

2023 Eligible Mentor Award Candidates

Mentor First Name	Mentor Last Name	Mentor Title	Mentor Org Name	Class Year	Fellow First Name	Fellow Last Name	Fellow Email
Thomas	Botzman	Former President	University of Mount Union	2006-2007	Donna	Scarboro	scarboro@gwu.edu (retired)
				2012-2013	K. Johnson	Bowles	bowles@geneseo.edu
				2015-2016	Jason	Best	jbest@shepherd.edu
				2016-2017	Dale-Elizabeth	Pehrsson	president@clarion.edu
				2021-2022	Ruma	Chopra	ruma.chopra@sjsu.edu
				2021-2022	Bryan	Boatright	boatrib@mountunion.edu
Michael	Crow	President	Arizona State University	2006-2007	Glenn	Martinez	martinezg@utpa.edu
				2009-2010	Mitzi	Montoya	mitzi3111@gmail.com
				2012-2013	Carol	Parker	cparker2@utep.edu
				2013-2014	Bridget	Burns	bridget@theuia.org
				2015-2016	Vipin	Gupta	gupta05@gmail.com
				2019-2020	Jennifer	Ostergren	jennifer.ostergren@csulb.edu
Judy	Genshaft	Former President	University of South Florida	2004-2005	Mathew	Buyu	mbuyu@usiu.ac.ke
				2005-2006	Marco	Carrillo	carrillomaza@hotmail.com
				2009-2010	Nancy	Giardina	giardinn@gvsu.edu
				2014-2015	Jose	Coll	jec219@txstate.edu
				2016-2017	Perry	Schoon	pschoon@ilstu.edu
Sue	Henderson	Former President	New Jersey City University	2013-2014	Charles	Richardson	crichardson@misericordia.edu
				2014-2015	Rhonda	Gonzales	rhonda.gonzales@utsa.edu
				2015-2016	Ping	Zhang	pzhang@syr.edu
				2016-2017	Jake	Zhu	jzhu@csusb.edu
				2018-2019	Asmara	Tekle	atekle@tmslaw.tsu.edu
				2018-2019	Karen	Morgan	kmorgan@jcsu.edu
				2019-2020	Sharon	Nagy	snagy@clemsun.edu
John	Hitt	Former President	University of Central Florida	1980-1981	Steve	Permuth	permuth@tempest.coedu.usf.edu
				1982-1983	Claire	Etaugh	cetaugh@bradley.edu
				1992-1993	Jayne	Richmond	richmond@uri.edu
				1999-2000	Jimmy	Williams	jwilliam@bama.ua.edu
				2004-2005	Awilda	Hamilton	ahamilton@kent.edu
				2010-2011	David	Jenkins	d.jenkins@louisville.edu
				2011-2012	Sheila	Pineros	spineros@austincollege.edu

Zachary	Hodges	President	Houston Community College--Northwest	2008-2009	Pamela	Christian	pamela.christian@biola.edu
				2010-2011	Mary	Grimes-McGreer	mcgreerm@savannahstate.edu
				2011-2012	Peter	Wooldridge	pwwool55@gmail.com
				2017-2018	Carlos	Medina	Carlos.Medina@academicsearch.org
				2019-2020	Jerome	Drain	jerome.drain@hccs.edu
				2022-2023	Colleen	Reilly	colleen.reilly@hccs.edu
William	Kirwan	Former Chancellor	University System of Maryland Office	1990-1991	Judy	Olian	Linda.McCullough@quinnipiac.edu
				1998-1999	Janice	Cervelli	president@saintmarys.edu
				1999-2000	Lois	Nora	lmn@neomed.edu
				2004-2005	Holly	Stadler	hstadler4967@gmail.com
Chuck	Middleton	President Emeritus	Roosevelt University	2000-2001	Sandra	Terrell	
				2009-2010	Pamela	Kalbfleisch	pamela.kalbfleisch@gmail.com
				2009-2010	Gary	Paul	gpaul@cut.ac.za
				2012-2013	Melvin	Unger	melvin.unger@fredonia.edu
Kim	Wilcox	Chancellor	University of California, Riverside	2014-2015	Audrey	Bilger	abilger@reed.edu
				2015-2016	Stephen	Walk	swalk@fullerton.edu
				2018-2019	Elizabeth	Heise	elizabeth.heise@uta.edu
				2022-2023	Austin	Johnson	austinj@ucr.edu
Richard	Helldobler	President	William Paterson University	2010-2011	Russ	Porter	porter@ct.tamus.edu
				2012-2013	Coleen	Nolan	CNOLAN@shepherd.edu
				2017-2018	Erick	Howenstein	e-howenstine@neiu.edu
				2018-2019	Kara	Rabbit	RabbittK@wpunj.edu
				2022-2023	Lori	Cicomascolo	loricicco@uri.edu



COUNCIL OF FELLOWS/FIDELITY INVESTMENTS MENTOR AWARD

PURPOSE:

The COF Mentor Award recognizes ACE member presidents' and chancellors' contributions to enhancing the diversity and capacity of future leaders of American higher education.

