

2020 FESTITALIA Italian Heritage Awards of Distinction Nomination Form

Suggested Nomination Category:

(Please select UP TO 2 categories only. The Committee reserves the right to change the category of the nominee but would not do so without the nominee's permission).

Nominee: _____
(First) (Last)

Address (Residence): _____ City: _____

Postal Code: _____ Telephone: _____ Other Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Nominee's Signature: _____

PLEASE NOTE THIS FORM CANNOT BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT THE NOMINEE'S SIGNATURE

A Nominee's signature represents his/her consent to the following:

- In the event that the nominee is selected to receive the Award, he/she consents to the publication of his/her name and photo in connection with the Festitalia 2020 Awards of Distinction Program (all names of selected Award recipients will be published in the local media and all information contained in the nomination materials becomes public information). **Please note, information pertaining to nominees not selected will remain confidential.**
- In the event that the nominee is selected, he/she consents to attend the Awards of Distinction Dinner on Thursday, June 4, 2020 at Michelangelo Banquet Centre, Hamilton, 1555 Upper Ottawa Street, Hamilton, Ontario

Nominated By: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

Postal Code: _____ Telephone: _____ Other Telephone: _____

For more information, please contact info@festitalia.ca

Award of Distinction Nomination Submissions

Nomination Packages must consist of the following documents:

1. Completed Nomination Form. (See previous page.)
2. Statement of Nomination - describe the nominee's significant contributions and impact in the award category that best fits the nominee (maximum 3 pages).
3. Provide a short profile of the nominee (**maximum of 140 words**), which features the highlights of the Statement of Nomination (following review and editing, profiles will be made available to the media and published in the Awards Dinner Program).
4. Letters of support (minimum 2, maximum 4).
5. Signature of nominee (see previous page).

Note: Packages will not be returned. Please do not include personal items, videos, CDs or original material.

Selection Process:

1. Nominations will be evaluated only on the merit of the submissions received.
2. As a nominator, it is your responsibility to reflect the achievements of the nominee to the Selection Committee, to draw out his/her exceptional contribution.
3. Be thorough and factual.
4. The Nomination Package for each nominee will be reviewed for completeness. Nominators may be contacted for clarification or for consultation should it be believed that an alternate category more accurately reflects a nominee's background and achievements.
5. Late and/or incomplete submissions will not be accepted.
6. Completed Nomination Packages will be forwarded to the Selection Committee.
7. The decisions of the Selection Committee are final and will be announced at a designated date in advance of the Awards Dinner.

DEADLINE FOR NOMINATIONS IS March 27, 2020 BY 4:00PM

Please address nomination packages to:

FESTITALIA Italian Heritage Awards of Distinction

SELECTION COMMITTEE - CONFIDENTIAL

530 Upper Paradise Road, Suite 777

Hamilton, ON L9C 7W2

Or email nomination packages to awards@festitalia.ca or by fax to 905 667 5862.

The nominator will receive acknowledgement upon submission of nomination package.