



CALIFORNIA AWARDS WOMEN LAWYERS APPLICATION



HELP US HONOR AN OUTSTANDING LEGAL PROFESSIONAL Submit your nomination for a 2021 California Women Lawyers award

CWL is seeking nominations for all of its 2021 awards:

(Click each award to see it's description, it's full criteria, and it's submission instructions.)

The Rose Bird Memorial Award

A courageous and compassionate Northern California jurist whose brilliance inspires California's women lawyers.

The Joan Dempsey Klein Distinguished Jurist Award

A Southern California jurist whose judicial excellence and longstanding vigorous service inspires the women lawyers of California.

The Judith Soley Lawyer as Citizen Award

A leader, role model and mentor with a passionate and sustained commitment to civic engagement and professional excellence.

The Fay Stender Award

A model of forceful advocacy for the under-represented who demonstrates a feminist perspective and the ability to effect change.

Nomination packet deadline: Friday, December 18, 2020 by 5:30 pm

The CWL Board of Governors will select the recipient of each of these honors in the month of January 2021.

Nominee: _____

Nominator Name: _____ Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

SUBMISSION CRITERIA:

Nomination packets *must* include:

- | Submitted | Received | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Nominee's resume, bio, or CV. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | A high-resolution color photograph of the nominee. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | A letter supporting the nominee as a worthy recipient of this honor with a description of how the nominee meets the award criteria – not to exceed five (5) pages. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | A statement from the nominating organization acknowledging the ability to assign one (1) to two (2) members who will actively participate with the CWL Award Committee in planning and marketing the award ceremony. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | A statement affirming the nominating organization will work with CWL to determine the nominee's availability on the date and time set for the award ceremony. |

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Letters of support, with a maximum of five (5) letters with a two (2) page limit each. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Up to three (3) news/magazine articles written by or about the nominee. |

Nominations must be sent electronically as a complete packet to awards@cwl.org no later than 5:30pm December 18, 2020. Honorees will be selected in the month of January 2021 and publicized in the January/February e-newsletter.