



Saint Mary's University **One World Alumni Awards** Nomination Form: 2020 Charity Award

Introduction

The award-winning **One World Alumni Awards** (OWAA) are designed to align with the strategic priorities of Saint Mary's University. Students and alumni of Saint Mary's are making meaningful impact in their communities on campus and all over the world. This speaks to our strategic priority of value and values, emphasizing the Santamarian values of student leadership, social responsibility, and cultural diversity. The reinvigoration of our Latin motto, *Age Quod Agis*, meaning "do what you do", has become a call to action to our entire Santamarian community. The One World Alumni Awards strive to recognize these efforts.

The goal of the OWAA is to increase alumni involvement with Saint Mary's University, to raise awareness of Saint Mary's in both local and global communities, while at the same time recognizing our alumni and students as responsible and caring citizens of the world.

Each year, two awards will be given, one to an external charity which displays ties to Saint Mary's University, and one to a student society or club that is working on a charitable or community service project. Both awards will be valued at \$7,500, sponsored by TD Insurance. One runner-up from each category will be awarded a \$1,000 prize. These awards will be presented at the One World Alumni Awards Reception during Homecoming in October.

The OWAA Selection Committee, comprised of members of the SMU Alumni Association and SMU Students' Association, will select two top organizations from each award category. These organizations will be subject to public online voting which will assist the committee in scoring the results. The top two nominated organizations in each category are expected to work with the Alumni Office to promote ticket sales for the Awards Reception.

Please complete the following form and submit to the Alumni Office by Friday, February 28, 2020. Email your completed nomination form to alumni@smu.ca or phone 902-491-6487 for more information.

Mandatory Requirements

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Must be a Canadian Registered Charity. 2. Charity must be in full support of the nomination. 3. Charity must disclose most recent CRA filed financial report. 	
<p><i>If the Charity is selected as a top two finalist:</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Charity representatives must appear in a short promotional video. • Charity must assist in selling tickets to One World Alumni Awards Reception (tickets \$25). • Charity representatives must attend the One World Alumni Awards Reception. • Charity must appoint a guest speaker to accept the award and make remarks at the One World Alumni Awards Reception.

General Information

Name of Charity	
Mandate	
Mailing Address	
Primary Contact (at the organization)	
Phone	
Email	
Website	

Nominator Information

Name	
Graduation Degree/Year	
Email	
Phone	

Involvement with the nominated charity	
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Connection to Saint Mary's University

Select all that apply:	
The charity was founded by a Saint Mary's University alumnus. <i>(Provide name and degree information)</i>	
A Saint Mary's University alumnus is on the board of directors, advisory committee, etc. <i>(Provide name and degree information)</i>	
A Saint Mary's University alumnus is a strong supporter or volunteer of the charity. <i>(Provide name and degree information)</i>	
Our guest speaker will be a Saint Mary's alumnus. <i>(Provide name and degree information)</i>	

Charity Impact

How does the charity support individuals or have a direct impact in changing lives of individuals?
What impact does the charity have on Saint Mary's faculty, alumni, students, staff, and future students?
What impact does the charity have on the broader community?

Impact of Award

Define the specific activities, programs or initiatives that the \$7,500 Award will support.
Please break down how the donation will be spent.
How will being the recipient of the One World Alumni Award help with one of the following? (please select at least 1 and explain):
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Increasing your public profile2. Increasing the leadership of your board, committee etc.3. Increasing your membership4. Other
How much of an impact will this donation have on your charity compared to other contributors?

Promotion

How will the charity promote the event? (print, direct mail, social media etc.)
How will the charity sell tickets to its stakeholders, members, sponsors, supporters, etc.?

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