

# NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY RAIPUR

#### **Institute Awards and Honours**

These awards recognize the contribution of our alumni to the Alma mater by their collaborations, endowed services, mentoring and perceiving the needs of the institute for its development and growth in an active notable and sustained manner.

#### General Criteria for all awards

- 1. As long as any alumnus is employed at NIT Raipur and their first blood relations (son/daughter/brother/sister) are not eligible for any of these awards.
- 2. Any person acquitted by the court of law/any case is pending against him/her is not eligible for these awards. The proposer and seconder are responsible to check and verify.
- 3. The award will consist of a certificate and memento.
- 4. A person who has received any one of these awards will be eligible for nomination after 5 years. However, a rare and exceptional case will be considered based upon the credentials which has provided a name and fame in the international level/national level.
- 5. The decision of the selection committee of NIT Raipur in this regard will be final and binding.
- 6. The nominee's involvement in the institute with respect to joint research collaboration with faculty, mentoring students/faculty in innovation and entrepreneur ventures, contribution towards donation collection towards NIT Raipur Donation Fund and any endowment created will also be considered during the selection of awardees.
- 7. To specify contribution while filling the forms the attached Annexure A can be useful. The contributions specified in the form for the awards will be considered after the date on which the alumnus has been awarded the degree.
- 8. Office bearers of Alumni Association are not eligible as long as they are office bearers.
- 9. The nomination should reach by 30<sup>th</sup> of October 5 PM, every year.
- 10. The list of awardees will be declared by 15th of November every year.
- 11. The award will be given on Institute Foundation Day (1st December of every year).

### **Nominations for Young Achiever Alumnus Award**

Announcements Details – NIT Raipur invites nominations for the Young Achiever Alumnus Award to recognize young and promising alumni who have achieved great success and recognition in their chosen profession. The Young Achiever Alumnus Awards serve as an opportunity for current and future students to be inspired by their seniors who have achieved notable success following graduation.

The Young Achiever Alumnus Award will recognize alumni age 40 or younger who have demonstrated emerging and unique innovation, creativity, and success in his or her chosen career. Selections are based on success in chosen careers; however, a demonstrated commitment to excellence in NIT Raipur and opportunity for future involvement will also be considered.

**Eligibility** - Any person who has received a degree from the Institute is eligible to be considered for the Young Achiever Alumnus Award, except in the following cases:

A. An alumnus/alumna should not be more than 40 years of age. Age calculation will be based on 30<sup>th</sup> October (Age should not exceed more than 40 years on this date).

**Criteria** – The following shall be considered while assessing the nominations of alumnus:

- Donations and contribution towards NIT Raipur Donation Fund.
- Excelled early in life and shown potential for continued success.
- Received recognition as an emerging leader in professional and/or community achievements.
- Attained increasingly responsible positions within their organization, business or field of work.
- Received recognition for significant professional contributions, discoveries or creative work through honors, awards and/or media attention.
- Served as an outstanding young role model for current and future NIT Raipur students.

#### Eligibility Criteria for Proposer/Seconder:

Nomination in prescribed format may be submitted by the past Distinguished Alumnus Awardees, past Young Achiever Alumnus Awardees, past Lifetime Achievement Awardees, Faculty member of NIT Raipur, BOG members of NIT Raipur (past and present), Alumni Foundations/Associations through their President. Self-nomination will not be entertained.

#### **How to nominate:**

Nominations must reach to Chairman (Alumni Relations and Resource Generation Cell)

Electronic copies of the nomination papers should also be submitted by email to chairman.arrgc@nitrr.ac.in with the subject line 'YAAA (Year) Nomination'. It may not be possible to consider nominations received after due date for any current year. However, those will be carried forward for consideration for the next year.

#### **Process for Selection:**

- a) A screening committee (SC) comprising of employees of the institute will be constituted by the Director for the purpose of shortlisting the received nominations as per the laid criteria, and submitting the shortlist to the reviewing committee (RC).
- b) A reviewing committee (RC) comprising of Distinguished Alumni of the institute and chairperson/member(s) of the Alumni Relations and Resource Generation Cell will be constituted by the Director for the purpose of reviewing the shortlisted nominations as per the laid criteria, and submitting its recommendations to the standing committee (STC).

c) The Deans of the institute will collectively constitute the standing committee (STC) for the purpose of assessing the recommendations of the reviewing committee as per the laid criteria and submitting its final recommendations to the Director for consideration of the award.

## **Nominations for Distinguished Alumnus Award**

Announcements Details – National Institute of Technology Raipur recognizes the professional achievements and contribution of its alumni through the Distinguished Alumnus Award (DAA) each year on the Institute Foundation Day.

**Eligibility** - Any person who has received a degree from the Institute is eligible to be considered for Distinguished Alumnus Award, except the below mentioned criteria.

An alumnus/alumna should not be more than 60 years of age. Age calculation will be based on 30<sup>th</sup> October (Age should not exceed more than 60 years on this date).

