



# INTERNATIONAL LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

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## **TCICA NOMINATION FORM** *2017 Twin Cities International Citizen Awards* Minneapolis Club – Thursday, May 11, 2017

### **Purpose**

To honor individuals whose work has contributed significantly to international understanding, cooperation, friendship and development.

To recognize the richness of the Twin Cities' international contributions, concern and commitments in a variety of arenas, including business and trade, research, human rights, agriculture, technology, arts, medicine, education, journalism, hospitality and humanitarian relief as represented through the efforts of the business community.

To educate the public about the connections which exist between our local community and the world.

### **Eligibility and Criteria for Selection**

Any person who lives and or works in the Twin Cities metropolitan area is eligible to be nominated for this award. Individuals need to be citizens of the United States or legal residents. A diverse group of individuals receiving this award will exemplify the following characteristics:

- Clear and exemplary contributions to local and global communities.
- A strong commitment to international understanding and cooperation.
- A demonstrated sense of mutuality and respect in relation to other countries and people.

### **Award Categories**

- Immigrant Achievement Award (one person or two persons or a couple/co-owners)
- International Citizens Award (one person or a couple)
- Corporate International Award (only one corporation selected)
- International Educator's Award

### **Nomination Process**

Please respond to the questions using no more than three single sided, letter sized pages. Keep in mind the purpose and criteria for this award when developing your response. This nomination form, your response to the letter of endorsement from a separate party, should be sent to:

**Award Nominations - Twin Cities International Citizen Awards (TCICA)**

[president@internationalleadership.org](mailto:president@internationalleadership.org)

**Deadline for nominations:**

**\*Nominations and supporting documents must be sent by January 10, 2017.**

### **Selection Process**

The Steering Committee of business, community and ILI representatives will select the award recipients after reviewing all nomination materials. A person can receive the award only once; previous recipients will not be considered. The decision of the selection committee is final. Winners will be interviewed for the *Twin Cities Business Magazine* and their photo will be published. Nominators of winners will also be mentioned in the magazine and if possible present award at the formal gala.

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# Twin Cities International Citizen Awards Nomination Form

## 2017 Twin Cities International Citizen Awards Gala

### **Nominee**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Organization Affiliate \_\_\_\_\_  
Day Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Evening Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_

### **Nominated By**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Organization Affiliate \_\_\_\_\_  
Day Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Evening Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_

### **Please respond to the following question about the nominee:**

1. Describe the nominee's work in the international arena. What are the nominee's accomplishments and achievements? Has the nominee inspired others by his or her work? What evidence is there that others hold the nominee in high regard within the community or field served by the nominee? Have the nominee's programs or business brought sustainable and innovative development and/or training to a community in transition?
2. How does the nominee exemplify the following criteria? Clear and significant contributions to both, local and global communities. Has made a connection between Minnesota and the international community. A strong commitment to international understanding and cooperation. Has demonstrated sense of mutuality and respect in relations with other countries and people. Show how the nominee has made the connection and how that project will be sustainable for the community(s). International Citizen Award nominee must also be a US citizen.

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### **Please send submission to:**

Award Nominations - Twin Cities International Citizen Awards

**By e-mail only to: [president@internationalleadership.org](mailto:president@internationalleadership.org). Keep a copy of your nomination form.**

### **Awards Presentations**

Recipients will be honored at the **Twin Cities International Citizen Awards Gala May 10, 2016** at the Minneapolis Club, Minneapolis, MN. Corporate and organization table sponsorships are available. Contact [president@internationalleadership.org](mailto:president@internationalleadership.org) to sponsor a table.

### **Past TCICA Award Recipients**

Dr. Arnold Anderson, Cecilia Goetz, Cynthia Lee Myntti, Dick Bancroft, Marianne Hamilton, Kaiser Paprocki, Gladys Brooks, Reginald Haslet-Marroquin, Stanley & Martha Platt, Curtis L. (Curt) Carlson, Thomas E. Holloran, Mark Ritchie, Joe Carter, Douglas P. Irish, Michael Roan, Pamela Costain, Douglas Johnson, William Rogers Arlen Erdahl, Sue Jones, Peter Rosenberg, Barbara Forster, Father John Kaiser, Vernon W. Ruttan, Arvonne S. Fraser Edward L. Kaplan, M.D., Steven Sherlock, Barbara Frey, Joe Kiser, M.D., Gertrude

Swanson, Paul Gam Jolie Bleeker Klapmeier, Nancy Treshsel, Abigail Garner, Barbara Knudson, Joan & Segundo Velasquez, Henry & Dorothea Garwich, Leo Lara, Patricia Walker, M.D., Neal L. Gault, M.D., Josef Mestenhauser, Ph.D., David Weissbrodt, Nasseh Ghaffari, Joel Munge, Margaret Wong, Jawad Towns, Carol Engebretson Byrne, Robin Phillips Rev. Dr. Arthur A. Rouner, Jr., Esperanza Guerrero-Anderson, Karen M. Houle, George and Sally Pillsbury, Jacqueline Regis, Medtronic, Inc., Land O' Lakes, Inc., 3M Corporation, Northwest Airlines, Welsh Companies, Ward Brehm, A. Ghafar Lakanwal and Laila Lakanwal; Gary L. Gandrud, Attorney, Faegre & Benson LLP; Hong Yang, Ph.D., Director, University of Minnesota China Center; GE Commercial Finance Fleet Services, Eden Prairie Minnesota; Vice President Walter Mondale and Joan Mondale; Fred Shaw (Feng Hsiao); Carlson Companies; Herbert Igbanugo, Attorney, Igbanugo Partners Int'l Law Firm; Stephanie Odegard, Odegard Inc.; Nath Companies; John Stout, Attorney; Kojo Benjamin and Theresa Taylor; Public Radio International (PRI); Hyon Kim; Dean J. Brian Atwood; Best Buy; Marilyn Carlson Nelson; M. Nazie Eftekhari; Pentair, Inc; Dan Buettner; Lawford Baxter; Caribou Companies; Reatha Clark King; Siyad Abdullahi and Khadija Ali; Allina Health; Kjell Bergh; Bruce Corrie; Starkey Hearing Technologies, Inc.; Steve Hunegs; Tony Oliva; Mayo Clinic; Rev. Peg Chamberlin; Kanwaljit Singh and Mandeep Singh; Dr. Samuel Myers, Jr; Thompson Reuters Corporation.

*24 Years of International Award Recipients from the Metropolitan area.*



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