

KEISIE INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY HONORARY DEGREE APPLICATION

An honorary degree from KEISIE International University is the highest form of recognition granted by the University. Individuals who have shown distinguished and extraordinary service within their field of expertise that is consistent with the mission of the University are eligible for consideration. The specific service may be to the University itself, and/or to local, regional, national, or international communities. Individuals selected to receive an honorary degree should exemplify the highest characteristics, ideals, integrity, service, and dedication to learning as well as global concerns.

GUIDELINES

Candidates for nomination should be persons who have been recognized for distinguished service within one or more of the following areas through qualification(s) in:

1. **Advancement in learning through teaching and/or scholarship.**
There should be a documented record of achievement in the creation and/or dissemination of knowledge, either through the impact on learners or upon the nominee's field(s) of study or creative endeavors.
2. **Enhancement of civic and cultural awareness.**
There should be evidence of the individual's impact in civic and/or cultural affairs. This impact should be shown to enhance the quality of life for a community or communities.
3. **Fostering service and partnerships for the greater good of a community or communities.**
There should be a documented record of leadership, service, or fostering collaboration over a long period of time and with notable impact upon the betterment of communities.
4. **Significant commitment to KIU**
There should be a documented record of outstanding dedication to the achievement of KIU's mission.

RESTRICTIONS

1. Honorary degrees cannot be awarded:
 - a. In absentia (recipients must agree to attend the commencement ceremony for conferral of the degree);
 - b. To current employees or trustees of the University;
 - c. To individuals who have direct political, legal, or budgetary authority over the University; or
 - d. More than once to an individual.



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NOMINATION APPLICATION

All nominations for an honorary degree award are to be kept confidential. Those persons nominating potential candidates must understand they do not contact the nominee or in any way communicate to them that they are under consideration for this award. No anonymous nominations for this award will be accepted.

Nominators are to complete all sections of this application, print, and attach a brief letter of nomination which documents evidence supporting distinguished service by the nominee, as previously outlined in the guidelines. Additional information may be requested by the Honorary Degree Authorization Committee from the nominator, or the Committee may solicit or collect such information.

NOMINEE INFORMATION

Full Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email Address: _____

City, Nation, Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

The completed nomination application and letter are submitted to the following address:

President Dr. Wayne Bottiger
Chair of the Honorary Degree Authorization Committee
KEISIE International University
Email: admissions@keisie.university
Attn.: Dr. Wayne Bottiger