



THE

Tau Beta Pi

Distinguished Alumnus Award

Nominations due February 1

The primary purpose of this program is to recognize alumni who have continued to live up to the ideals of Tau Beta Pi as stated in our Eligibility Code, and to foster a spirit of liberal culture throughout their lives after their college years.

The Tau Beta Pi Association has identified this award as an opportunity to “mark in a fitting manner” exemplary performance by alumni. Another purpose of the program is to demonstrate excellence and leadership in character and liberal culture to members of collegiate chapters and to influence their professional careers and personal lives.

Members of TBPI who should be considered for this award have made exceptional efforts to promote a spirit of liberal culture on local, national, and international scales. Their achievements exemplify the diverse contributions which engineers make to society. They demonstrate the integrity, breadth of interest both inside and outside engineering, adaptability, and unselfish activity cited in our Eligibility Code. These outstanding Tau Bates continue to strive with integrity for excellence in their work and activities. They truly fulfill our Eligibility Code requirements by exercising their capacity for giving their best without limit.

Nomination

Any chapter or member of TBPI may nominate one (or more) alumnus member(s) for the award. Members serving as national officials of TBPI shall not be considered.

The nomination (in digital format) shall be made to the Executive Director by February 1. It may be submitted either by mail, by email to tbp@tbp.org, or also online at www.tbp.org.

The only documentation required is:

A simple one-page nomination summary containing minimal contact and chapter information and a brief summary of the career achievements of the nominee. (See website or Presidents Book, C-33-34, for nomination document.)

Award and Recognition

The award will be presented to each honoree at the national Convention. In addition, TBPI will present each with a recognition plaque and will pay appropriate travel expenses. While there is no cash award to the recipient, TBPI will name a \$2,000 national scholarship in honor of the recipient the following year. Recognition also includes publicity of the award and scholarship in THE BENT and other national and local publications.



Selection Committee

The selection of the TBPI Distinguished Alumnus will be made by a committee of national officers appointed by the Executive Council. The alumnus will be announced before September 1.

