

Philanthropic Educational Organization (P.E.O.) Scholar Award CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

The Office of Graduate & Professional Studies is requesting nominations for the P.E.O. Scholar Award. This award provides a fellowship of approximately **\$20,000** to an outstanding female scholar pursuing a doctoral degree. Since 2006, Texas A&M University has had more than 18 winners of this prestigious award!

Nominations must be submitted electronically to the following email address:

ogaps-grad-recruit@tamu.edu by Friday, September 11, 2020 at 5:00 pm. All candidates will be contacted by the end of October 2020. The P.E.O. Chapter members will make the final decision on which Texas A&M students will advance to the international P.E.O organization for consideration as a P.E.O. Scholar.

Only the first 30 eligible nominations will be accepted, so submit your nomination early!

P.EO. is looking for **EXCELLENCE**—serious, goal-oriented scholars who are excited about their subjects and who are in the process of creating new knowledge or finding new discoveries through their research. Recipients of Scholar Awards are outstanding women who demonstrate evidence of making significant contributions to their chosen fields. Please submit nominations for your "*brightest shining stars*" in the department/college.

For more information about P.E.O Scholar Awards, visit https://www.peointernational.org/about-peo

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

- female;
- legal US or Canadian citizen or resident;
- full-time graduate student who will complete her <u>doctoral degree between April, 2022</u> and August 2023;
- must be available to participate in a zoom interview, if selected; and

submit completed nomination by September 11, 2020 at 5:00 pm CST.

(interviews will be scheduled for the week of October 12, 2020)

TO SUBMIT A NOMINATION:

- provide the following information on a **coversheet**:
 - o nominee's full (legal) name, UIN, physical address, email address, and phone number where she can be reached to schedule an interview;
 - contact information for the nominee's department/program, committee chair, and a direct departmental contact;
 - name of the nominating college and a contact name and number at the college level;

- o the nominee's anticipated graduation date.
- provide a one-to-two-page nomination letter from a department/program faculty member, advisor, or committee chair, outlining the nominee's strengths, research area, teaching history, scholarly and personal accomplishments, character, and/or any other relevant information for reviewers to consider.
- attach a copy of the nominee's resume or vita;
- submit the nomination packet by 5:00 pm on Friday, September 11, 2020 to ogaps-grad-recruit@tamu.edu

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Office of Graduate and Professional Studies

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