**Criteria for nominees** - An individual, to be nominated for this Distinguished Alumnus Award, should have made a significant professional contribution which is recognized widely. The following, among possible other criteria, shall be considered while assessing the nominations:

- Donations and contribution towards NIT Raipur Donation Fund.
- Positions held
- Contributions to his/her profession
- Awards and Honours Received
- Other contributions

#### Criteria for proposer/seconder:

Nomination in prescribed format may be submitted by the past Distinguished Alumnus Awardees, past Young Achiever Alumnus Awardees, past Distinguished Service Awardees, Senate Members, Alumni Foundations/Associations through their President. Self-nomination will not be entertained.

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#### How to nominate:

Electronic copies of the nomination papers should also be submitted by email to chairman.arrgc@nitrr.ac.in with the subject line 'DAA (year) Nomination'. It may not be possible to consider nominations received after this date for the current year. However, those will be carried forward for consideration in the future.

#### **Process for Selection:**

- a) A screening committee (SC) comprising of employees of the institute will be constituted by the Director for the purpose of shortlisting the received nominations as per the laid criteria, and submitting the shortlist to the reviewing committee (RC).
- b) A reviewing committee (RC) comprising of Distinguished Alumni of the institute and chairperson/member(s) of the Alumni Relations and Resource Generation Cell will be

- constituted by the Director for the purpose of reviewing the shortlisted nominations as per the laid criteria, and submitting its recommendations to the standing committee (STC).
- c) The Deans of the institute will collectively constitute the standing committee (STC) for the purpose of assessing the recommendations of the reviewing committee as per the laid criteria and submitting its final recommendations to the Director for consideration of the award.

## **Nominations for Lifetime Achievement Awards**

Announcements Details: National Institute of Technology Raipur wishes to recognize its alumni who have achieved outstanding success and recognition by their notable contribution to their profession, institute and, the society at large. The Institute is interested in receiving fresh nominations in respect of individual alumnus/ alumna for consideration for the award.

Eligibility Criteria for Nominees: Any alumnus/alumna may be nominated.

Age limit: 60 years and above. Age calculation will be based on 30<sup>th</sup> October (Age should not be less than 60 years on this date).

The following aspects will be considered among possible others while assessing the roles and contributions of the Nominee:

- Donations and contribution towards NIT Raipur Donation Fund.
- The work done towards strengthening the alumni and institute relationship.
- Endowments created for Chair-Professorships and other needs of the Institute
- Joint research collaboration with the faculty of the Institute
- Mentoring of students/faculty in innovation and entrepreneurial ventures
- Recognitions received within the Alumni fraternity.

# Eligibility Criteria for Proposer/Seconder: Nomination in prescribed format may only be proposed or seconded by:

Nomination in prescribed format may be submitted by the past Distinguished Alumnus Awardees, past Young Achiever Alumnus Awardees, past Distinguished Service Awardees, Senate Members, Alumni Foundations/Associations through their President. Self-nomination will not be entertained.

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#### How to nominate:

Electronic copies of the nomination papers should also be submitted by email to <a href="mailto:chairman.arrgc@nitra.ac.in">chairman.arrgc@nitra.ac.in</a> with the subject line 'LAA (Year) Nomination'. It may not be possible to consider nominations received after this date for the current year. However, those will be carried forward for consideration in future.

#### **Process for Selection:**

- a) A screening committee (SC) comprising of employees of the institute will be constituted by the Director for the purpose of shortlisting the received nominations as per the laid criteria, and submitting the shortlist to the reviewing committee (RC).
- b) A reviewing committee (RC) comprising of Distinguished Alumni of the institute and chairperson/member(s) of the Alumni Relations and Resource Generation Cell will be constituted by the Director for the purpose of reviewing the shortlisted nominations as per the laid criteria, and submitting its recommendations to the standing committee (STC).
- c) The Deans of the institute will collectively constitute the standing committee (STC) for the purpose of assessing the recommendations of the reviewing committee as per the laid criteria and submitting its final recommendations to the Director for consideration of the award.

# **ANNEXURE**

The selection of the NIT Raipur Alumnus Award will be on the basis of the following criteria:

A. He/she should have made significant and outstanding contributions to one or more of the fields (or categories) listed below.

- a. Academia and Research
- b. Corporate Leadership
- c. Entrepreneurship, Public Life and Philanthropy
- B. The contribution should have resulted in a significant impact in terms of
  - a. dissemination or creation of knowledge,
  - b. enrichment in lives of people,
  - c. distribution or creation of wealth, or
  - d. promotion or establishment of high ethical standards in private or public life.
- C. Further, the contribution should be such that it can be adequately documented in the form of:
  - a. national or international awards,
  - b. national or international patents,
  - c. publications in journals of international repute,
  - d. creation of jobs,
  - e. market share of products/services,
  - f. growth in company valuation on stock exchanges,
  - g. volume of donations to social causes, etc.
  - h. Heading or Leading high private or public offices
  - i. Measurable impact on people's lives
- D. She/he should be a person of high integrity and stature, and one whose contributions will not only make her / his Alma Mater proud but will inspire NIT Raipur faculty, staff, students and alumni.
- E. Major contribution in NIT Raipur Donation Fund by self or promoting organizations to donate and contribute towards NIT Raipur Donation Fund.

NOTE: Above mentioned points may be helpful while filling the form. This is not the complete list of achievements; other achievements can also be mentioned while filling the form.