

# 2019 AYL A MENTOR & ALUMNUS AWARD

The Austin Young Lawyers Association will present two awards for outstanding mentor and outstanding alumnus. We would appreciate your help in recognizing the most deserving individuals for the following two awards.

## **AYLA Outstanding Mentor**

*Criteria:* The individual must be an attorney who has consistently demonstrated a firm commitment to successfully mentoring young lawyers in the Austin area legal community. The award will be given annually by the Austin Young Lawyers Association ("AYLA") to a single recipient. Any member of the AYLA may nominate one or more individuals to be considered for the award. The AYLA Executive Committee will select three finalists from that group of nominees. The AYLA Board of Directors will select the award recipient from those three finalists. The Board may invite past winners of the award to participate in the discussion process and vote on the award recipient.

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: (home) \_\_\_\_\_ (work) \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons for nomination:

## **AYLA Outstanding Alumnus**

*Criteria:* The individual must be an attorney over the age of 39 who was actively involved in the Austin Young Lawyers Association ("AYLA") as an officer, director, or committee member or chair, and who has significantly distinguished himself or herself in the profession as an alumnus of AYLA. The award will be given annually by the AYLA to a single recipient. Any current or former member of the AYLA or Austin Bar Association may nominate one or more individuals to be considered for the award. The AYLA Executive Committee will select three finalists from that group of nominees. The AYLA Board of Directors will select the award recipient from those three finalists. The nominees and the finalists will be judged based on their accomplishments in their chosen field of law or public service, as well as their service to the legal community and the community at large. Leadership, special skills, significant legal victories, notable contributions, experience, peer recognition, and overall achievements may all be considered. The Board may invite past winners of the award to participate in the discussion process and vote on the award recipient.

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: (home) \_\_\_\_\_ (work) \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons for nomination:

*Please attach newspaper articles, a resume, or other supporting information to assist the committee in its selection.*

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**All nominations must be submitted by Friday, March 1 at 5 p.m. to the AYLA Office, 816 Congress Ave. Ste. 700 Austin 78701. For more information call Debbie Kelly at 512-472-0279 x105.**