



30
Black Stars
BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVERS

NOMINATION PROCESS/CRITERIA

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The "30 Black Stars" is an annual initiative that recognizes the achievements, impact and contributions of Black business and professional achievers in the United States. Each year, we identify and honor 30 outstanding individuals who have distinguished themselves and are paving a way for minorities in business and corporate world through a demonstrated commitment to excellence.

▲ CONFERENCE & AWARDS GALA

The Black Stars Conference and awards are designed to facilitate empowering discussions around diversity and inclusion and provide solutions for how organizations can recruit, retain, engage and advance the Black talent pool. Organizations have an opportunity to gather insights, highlight their D&I efforts, connect with talent, network with industry thought leaders, share best practices and more. The conference concludes with the prestigious 30 Black Stars awards gala where the honorees are recognized and celebrated for their impact.

NOMINATION PROCESS

Ideal candidates include corporate execs, senior managers, entrepreneurs and accomplished professionals from public, private, and non-profit sectors across all industries. Self-nominations are accepted and all submissions are reviewed by a Selection Committee who makes the final decision. Candidates must meet all selection criteria.

To complete a nomination:

- ▲ Review qualification criteria and ensure that you or the person you are nominating meet all the requirements
- ▲ Click “Nominate” and submit the online Application with the required information
- ▲ The Selection Committee may contact you or the person you are nominating with a request for additional information before the final selection
- ▲ The Selection Committee will review all submissions and will notify you and the person you are nominating if they have been selected



SELECTION CRITERIA AND REQUIREMENTS

- ◆ Nominee must be a person of African heritage living in the United States who identifies as African, African-American, Caribbean-American, Afro-Latin American, or related
- ◆ Nominee must be a permanent resident or a U.S. citizen
- ◆ Nominee must be at least 21 years of age
- ◆ Nominee must be an executive, senior manager, or professional with a demonstrated record of outstanding achievement or significant impact in sector
- ◆ For entrepreneurs, company must have existed for at least two years and have a minimum annual revenue of \$500,000 (proof required)

Important to Note:

- ▲ Submission Deadline: July 31, 2020
- ▲ Nominee will be notified by August 15, 2020



For all application related questions, please contact:
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Nomination Application Available At:

www.30blackstars.com

