



**HONORARY DEGREE NOMINATION FORM  
FOR RECOGNITION AT THE 152<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT  
MAY 2022**

**CRITERIA**

**The nominee must meet one or more of the following criteria:**

1. Individuals whose significant personal, social, cultural, scientific, or professional achievements have positively increased public awareness of deaf and hard of hearing people, nationally or internationally, and whose values inherently are reflected in the Gallaudet University mission.
2. Individuals with exemplary records of academic and/or public accomplishments in line of Gallaudet University's standard of academic rigor, quality, and significance.
3. Persons whose leadership or originality in significant human endeavor has been with distinction, with preference to those whose accomplishments came first in a particular field of endeavor.
4. Individuals who have served as role models for deaf and hard of hearing people through their extensive leadership and public service.

**INSTRUCTIONS**

Please submit:

- a completed nomination form;
- supporting letters describing how the nominee meets the purpose of the honorary degree,
- documented evidence of the nominee's achievements and his/her impact on deaf and hard of hearing people,
- the nominee's *resume*, or information that would ordinarily be included in a *curriculum vitae*, and
- names and contact information of three references who will be asked in confidence by the Honorary Degree Committee to comment on the qualifications of the nominee.

NOMINEE \_\_\_\_\_

POSITION AND TITLE \_\_\_\_\_

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