



ASIAN AMERICAN COALITION OF CHICAGO
30th Lunar New Year Celebration & Asian American Conference
| Community Health Fair | Asian Business Expo | Youth Job Fair |
February 23, 2013 * Hyatt Regency O'Hare * 9 A.M. to Midnight
Hosted by the Vietnamese Community & Nghia Sinh Intl Inc.

AACC Host Office

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GUIDELINES FOR NOMINATION AND SELECTION OF 2013 AWARDS

2013 EXEMPLARY COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD

Honors one person from each Asian community who has shown dedicated service and exemplary leadership to enhance the wellbeing of his/her community members.

1. Nominee must be resident of Illinois for a minimum of one year.
2. Nominee must be sponsored by an organization that has been established for a minimum of two years.
3. Only one nomination may be made per community; multiple nominees per community will not be accepted.
4. The person or agency sponsoring a nominee for the 2013 Exemplary Community Service Award must be on the AACC Award Committee or a member of the 2012/2013 Asian American Coalition of Chicago's Board of Directors.
5. Nominations received after the deadline (December 31, 2012) will not be considered by the award committee.

2013 "YOUTH WHO EXCELS" AWARD

Honors one high school or college student ages 14 to 22 from each Asian community who has shown EXCELLENCE in (1) SCHOLARSHIP, (2) SERVICE, (3) LEADERSHIP, and (4) CHARACTER.

1. Nominee must be resident of Illinois for a minimum of one year.
2. Nominee must be sponsored by an organization that has been established for a minimum of two years.
3. Only one nomination may be made per community; multiple nominees per community will not be accepted.
4. The person or agency sponsoring a nominee for the 2013 "Youth Who Excels" Award must be on the AACC Award Committee or a member of the 2012/2013 Asian American Coalition of Chicago's Board of Directors.
5. Nominations received after the deadline (December 31, 2012) will not be considered by the award committee.

2013 PAN ASIAN AWARD

Honors an Asian American who has performed notable community service for the Pan Asian American community.

1. Nominee can not be a member of the host community; this year's nominees can not be of Vietnamese ancestry.
2. Nominee must be sponsored by an organization that has been established for a minimum of two years.
3. The AACC Board of Directors will meet and select this year's honoree out of nominations received.
4. Nominations received after the deadline (December 31, 2012) will not be considered by the award committee.

2013 GRAND ASIAN AWARD

Presented to a non-Asian who has performed exceptional community service for the Asian American community.

1. Nominee can not be a member or an officer of the host community; this year's host is Vietnamese community.
2. Nominee must be sponsored by an organization that has been established for a minimum of two years.
3. The AACC Board of Directors will meet and select this year's honoree out of nominations received on or before the deadline.
4. Nominations received after the deadline (December 31, 2012) will not be considered by the award committee.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

1. Please complete all items required in the application. Incomplete applications will be returned to senders
 2. Please submit nominations via mail to info@aacchicago.org. Please see nomination form attached for details.
 3. Please submit the nomination form to the 2013 AACC Award Committee on or before **December 31, 2012**.
- Nominations received after the deadline will not be considered by the award committee. Thank you.

2013 AACC AWARD COMMITTEE

Dr. Nguyen-Trung Hieu
Committee Chair