



Office of Academic Affairs

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Honorary Degree Recipient: Nomination Form

According to the City University of New York (CUNY), candidates for honorary degrees should fall in one or more of the following categories:

- Persons of national or international reputation in an academic discipline that holds a significant place in the curriculum of the awarding college;
- Persons who have made significant contributions in either thought or action to American higher education or in a professional field closely related to an academic interest of the University or the awarding college;
- Persons who have made significant contributions over a sustained period of time to the development of major programs at the University or at one of its colleges;
- Persons who have given long and distinguished service to the University or one of its colleges, including those who have been in its employ and who have been retired or otherwise separated from the University or one of its colleges for a period of at least three years;
- Persons who have made major contributions to furthering principles that are at the center of the University's purpose and mission.

For purposes of considering candidates for honorary degrees, elected officials representing the State or City of New York shall NOT be eligible for consideration during their terms of office.

Individual Making the Request

Name	
Department	
School	

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Information on the Nominee for an Honorary Degree

Name of Nominee	
Address	
Organization	
Position	
Telephone	
E-Mail	

Please describe the most important reasons this recommendation is being made based on either A or B below. (Additional sheets may be provided)

- A. Distinguished individuals who have risen to a position of eminence in their chosen field or who have acquired a national or international reputation in a selected field or endeavor; or
- B. Individuals who have compiled a distinguished record of excellence and/or achievement or distinguished public service to Medgar Evers College, local. State, nation, or international community.

Please include biographical information, either a document or website link you wish to share.

Submit your request to the Office of Academic Affairs, oaa@mec.cuny.edu.

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