

# The Ohio State University Moritz College of Law Alumni Awards Call for Nominations

## Nominator Information:

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### **Alumni Medalist Award** *for national or international career achievement*

Presented to alumni who have gained distinction as outstanding exponents of a chosen field or profession and who have brought extraordinary credit to the university and significant benefit to mankind. The medalist may be selected from among nominees in this or any other award category. This award is the highest honor accorded by **The Ohio State University Alumni Association, Inc.**

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Professional Achievement Award** *for career achievement*

Awarded to alumni who have superb records of distinguished career accomplishments and who have made outstanding contributions to their professions. The award is presented by **The Ohio State University Alumni Association, Inc.**

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

### **William K. Thomas Distinguished Jurist Award** *for fairness, freedom, and equality*

Awarded to a current or former judge who has graduated from the college and whose personal integrity and commitment to fairness, freedom, and equality exemplify the highest ideals of the judicial system. The award is presented by the **Moritz College of Law Alumni Society**.

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Outstanding Alumna/us Award** *for graduates whose accomplishments merit special recognition*

Given annually to a Moritz Law graduate for exceptional achievement or outstanding service to the college or community. The award is presented by the **Moritz College of Law Alumni Society**.

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Ralph Davenport Mershon Award** *for service to Ohio State*

Presented to alumni who have demonstrated exceptional leadership and service to The Ohio State University. Ralph Davenport Mershon 1890 was largely responsible for the Alumni Association's early beginnings as an organized force for the university. The award is presented by **The Ohio State University Alumni Association, Inc.**

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

### **William Oxley Thompson Award** *for early career achievement*

Presented to young alumni who have demonstrated distinctive achievement in a career, civic involvement, or both. Nominees must not have reached their 36th birthday by the year in which the award is given. Named for the beloved fifth president of Ohio State, this award is presented by **The Ohio State University Alumni Association, Inc.**

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominating statements should include supporting documents, such as a biographical sketch or resume. (Please attach no more than two 8.5 x 11-inch pages, typewritten and single-spaced.) Nominators should take care to address the specific award guidelines when writing the nomination. All forms must be postmarked, or faxed, no later than January 31, 2013. If you need more forms for additional nominations, please duplicate this page. Mail to: Office of Alumni Affairs, Moritz College of Law, 55 West 12th Avenue, Columbus, OH 43210-1391.

### **Public Service Award** *for commitment to promoting and providing access to the justice system*

Awarded to an alumna/us whose public interest career exemplifies a commitment to promote and provide access to the legal system. Examples of public interest organizations include, but are not limited to, legal aid, legal services, civil liberties, pro bono representation, or volunteer lawyer projects. The award is presented by the **Moritz College of Law Alumni Society**.

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Recent Alumna/us Award** *for a graduate whose early accomplishments merit special recognition*

Granted to an individual who has graduated from Moritz Law within the past 10 years whose accomplishments exemplify outstanding professionalism or loyalty to the college community. The award is presented by the **Moritz College of Law Alumni Society**.

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Alumni Citizenship Award** *for community service*

Presented to alumni who have distinguished themselves in service to humanity and who have best exemplified the university's motto, "Training for Citizenship," by having performed significant voluntary service to their community beyond the call of business or professional duty. Initiated in 1958, this award is the oldest given by **The Ohio State Alumni Association, Inc.**

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Dan L. Heinlen Award** *for university advocacy*

Presented to those who have realized outstanding achievements in advocating the interests of the university with one or more of its important publics. It recognizes achievement in activities ranging from students and faculty recruitment to advocacy with elected officials and opinion leaders on behalf of the university. The award is presented by **The Ohio State University Alumni Association, Inc.**

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Community Service Award** *for volunteer service*

Presented to the Moritz Law graduate who has volunteered significant and sustained time and expertise to assist a local, state, national, or international humanitarian organization. The award is presented by the **Moritz College of Law Alumni Society**.

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Josephine Sitterle Failer Award** *for volunteer service to students*

Presented to those whose voluntary personal involvement has enhanced the quality of student life at the university. Created in 1988, it honors those who exemplify the spirit of selfless caring for Ohio State students. The award is presented by **The Ohio State University Alumni Association, Inc.**

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_