



Award Nomination Form

Deadline: Friday, March 6, 2020

Extended Deadline:

MIEA's annual awards recognize American Indians who exemplify the importance of education in the lives of Montana's Indian people. Worthy candidates are personally committed to making a positive difference in Montana's Indian education through their profession, education, and/or leadership experiences. All award winners will receive a plaque and cash award at the final MIEA Award Banquet.

Check One:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Indian Educator of the Year | <input type="checkbox"/> Indian Elder of the Year | <input type="checkbox"/> Indian Support Staff |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Indian Teacher of the Year (K-12)* | <input type="checkbox"/> Indian College Student of the Year | <input type="checkbox"/> Special Recognition Award** |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Indian Parent of the Year | <input type="checkbox"/> Indian High School Student of the Year | |

*Indian Teacher category includes: school counselors, librarians, and other certified staff.

**Special Recognition is an open category for all persons; regardless of profession, culture, or ethnicity. This award is presented to someone who has encouraged and promoted Indian education in the state of Montana and whose example inspires others.

*** MIEA Board members or their immediate family members are not eligible to be nominated for any of these awards.

Nominee

NAME _____ TRIBAL AFFILIATION (if any) _____

JOB/TITLE _____ INSTITUTION/ORGANIZATION _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE () _____ EMAIL _____

Nominator

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE () _____ EMAIL _____

The following documents must accompany the nomination form or nominations will not be considered: (These are important items as these are used in the selection process, so please be as complete as possible.)

1. Statement describing why the nominee should be selected.
2. Include applicable biographical information: accomplishments, education experience, degrees, year in school/college, involvement in Indian education, leadership on committees or organizations, involvement with the school and community, special interests. Please note any publications.
3. Two (2) letters of support.
4. Other supporting documentation as desired.
5. Email submissions: **all** documents need to be submitted in one email.



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39th Annual Conference
April 12-16th, 2020, Missoula, MT

Send Award Nomination Form by mail

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