AWARD:

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- An elegant memento presented to the award winner at the ACE Annual Meeting by the COF chair, a senior officer of Fidelity Investments, and the ACE president.
 - A letter of recognition and appreciation for extraordinary mentoring from the Council of Fellows (COF).
 - Contingent on funder support: A \$5,000 check towards the award winner's discretionary fund (sitting president) or to the institutional foundation of the last institution that the award winner served as president (retired president).

SELECTION PROCESS AND SELECTION CRITERIA:

Nominations are solicited annually by the COF from all former Fellows. The COF Chair convenes the COF officers and committee chairs to make the selection.

To be eligible for consideration, a nominee must:

- Be a president or chancellor (or a recently retired president or chancellor) of an ACE member institution;
- Have served as mentor to three or more ACE Fellows;
- Be nominated by a former Fellow; and
- Have at least two additional supporting letters for the nomination from another Fellow mentored by the nominee.

Selection is based on the following criteria:

- Commitment to leadership development, with evidence that the nominee has aided in enhancing the diversity and capacity of American higher education;
- Intentional mentoring;
- Articulation of strategies and values that underlay decisions;
- Evidence of transformational leadership; and
- Continuing relationships with the Fellows over time.

AWARD PRESENTATION:

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- The award is presented annually by the COF Chair during the ACE Annual Meeting.
 - ACE will work with the winner to record their remarks that will be shared on the ACE website and ACE Engage.

- ACE will work with the award winner's institution public relations office to coordinate press releases about this honor.
- The award winner is requested to send a thank you letter to Fidelity and provide the Fellows Program with a file copy of that letter.
- The award winner will receive additional information and updates from the ACE Fellows Program office.

SUGGESTED TOPICS FOR ACCEPTANCE SPEECH:

Award winners tend to have personal philosophies and heartfelt observations about their role as mentor and the meaning of mentoring to them. It is hoped that the acceptance speech will share these thoughts in a way that will inspire the audience to mentor. While the role of "mentor" in the Fellows Program specifically refers to the person at the host campus who nurtures an ACE Fellow during his or her placement, award winners tend also to have nominated many rising leaders on their own campuses to the Fellows Program and also mentored these leaders. Acceptance speech remarks may refer to both groups.

- Your mentoring role and your relationship with the ACE Fellows Program over the years.
- Your mentees and nominees and your relationship with them during and after the Fellows Program.
- The importance of mentoring to the development of higher education leadership.
- The rewards derived from mentoring and nominating Fellows.
- A closing statement about the value of mentoring and nominating an ACE Fellow.

PREVIOUS AWARD WINNERS:

2022 - Joe Bertolino, Southern Connecticut State University
 2021 - Johnathan R. Alger, President, James Madison University
 2020 - Philip L. Dubois, University of North Carolina at Charlotte
 2019 - Stanley C. Preczewski, Georgia Gwinett College
 2018 - Renu Khator, University of Houston
 2017 - Earl H. Potter (Posthumously), St. Cloud State University
 2016 - John T. Casteen, III, University of Virginia
 2015 - Dennis Holtschneider, DePaul University (IL)
 2014 - Freeman A. Hrabowski, III, University of Maryland Baltimore County
 2013 - E. Gordon Gee, The Ohio State University
 2012 - John Cavanaugh, Consortium of Universities of the Washington Metropolitan Area
 2011 - Robert Caret, University of Massachusetts
 2010 - Marvalene Hughes, Dillard University (LA)
 2010 - Stephen Joel Trachtenberg, George Washington University (DC)
 2009 - Robert E. Hemenway, University of Kansas
 2008 - Robert Glidden, Ohio University
 2007 - Carol A. Cartwright, Kent State University (OH)
 2006 - Jerry Sue Thornton, Cuyahoga Community College (OH)
 2005 - Robert L. Carothers, University of Rhode Island
 2005 - David P. Roselle, University of Delaware



2023 Council of Fellows/Fidelity Investments

MENTOR AWARD NOMINATION FORM

Part I: Nominee Information

Nominee Name: _____

Current Title: _____

Institution: _____

Address: _____

Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Part II: Nominator Information

The nominator is responsible for preparing and submitting a complete nomination package that should include the following:

- This nomination form as a cover page.
- ONE nominating letter from a former ACE Fellow of no more than three pages addressing the criteria listed in the award description as well as evidence that the nominee has been a Mentor to at least three ACE Fellows (please identify each Fellow and the year of their Fellowship).
- At least TWO supporting letters from persons capable of addressing the nominee's skills and accomplishments as a Mentor, including one from an ACE Fellow who was mentored by the nominee while a Fellow.
- A current biography for the nominee.

Nominator Name: _____

Current Title: _____

Institution: _____

Address: _____

Work Phone:

Cell Phone:

Email:

Please complete and return nomination forms and completed packets to acecounciloffellows@acenet.edu by **Wednesday, November 30, 2022.**