



2012 Application Form

Deadline for Applications – March 15, 2012
Golden A.C.E. Awards Gala – Saturday, March 24, 2012

To apply for the Golden A.C.E. awards, fill out the information outlined in the below application. For the written sections, feel free to attach separate documents in lieu of writing in the space provided. Please note, Golden A.C.E. participants are welcome and encouraged to submit a short (under three minute) video to supplement their application. If you have a video to submit with the paper application, there is a space on the paper application to provide a link. Questions on the application process can be sent to NYPGoldenACE@gmail.com.

1. Enter Nominee Information (Go ahead, nominate yourself!!)

Name of Nominee: _____
Nomination Category (choose one from list below): _____
Age (nominee must be 40 or under as of March 24, 2012): _____ Date of Birth: _____
Gender: Male [] Female []
Employer/Organization: _____ Job title: _____
Address: _____
Phone number: _____ Email address: _____

Golden A.C.E. Award Categories

- Arts & Culture
- Beauty
- Communications
- Education
- Entrepreneurship
- Finance
- Government Relations & Law
- Higher Education
- Health Care Professional
- Health & Fitness
- Hospitality
- Insurance
- IT & Computers
- Journalism & Broadcasting
- Non-profit
- Public Safety
- Public Servant
- Real-Estate
- Sales
- Science & Engineering



2. Personal and Professional Overview

Please answer the following questions thoughtfully. If you have nominated yourself, free feel to answer in first person.

- **Personal Story** – In 200 words or less, describe the nominee’s personal story. This can include personal anecdotes or insights of the nominee; an informal review of their disposition; hobbies outside the office; etc.

- **Professional Achievement** – Keeping to the 200 word limit, outline the nominee’s professional achievement within their selected Golden A.C.E. industry category. This is a different kind of award selection process. There is no preference given to previously recognized nominees. If the nominee is just starting off in their field or has limited prior recognized milestones, nominators are encouraged to provide overview of the nominee’s professional activities and what they believe the nominee can achieve with this recognition if selected.

- **Community Impact** – In less than 200 words, describe what the nominee has done within the community and the impact of their involvement. This can include an overview of what sets the nominee apart in their as an emerging leader in the Tallahassee community; examples of how the nominee participates in authentic community engagement; etc.

- **Additional Information** – Any additional facts or points that may not have been covered in the above. 200 words maximum.

3. Enter Your Information

Check box if you are the nominator (you do not need to re-enter your information):

Nominator's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

4. Supporting Documents & Video

A maximum of two supplemental documents can be submitted with your paper application. Suggested documents include a resume, articles, press releases, etc. Please include this information in the same envelope with your application. Applicants are also encouraged to submit a three-minute video and a link can be provided to the selection committee to review in the space below.

- Supporting Document (s) Description: _____

5. Submit

Submit your application mailing the complete document, along with supportive materials, to the address below. Applications submitted after March 15, 2012 will not be accepted. Three nominees will be selected from each award category and will be notified in advance of the Golden A.C.E.s Gala on March 24, 2012.

Additionally, an overall award will be presented to the one of the 20 Golden A.C.E. award winners and would be granted the title of Top A.C.E. Please provide the name of a non-profit organization of your choice below. If you win your category and are ultimately selected as the Top A.C.E. you will be presented with all additional event proceeds to donate to this charity or organization.

Non-Profit or Charity Organization: _____

Completed applications can be mailed to:

Golden A.C.E.s Awards – Tallahassee NYP
Attn: Rachel Gustafson
240-A Lake Ella Drive
Tallahassee, FL 32303