

MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY
PRESIDENT'S COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF MINORITIES

**DIVERSITY AWARD
NOMINATION FORM**

Deadline to Submit: Monday, January 7, 2008

Please Type or Print

NOMINEE: *Dr./Ms./Mr*

First Name *Middle Initial* *Last Name*
Title: Department:
Physical Address: Box:
Phone: Email:
Dates of Employment: Degrees Earned:
Honors and Awards:

NOMINATOR: *Dr./Ms./Mr*

First Name *Middle Initial* *Last Name*
Title: Department:
Physical Address: Box:
Phone: Email:

Please check the specific behavior(s) that demonstrates the Nominee's commitment to the principle of "diversity."

- A demonstrated commitment to the spirit of diversity.
- Leadership through positive interaction between persons of different cultural backgrounds.
- Behavior which illustrates commitment to inclusion of persons within the institution who are members of traditionally underrepresented groups.

Please attach a typed summary explaining how the Nominee has demonstrated the criteria checked above and why he/she should be considered for the Diversity Award.

HELPFUL TIPS:

Clearly state how the Nominee demonstrates a commitment to the principle of "diversity" through activities related to the promotion of diversity in the MSU community.
Cite specific examples of Nominee's commitment, leadership, positive interactions, and behavior that show innovative and creative initiatives or actions to effectively remove barriers to inclusion.
Describe how the University has benefited from Nominee's work.
Cite any civic and community involvement outside of MSU.
Cite any professional memberships (separate diversity and non-diversity related).
Cite diversity-related publications.
Optional – Include letters of support for this nomination from additional co-workers, supervisor/manager, and/or department head.

NOMINEE'S SUPERVISOR/MANAGER/DEPARTMENT HEAD AUTHORIZATION

Signature: _____ **Name:** _____
First M. I. Last

Title: _____ Department: _____

Physical Address: _____ Box: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Completed nominations must be received by 5:00 p.m., Monday, January 7, 2008
Office of Diversity and Equity Programs, Mail Stop 9609, 106 McArthur Hall
Fax: (662) 325-3373