



OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTIONS (INNOVATIONS/CREATIVE IMPROVEMENTS/EFFICIENCIES) TO LAB ANIMAL SCIENCE

CHOOSE RELEVANT AREAS FOR NOMINEE:

- Husbandry - Cage check, Cage change
- Animal Health & Welfare
- Technical procedures – including Breeding colony mgt
- Regulatory Compliance – IACUC, USDA, PAM
- Facility Equipment – including Cage wash
- Administrative – Census, Billing, Procurement
- Training
- Staff Management
- Other _____

EDUCATION & TRAINING ACCOMPLISHMENTS

CHOOSE RELEVANT AREAS FOR NOMINEE:

- Animal Health & Welfare
- Regulatory Compliance
- Husbandry/Cage Wash
- Primary Trainer for Institution
- Safety/ OHS
- Technical procedures/Wet labs – dosing, bleeds, tissue collection, breeding colony
- Internship program
- AALAS exam preparation
- Creative teaching tools/resources
- Staff Management – Coaching, Mentoring, DEI
- Other _____

INDIVIDUAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS

CHOOSE RELEVANT AREAS FOR NOMINEE:

- Continuing Education – AALAS National Meeting, ALL, training attended, new procedures learned, Internship animal-related
- Volunteerism – NEBAALAS, AALAS, Zoo, Kennel, Barn, Science Fair
- Promotions
- Management - Supervisory role, Leadership role, Staff Recognition, DEI
- Vivarium construction/Planning
- Publications/Authorship – Presentations, Papers, Posters, SOPs
- Workshops attended/ILAM
- Setting up and/or Managing Programs
- Customer Service
- Committee participation
- Projects/ Research Studies
- Other Awards – internal, external
- Other _____



PERSONAL STATEMENT (REQUIRED)/ SUPPORT LETTERS (OPTIONAL)

Describe how the Nominee is qualified for the Award and include a few specific details from above sections. Include what makes them outstanding from others & any adversity they may have overcome. Consider the below possible Nominee attributes and sample letter(s):

NEBAALAS Awards Committee;

I am pleased to nominate/support (Name) for the (specific NEBAALAS Award). I have worked with (Name) for (months/years) and observed the following attributes that certainly recommend (Name) for this award. (Name) has demonstrated (below attributes).

(Name's) accomplishments and contributions specifically include _____. This sets them apart from others and demonstrates their outstanding performance.

One thing I would like you to know about (Name) is _____.

The combined skills, accomplishments, and attributes described above make (Name) a deserving recipient of this award.

Date:

To: NEBAALAS AWARDS COMMITTEE

From:

Award:

I am writing to nominate (NAME) for the (SPELL OUT) Award. I have been working with ----- for the many months| years. His|Her position is (POSITION), and He|She is certified at the (ALAT| LAT |LATG) level.

(NAME) holds XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX in the utmost regard and applies the XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX often. He | She is responsible for XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX. He | She takes into consideration the XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX. He|She WORKS WELL WITH OTHERS.... **Use your own words...**

He|she is very XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX and is always pursuing to reach the next level by attending XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX webinars|conferences|symposiums|online training, etc.. He|She enjoys sharing knowledge and mentors to XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX.

I believe (NAME) is the perfect candidate for the XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX award. He| She embraces all the qualities that XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX.

Thank you for your consideration of (NAME) for this award.

Sincerely,

YOUR NAME

TITLE

INSTITUTION

EMAIL | TELEPHONE



POSSIBLE ATTRIBUTES:

Passionate, Enthusiastic, Dedicated, Effective mentor/coach, Committed, Motivated, Creative, Problem-solver, Independent, Reliable, Dependable, Collaborative, Organized, Confident, Patient, Quick Learner, Approachable, Effective Communicator, Active Listener, Proactive, Knowledgeable, Shares knowledge, Respectful, Professional, has Integrity, Team Player, Empowers staff, Key Player, shows Initiative, Customer Service, leads by example, Positive attitude, goes above & beyond Job Description