



## **Purpose**

The purpose of the Campion College Alumni of Distinction Awards is to increase awareness of the array of successes and the breadth of influence of Campion College alumni, to promote the tradition of excellence of Campion College, and to honour alumni and former students who have not only distinguished themselves in their profession and in their community, but also demonstrated the core values of their Jesuit education in their professional and personal lives.

## **Eligibility and selection criteria**

The award recognizes individuals who have distinguished themselves within their chosen profession or through exceptional volunteer activity, or humanitarian service. As well, recipients demonstrate the values, mission and philosophy of Campion College in his/her work, and apply the key characteristics of Jesuit education to his/her professional and personal actions.

- Nominees must be graduates of Campion College High School, or graduates or former students of Campion College at the University of Regina. Former students must have registered through Campion College for a minimum of one academic year.
- Nominees will have demonstrated the key characteristics of a Jesuit education: striving for more (*magis*), a deep respect for each individual (*cura personalis*), demonstrating leadership in service, and promoting justice in their professional and personal actions.
- Nominees selected to receive an award must be able to attend the presentation ceremony, and agree to have their name and image appear in various media formats for the purpose of promoting the Alumni of Distinction Awards.
- The reputation, achievements and contributions of the nominees must bring honour and prestige to Campion College.
- The Campion College Alumni of Distinction Award will not be given posthumously.



## Values of a Jesuit education

The Jesuit approach to education begins with a respect for every person and a desire to develop leaders who are concerned about society and the world in which they live. Jesuit institutions are characterized by a common world-affirming outlook that seeks to prepare students for committed service as globally-minded and socially-conscious citizens. The four key characteristics of a Jesuit education are:

- **Striving for more (magis)**

Students are encouraged to go beyond excellence, to choose the greater good, and to strive to develop each element to the fullest. It is not simply about being the best in their class, but rather reflected in the individual's desire for constant improvement, the need to always go that extra step, striving for growth, and openness to change.

- **Care for the whole person (cura personalis)**

It aims at the development of the whole person — intellectually, spiritually, physically, and socially — while paying particular attention to the needs of the person. It manifests itself in the person who develops his/her gifts in service to others.

- **Leadership: men and women for others**

They display a genuine concern for society and the world in which we live, especially the marginalized, vulnerable, and forgotten. They take on leadership roles not for personal gain, but to help advance their community and improve conditions for all.

- **Justice**

Graduates develop a faith and worldview that fosters a disciplined and informed sensitivity to, and active concern for, human suffering and exploitation. They display a respect for all individuals and their basic right to fair and equal treatment, are committed to justice and show a deep concern for the marginalized citizens of our society



## Selection committee

- Dean, Campion College
- Director, Marketing and Communications
- A representative from the Jesuits
- One member of the Campion College faculty
- Two Campion alumni/former students

## Procedure for submission of nominations

To submit a nomination, complete the nomination form and provide an executive summary (maximum two pages) indicating why this candidate is deserving of a Campion College Alumni of Distinction Award. Be sure to include in your summary how they demonstrate the key values of their Jesuit education in their professional and personal actions. Submit your nomination to:

Alumni Awards Committee  
Campion College  
University of Regina  
3737 Wascana Parkway  
Regina, SK S4S 0A2

Or e-mail: [campion.college@uregina.ca](mailto:campion.college@uregina.ca)

The selection committee will review the list of nominations and select a shortlist for further consideration. Candidates who are not shortlisted for the current year may be considered for future years. If your candidate is selected, you may be asked to provide additional supporting documents such as a biographical sketch of the candidate, a list of awards of public recognition, letters of support, etc.

Those selected to receive an award must consent to the terms and conditions (must be able to attend and participate in publicity for the event) in order to receive the award. If, for any reason, the award recipient is unable to attend the ceremony that year, but is accepting of all other terms and conditions, the award may be deferred for one year.

## Confidentiality

All submissions received by Campion College will be kept confidential. Only those selected to receive an award will be contacted.