

Greenville Technical College Administrative Policy

3-GTC-101 Awarding of Honorary Degrees – Related Documents

The following additional information, Frequently Asked Questions, etc., are necessary to correctly follow or adhere to the policy identified above.

Greenville Technical College Nomination Form for Selection of Honorary Degree Recipients

Greenville Technical College may confer honorary degrees to individuals who have distinguished and sustained records of enriching the world for our students and our community consistent with the mission of the college. These individuals must evidence outstanding achievements, service, leadership and influence within their profession or field of endeavor. Only nominees with the highest personal character and reflecting the college's values and diversity of interests and backgrounds will be approved for honorary degrees.

Greenville Technical College Area Commissioners, faculty, students, staff or administrators may nominate individual for consideration of an honorary degree. This nomination form outlines the information and supportive materials required for a nomination package. The nomination package must be mailed or emailed in its entirety to the college President no later than February 1 for consideration of awarding at the May Commencement Ceremony or September 1 the December Commencement ceremony.

1) Nominee Information:

Name: _____
(first) (middle) (last) (maiden)

Birthplace: _____ Birthdate: _____

Home mailing address: _____

Present Occupation: _____

Business mailing address: _____

Preferred email address: _____

Preferred phone: _____

Spouse or Partner (include maiden name, if applicable): _____

Children: _____

List of education accomplishments including institution(s), degree(s), and year(s):

List honorary degrees the nominee has received and institutions from which conferred.

Brief biographical including professional accomplishments.

2) Why should this nominee be considered for an honorary degree?

Please attach an approximately 500-word summary of the nominee's special achievements that best demonstrate distinguished, relevant achievements of lasting significance.

3) Other materials / letters of support

Please attach at least two letters (one may be from a nominator) of support attesting to the nominee's personal character with relevant evidence of demonstrated values through his/her profession and public service.

Additional materials of support are welcome.

4) Your Information

Name: _____

Your relationship to Greenville Technical College: _____

Preferred mailing address: _____

Preferred email address: _____

Preferred phone: _____

Please provide the name and contact information for any secondary nominator(s).

Your signature: _____ Date: _____

For internal Greenville Technical College use:
Honorary Degree Committee's Recommendation:

Co-Chair Signature/Date

Co-Chair Signature/Date

President's Recommendation:

Signature/Date_____