to the recognition of the systems and industrial engineering profession.
- Managed or directed an organization or agency that has made widely recognized regional, national, and/or international contributions in design, development, and/or service delivery through the exercise of systems and industrial engineering expertise.
- Performed truly exceptional service to the community, the systems and industrial engineering profession, the Department of Systems and Industrial Engineering, and/or the public.
- Demonstrated excellence in systems and industrial engineering education as a full time faculty member with regional, national, and/or international recognition as an exceptional teacher and/or researcher, and/or an effective administrator, and/or a respected advisor and role model for graduate and undergraduate students.
- Recognized as a leader in the community based on volunteer activities in his/her private life that reflects credit to the individual, to the community, and to the University of Arizona Department of Systems and Industrial Engineering.
- Contributed in some meaningful way to the Department of Systems and Industrial Engineering, the College of Engineering, and/or The University of Arizona.

**Nomination Information Requirements**

The nomination package should include the following materials:

- A formal letter of nomination (500 words max.) describing why you believe that your nominee deserves this award. This letter should contain a summary of the nominee's accomplishments and your brief assessment of the nominee's qualifications for the award including any personal perspectives missing from or not readily apparent in the nominee's curriculum vitae (CV).
- (Optional material) A "seconding" letter of recommendation and support for the nominee. The author of the seconding letter does not need to be a graduate of the University of Arizona.
- The nominee's CV. The CV should present a clear record of the nominee's noteworthy accomplishments, especially those extraordinary public or professional service accomplishments that very few if any of his/her peers have attained. At a minimum the CV should contain a list of important contributions, publications, patents, professional experience, and principal technical society memberships and activities.
- A completed nomination form (available on the SIE website at <http://www.sie.arizona.edu>)

**Selection Panel**

The selection panel will consist of the following members:

1. The head of Department of Systems and Industrial Engineering.
2. SIE Alumni of the Year Sub-Committee members of SIE Industry Advisory Committee.
3. A former recipient of the SIE Alumni of the Year Award selected by the head of the SIE Department.

The chair of the Selection Panel will be the chair of the SIE Alumni of the Year Sub-Committee.

**Award Announcement**

The Award will be announced during the SIE Spring Pre-commencement ceremony. Recipients are expected to attend the Pre-commencement ceremony.