



2021 WPGA SPECIAL AWARDS

WPGA PGA Professional Development Award

Description:

The WPGA PGA Professional Development Award bestows special recognition on a WPGA Golf Professional, who personally displays a strong desire for lifelong education to include outstanding and continuing contributions to professional education.

Requirements:

- Candidate must be a PGA member in good standing.
- Candidate must be well regarded as a model PGA member.
- Candidate must demonstrate and acknowledge being an individual of outstanding leadership and strong moral character.

Eligibility:

- The following persons are ineligible:
- Class "F" or RSV members.

Criteria: PGA Professional Development Award minimum criteria:

- Candidate must currently be a Class A PGA member in good standing as for a minimum of 5 years with at least three years in the WPGA.
- Candidate has developed the image, reputation, and ability to inspire fellow PGA members with an emphasis in the area of education and training of PGA Professionals.
- Candidate must have maintained a substantial record of service to the PGA of America and the game of golf to further educate and train fellow PGA members, Associates, and industry stakeholders.
- Candidate must have maintained a substantial record of service and promotion toward the growth of the game.

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Guidelines for Selection: The candidate will be considered on the following:

1. His/her performance and service in the area of education and training Golf Professionals at the National, Section, Chapter, and facility levels;
2. The impact made on fellow Golf Professionals through their service and efforts in the area of education and training;
3. Contributions provided to the WPGA, or other organizations;
4. The written or video contributions in the effort to educate and train Golf Professionals through National, Section, or other outlets to include books, articles, manuals, best practices, etc.;
5. Unusual, innovative and/or special education programs or delivery methods of programs which the individual has initiated or played a key role in implementing;
6. Other contributions provided to the WPGA.

*Please type responses on a separate sheet of paper. No more than five pages may be submitted including any pictures. Please forward in a pdf file format. Cover pages are not necessary and do not enhance your chances of winning.

**Please follow the format and answer each question in order. The committee will be judging each question separately. Next to each question, you'll find the number of points the question is worth.

WPGA PGA PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AWARD CANDIDATE FORM

Name of Candidate: _____
Member Number: _____
Facility Name: _____
Facility Address: _____
Facility City, State, Zip: _____
Facility Phone Number: _____
Candidate e-mail Address: _____

1. Please describe the nominee’s contributions during their entire career to National or Section PGA education programs and/or Seminars. (indicate whether participation was on a voluntary or paid basis). (3 pts)
2. Please describe how the nominee has made an impact on the training and education of fellow PGA Professionals. (3 pts)
3. Please describe any unusual, innovative and/or special education programs or delivery methods of programs of which the nominee has played a key role in implementing. This may include articles, materials, videos and/or social media related content directly benefiting the education of fellow PGA Members/Associates. (3 pts)
4. Please briefly describe the contributions the nominee has made to build the image of both PGA Professionals and the Association. (2 pts)
5. Please list if you are one of the following: Master Professional, Certified Professional, served as an Association Subject Matter Expert (SME), adjunct PGA faculty member. (1pt)

Total Possible: 12 points

By submitting this form, I attest that the information contained herein is accurate and truthful to the best of my knowledge.

Submission Deadline: December 3, 2020

Forms should be emailed to jstadler@pgahq.com when completed.

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