2017 Women of Distinction Award Nomination Form

Piedmont Community College is now accepting nominations for the college’s first Women of Distinction Awards. This award recognizes the accomplishments of local women who exemplify the vision and mission of the college by being a contributor to their own community and beyond, and have demonstrated excellence in the categories of Education, Community Development, Business, Healthcare, Community Service, or Volunteer Caregiving.

Nominations will be reviewed anonymously (without visibility of names or demographic statistics) by a selection committee comprised of Piedmont Community College and community representatives. Award winners will be recognized on Thursday, March 23, 2017, at the Women of Distinction Luncheon at the Kirby Cultural Arts Complex. Recipients and nominators will be notified of their selection once the review process is complete. If your nominee is selected, you will each receive one complimentary ticket to the event. Additional tickets will be available for purchase at Piedmont Community College, Building A, Room 113 on the Person County Campus for $15 per person. Ticket proceeds will benefit the Piedmont Community College Foundation Scholarship Program.

Nomination Guidelines

As you consider your nominee, please keep the following in mind:

- Nominees must live, work, or volunteer in Person or Caswell County.
- Nominees should serve as role models and/or mentors to other women and girls.
- Recipients are encouraged to be present at the awards ceremony on Thursday, March 23, 2017 from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. to receive the award.
- A portion of the nomination may be used to introduce the recipient at the awards presentation. Please do not include any confidential information.
- Recipients will be selected based on the content of this nomination and reference letters alone, so please be as specific as possible.
- Additional reference letters are highly encouraged, but not required.

Please contact Allison Satterfield at (336) 322-2102 or by email at allison.satterfield@piedmontcc.edu or Dr. Joyce Johnson at (336) 322-2106 or by email at joyce.johnson@piedmontcc.edu for more information.

Nominations must be submitted by Friday, March 10, 2017.

I would like to nominate the following person for the 2017 Women of Distinction Award.

Name of Nominee ________________________________

Nominee’s Address ________________________________

City/State/Zip ________________________________

Nominee’s Phone ________________________________ E-mail Address ________________________________

Nominee’s Employer (If applicable) ________________________________

Nominee’s Job Title ________________________________
Nominee Area of Excellence (Check ONE)

Please select ONE category in which the nominee demonstrates excellence and should be considered.

- **Education**: Works in the education system or alternative learning environment; enriches the lives of students
- **Community Development**: Demonstrates interest and service in the economic and social climate of her local community
- **Business**: Leads or works in a local business environment; serves as a leader in her field
- **Healthcare**: Works in a healthcare field and makes a difference for patients
- **Community Service**: Inspires as a volunteer whose work has enhanced the quality of life in her community
- **Voluntary Caregiving**: Serves as a voluntary caregiver and has made a difference in the life of an individual or family

Is the nominee aware that you are nominating her? Yes____ No_____

Name of Nominator ________________________________________________
Address __________________________________________________________
City/State/Zip ____________________________________________________
Phone __________________________ E-mail Address __________________________

*Please provide specific examples and a detailed illustration of your nominee’s excellence in her category. Each nomination will be scored based on information provided.*

1. Describe your relationship to the nominee. (100 word limit)

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2. How has she served as a role model for others in her community or profession? (750 words or less)

3. How has she demonstrated excellence in her field or category? (750 words or less)
4. How has she given back to the community through her time, talent, and/or resources? (750 words or less)

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5. State any other reasons why this nominee should be recognized as a Woman of Distinction. (750 words or less)

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Additional reference letters may be attached to this nomination application. (3 letters maximum)