



TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY

School of Education &
Human Development

Guidelines for the Carolyn S. Lohman Advocacy Leadership Award

The School of Education and Human Development established this award with the dual purpose of honoring Carolyn S. Lohman, a long-time advocate for the school and a member of the Dean's Development Council and recognizing individuals who make a significant impact on the school through advocacy leadership. This award will be presented periodically at the discretion of the school, and as such, may not necessarily be awarded each year. The recipient will be recognized at the ***Fall Kick-Off Luncheon***.

For the purposes of this award, advocacy leadership is defined as the demonstration of skills, practices and commitment, which positively influence the perceptions and actions of various constituents, resulting in the significant advancement of the school's mission.

In determining the recipient of this award, the following guidelines will be adhered to:

1. A call for nominations may be distributed at least two months prior to the presentation of the award. Honorees will be recognized at the ***Fall Kick-Off Luncheon*** held **August 15, 2023**, in the **TAMU MSC Bethancourt Ballroom**.
2. Only individuals who are **not** currently employed by the School of Education and Human Development, and who have demonstrated significant advocacy leadership in support of the school's mission are eligible.
3. The recipient must have made a tangible positive impact on the School of Education and Human Development through, but not limited to:
 - a. Advocating on behalf of the school to a wide variety of constituents including the university community and beyond.
 - b. Recruiting individuals to engage in activities that support the school.
 - c. Demonstrating advocacy leadership as a council member or volunteer.
4. Any individual with first-hand knowledge of the nominee's impact on the school can submit nominations. The nomination packet should include a nomination letter and **no more than three letters of support** from the university community. The nomination packet is **not to exceed eight pages**.
5. