



2022 WPGA SPECIAL AWARDS

WPGA Golf Professional of the Year

Description:

The "WPGA Golf Professional of the Year Award" bestows special recognition on a WPGA Golf Professional who has performed outstanding services as an overall PGA Professional. As one of the highest honors the WPGA can bestow, candidates must possess outstanding qualities of leadership, strong moral character, and a substantial record of service to the Association and the game of golf. Individuals honored with the WPGA Golf Professional of the Year award will be held as a model PGA Golf Professional.

Requirements:

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

Eligibility:

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

Criteria:

PGA Golf Professional of the Year minimum criteria:

- Candidate must have been a Class A PGA member in good standing for a minimum **total** of 10 years with at least five in the WPGA.
- Candidate has developed the image, reputation, and ability to inspire fellow PGA members as a PGA Professional.
- Candidate must have maintained a substantial record of service to the Association and game of Golf, as well as helping to further educate and train their fellow PGA professionals.

- Candidate must have maintained a substantial record of service and promotion toward the Growth of the Game of Golf.

Guidelines for Selection:

The candidate will be considered on the basis of the following:

1. The entire PGA career that will include all work as a PGA Professional including teaching and coaching experience, mentoring, education and training, player development, as well as service and commitment to the Game of Golf, their Association, and their Section;
2. The overall performance as a PGA Professional;
3. The impact made on the fellow PGA Professionals in the effort to lead and inspire them through contributions made to the Association and game of golf;
4. The overall image as a PGA Professional and how the individual reflects the values of the PGA of America and the game of golf;
5. The overall service to the Association in the effort to assist the PGA of America in its effort to meet its mission to promote the enjoyment of the game of golf, enhance the skills of PGA Professionals, elevate the standards of the professional golfers' vocation, and promote the overall vitality of the game.

*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 on the candidate form, you'll find the number of points it is worth during the judgement process.

WPGA GOLF PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR CANDIDATE FORM

Name of Candidate: _____

Member Number: _____

Facility Name: _____

Facility Address: _____

Facility City, State, Zip: _____

Facility Phone Number: _____

Your E-mail Address: _____

1. Please describe your overall performance as a Golf Professional. (3 pts)
2. Please briefly describe your service to the WPGA and to the Association. (3pts)
3. Please briefly describe your leadership ability. (3 pts)
4. Please briefly describe how you inspire fellow Golf Professionals. (3pts)
5. Please briefly describe how you grow the game of golf at the facility, in the community and throughout the Section. (3pts)

Total Possible Points: 15

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

Submission Deadline: November 30, 2021

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