



## **Professional of the Year Award - Texas Guidelines**

The Professional of the Year Award is the highest honor given by the state association and was initiated by AAFCS-Texas.

### **Eligibility**

Any AAFCS-Texas members are eligible to receive this award. The nominees should have made major contributions to the family and consumer sciences profession, displayed leadership abilities, been active in the association, and be highly respected by her/his peers. Criteria for this award are developed by AAFCS-Texas Affiliate and the award is exclusively for Texas. There is no national counterpart.

### **Nomination Process**

To nominate an eligible candidate, please submit the following materials:

- \*Three letters of support, at least one individual outside the FCS profession and two letters from current members of AAFCS-Texas Affiliate.
  - \*Curriculum vitae or resume of the nominee.
  - \*Other documentation such as biographical information, newspaper or magazine articles or other relevant information.
- (Note: Scrapbooks, video and audiotapes, and other material of that nature will not be accepted. Nominations will not be returned.)

### **Selection Process**

Nomination materials are reviewed by the Awards Selection Committee. The award is presented at the AAFCS-Texas Affiliate Awards Banquet.

### **Evaluation Criteria**

The following Criteria will be used in the evaluation of the nominees.

- \*Biographical information, including educational and employment background.
- \*Organizational membership and leadership roles.
- \*Professional contributions.
- \*Letters of endorsement.
- \*Additional supporting documentation as needed.
- \*Nomination by current AAFCS-Texas Affiliate member.

### **Deadline**

The complete nominations must arrive by March 1. Nomination materials should be sent to Award Selection Committee, Dr. Kim Kamin, Chair, [kimkamin2018@gmail.com](mailto:kimkamin2018@gmail.com) ,:

**Professional of the Year  
NOMINATION FORM**

Use this form to nominate an individual for the AAFCS-Texas Professional of the Year Award.

**Biographical Information**

Name of the Nominee \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Position \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Employer Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E- Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Education Background(resume may be attached)

Employment Background(resume may be attached)

**Nominating community/person contact information**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Position \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Employer Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E- Mail \_\_\_\_\_

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EVALUATION FORM**

<b>Evaluation of Contributions</b>	<b>Points Possible</b>	<b>Points Earned</b>
<b>Organizational Membership and Leadership Roles</b>	<b>20 Total</b>	
Family and Consumer Sciences	<b>10</b>	
Family and Consumer Sciences Related	<b>5</b>	
Honorary and /or Fraternal	<b>5</b>	
<b>Professional Contributions(local, district, state, national, international)</b>	<b>60 Total</b>	
Family and Consumer Sciences Contributions within the past 5 years	30	
Previous contributions	15	
Honors and/or Recognitions	10	
Other	5	
<b>Letters of Endorsement</b>	<b>20 Total</b>	
One individual outside the profession of Family and Consumer Sciences	10	
Two current members of AAFCS-Texas Affiliate	10	
<b>Total Points</b>	<b>100</b>	

**Comments:**