

DISTINGUISHED STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DIRECTOR AWARD

Entry Form

Nominee: <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms. First Name: _____ Last Name: _____		
Nominee Title: _____		
State College System: _____		
Address: _____		
City: _____	State: _____	Zip: _____
Email: _____	Phone: _____	
Start Date as State Community College Director: Month _____		Year _____
Nominating College/Region: _____		
Nomination Writer: _____		

ELIGIBILITY

Directors of State Community College Education Association Systems are eligible for this award. A State Community College Director may receive this award only once. Nominees should have served in their position for at least 3 years and demonstrated during their tenure a strong level of support for Phi Theta Kappa. Nominees must agree to attend the International Convention in Orlando, Florida, if chosen as an award recipient. The awards are tentatively scheduled for presentation during the Second General Session on the afternoon of Friday, April 9. Award recipients will be notified in January of 2010. Phi Theta Kappa will provide one night's accommodation in the Convention hotel and waive Convention Registration for award recipients; all other travel expenses are the responsibility of the award recipient.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Failure to follow any of these requirements will result in entry disqualification.

- The Nomination must be typed in double-spaced Arial font, 10pt. size or greater, with at least one-inch margins, and must not exceed THREE one-sided, 8½" by 11" pages.
- The Nomination must include each question followed by the writer's response.
- This Entry Form must be signed by the nominee and stapled to the completed Check List and Nomination.

NOMINATION

NOMINATION To Be Completed by a Chapter Officer, Current Member, Chapter Advisor or Regional Coordinator

1. Outline the nominee's response to the following question: What are the three most important ways you have supported Phi Theta Kappa?
2. Discuss how the nominee encourages support of Phi Theta Kappa in the state system.
3. Discuss how the nominee has worked to increase scholarship opportunities for Phi Theta Kappa members in the state.
4. Discuss how the nominee has recognized academic achievement and leadership accomplishments of Phi Theta Kappa members.

"I hereby agree to accept this award, if selected as a recipient, at the Phi Theta Kappa International Convention, April 8-10, 2010 in Orlando, Florida."

Nominee's Signature _____

Date _____

Contact information for the college's Public Relations, Media Affairs or Public Information Office:

Phi Theta Kappa International Headquarters will send an official press release to college Public Relations officials if a nominee is recognized with this award. Consult college administration to confirm appropriate contact information prior to submitting this form.

Name: _____	
Email: _____	Phone: _____

ENTRY SUBMISSION

Please submit only ONE copy of the chapter's entry. Entries must be RECEIVED (not postmarked) by 5:00 pm CST, **December 1, 2009**. Faxed or emailed entries will not be accepted.

Mail Entries To: Hallmark Awards, Phi Theta Kappa Headquarters, 1625 Eastover Drive, Jackson, MS 39211.

STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DIRECTOR AWARD OF DISTINCTION Check List

Mark all items reflecting the level of support provided by the nominee.

Chapter Development

- Helped establish a new chapter(s)
- Works with colleagues to activate dormant chapters

Regional & International Society Support

- Has attended a Regional Meeting
- Has presented at a Regional Meeting
- Has attended International Convention
- Has presented at International Convention

Phi Theta Kappa Recognition

- Publicizes Phi Theta Kappa to external audiences
- Encourages college presidents to recognize and support Phi Theta Kappa advisors
- Recognizes chapter advisors at statewide events
- Recognizes chapter advisors in printed or electronic communications
- Recognizes chapter members at statewide events
- Recognizes chapter members in printed or electronic communications
- Invites and recognizes Phi Theta Kappa member and advisor award recipients to meet with State Board or Association
- Invites Phi Theta Kappa members to meet with legislators to discuss issues impacting community college students and two-year colleges

Scholarships

- Worked to establish All-State Academic Team
- Coordinates All-State Academic Team Ceremony
- Secures funding for All-State Academic Team Scholarships
- Attends All-State Academic Team Ceremony
- Secured Phi Theta Kappa Transfer Scholarships at senior colleges
- Designated scholarships for Phi Theta Kappa members while at the community college

Phi Theta Kappa Programs

- Has attended a Leadership Development Studies Program certification seminar