

5th Annual MLK Diversity Awards Nominations Packet

Presented by the Department of Student Life and Leadership Development, ASCSN Student Government and The Office of Government Affairs and Diversity Initiatives. The MLK Diversity Awards celebrate students, faculty, administrators and staff who have demonstrated an emerging, sustained or lifetime commitment to community leadership, academic excellence and service in promoting diversity. These individuals work in promoting human difference as assets. The Diversity Awards acknowledge their contribution towards building and sustaining an equitable and multicultural community at the College of Southern Nevada.

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**Recipients will be honored during the 5th Annual
MLK Diversity Awards and Reception
Tuesday, February 21, 2012
Morse Arberry Jr.
Telecommunications Bldg. Auditorium
Cheyenne Campus
3 p.m.**

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Nominations are due February 10, 2012

General Information about nominations and selection:

- There are 6 categories for nomination.
- Students have 3 categories.
- Typically 2 awards are given in each category.

Nomination process and timeline:

02/10/12 (5 pm) - All nominations are submitted online
02/10/12 - Nominees will be informed of their nomination.
02/21/12 – Awards are presented

Nominations can be submitted by:

- Email as an attachment to vitaliano.figueroa@csn.edu. Subject line: **MLK
Nomination for _____ (Nominee)**

For more information contact:

- Rosalyn Jimenez, Student Life and Leadership Development at 651-4674
- Dr. Figueroa, Student Life and Leadership Development at 651-4609

Who is eligible to nominate or be nominated:

- ***All members of CSN are eligible to nominate and be nominated.***
- Nominations are open to any and all members of the campus community whose outstanding contributions in multicultural leadership and/or service have benefited the college.
- These awards honor efforts that have demonstrated an emerging, sustained or lifetime commitment to the value of diversity.

*****Important Information for Nominators*****

Please fill out this form COMPLETELY for the following reasons:

- 1. The information in this form serves as the MAIN source of information about the Nominee**
- 2. The Selection Committee members base their decisions on the information in this form.**
- 3. The number of nominations that a nominee receives does not affect the nominee's candidacy. One nomination is sufficient.**

Details of Nominator:

Name: _____
E-mail: _____
Campus Phone: _____
Nominator's Position: Student Staff Faculty

Details of Nominee:

Name: _____
E-mail: _____
Phone #: _____

Award Category:

- Student Excellence (Academic/Service) Award
- Student Excellence (Artistic/Cultural) Award
- Student Excellence (Leadership/Service) Award
- Organization Excellence (Leadership/Service) Award
- Staff/Administrator Excellence (Leadership/Service) Award
- Faculty Excellence (Leadership/Service) Award

Nominee's Organization/Group Affiliations (up to 4):

1: _____
2: _____
3: _____
4: _____

Why did you choose to nominate this person?

Please fill out this section completely.
This information serves as the MAIN source of information about the Nominee

Please describe the emerging, sustained, or lifetime contributions of the nominee by responding to the questions below. By combining academic excellence and multicultural leadership and service, how has the nominee contributed to the advancement of equity in accord with the criteria below?

1. Initiating Change

How has the nominee improved the quality of life through cultural, artistic, organizational, departmental, programmatic, or institutional diversity and excellence initiatives?

2. Creating a Safe Environment

How has the nominee encouraged others so that they can be themselves, created an environment accepting of all individuals, and supported or demonstrated change to maintain a safe environment?
