



**Dallas Association of Young Lawyers Foundation
Award of Excellence
2019 Nomination Form**

Award Criteria

The DAYL Foundation Fellows Award of Excellence is awarded to a Fellow who has made a positive impact on the Dallas community outside of his or her work in the legal profession. The recipient will exemplify the charitable image of attorneys, which the DAYL Foundation desires to recognize and promote.

The Awards Committee will consider all outstanding qualities of a nominee, including: (a) the individual's impact and dedication to the community and the profession; (b) quantity and quality of participation in community and professional activities; and (c) leadership qualities that have benefitted the community.

To be considered for this award, the individual must: (a) not currently serve on the Board of the DAYL or the DAYL Foundation; (b) not have been President of the DAYL within the last 4 years; and (c) be a current Fellow of the DAYL Foundation in good standing. The following prior recipients are also not eligible for the award: Judge Jay Patterson, Al Ellis, Judge Catharina Haynes, Mark Shank, Christina Melton Crain, Robert Witte, Michael G. Gruber, Judge Joseph M. Cox, J. Scott Chase, Mark Melton, Rob Crain, Martha Hardwick Hofmeister, Chief Justice Carolyn Wright, Dean Royal Furgeson, Michael K. Hurst, and Monica Latin.

The attached Nomination Form must be received no later than 5:00 p.m., Monday, November 11, 2019. Please submit the application and any supporting materials to:

**Cherie Harris
Executive Director
DAYL Foundation
2101 Ross Avenue
Dallas, Texas 75201
cherieh@dayl.com**

The Award of Excellence will be presented at the DAYL Foundation Fellows Award of Excellence Luncheon on **Tuesday, December 10, 2019**. If you have any questions about the nomination form or process, please contact Cherie Harris at 214.220.7420 or cherieh@dayl.com.

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This form must be completed in its entirety with a concise, but thorough, description of the nominee's qualifications. Please limit the nomination package to 20 total pages, including entry form. Recommendation letters that provide specific details of volunteer service are highly recommended. A nominee may be nominated by more than one person, but only one packet with the page limitations as described above, will be accepted.

Nominator Information

Name of Nominator: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Nominee Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

TX Bar Card Number: _____

1. Background Information

Provide background information concerning the nominee's profession and career.

2. Contribution to the Community and Profession

Describe the nominee's impact on, and dedication to, the community and the profession, with a primary emphasis on the community.

3. ***Participation in Community and Professional Activities***

Describe the nominee's depth and breadth of participation in community and professional activities, with a primary emphasis on community activities.

4. ***Leadership Qualities that Benefit the Community***

Describe the nominee's leadership qualities that have benefited the community.

5. ***Other Relevant Information***

Additional information and supporting materials, such as letters of support, curriculum vitae or resume are welcome but not required.