



## 2019 TECH TITANS NOMINATION FORM

### CORPORATE CTO

The **Tech Titans Corporate CTO** award recognizes the Corporate Technology or Science Officer of a North Texas based technology or non-technology company for exceptional technical leadership that fostered the development of new technology resulting in significant value for the company.

#### Qualifications for award category:

- The nominee may be with a technology or technology enabled company.
- The nominee's technical leadership demonstrates team building and market awareness skills and the maintenance of a creative environment.
- The nominee's technical knowledge fostered the inception and development, not adoption or adaptation, of novel product(s), service(s), intellectual property, and/or processes.

#### As part of the selection process, nominations will be judged on the following criteria:

- How the nominee created and/or supported the environment and team for success. (30%)
- How the nominee demonstrates technical leadership. (25%)
- What the nominee has done to assure that the new technology provides a sustainable competitive advantage (25%)
- The impact of the new technology has created or is expected to create. (20%)

#### Award category judges' interview:

- Nominees for this award have the possibility to be interviewed by the judges on Wednesday, June 26th between 8:30 am - 10:00 am. All nominees for this award should be informed of the potential for this interview.

*\* Should your job have more of an IT management responsibility, you may wish to consider applying for the CIO Award.*

**1. Describe briefly the technological breakthrough(s), that the nominee's team is responsible for creating and the related industry sector where it is (they are) applied.**

**2. Explain how the nominee created and/or supported the environment and team where aggressive goals are established, teamwork is rewarded, risk taking is encouraged, and incentive for success is in place. (30%)**

**3. Describe the nominee's technical leadership in identifying opportunities, achieving corporate consensus and support for projects, and assuring that their team has the resources required for success. (25%)**

**4. Describe what the nominee has done to assure that the new technology provides a sustainable competitive advantage and to successfully communicate the impact of this technology internally and, without giving away the advantage, externally. (25%)**

**5. Describe the impact the new technology has created or is expected to create. (20%)**

**6. Additional comments related to nomination.**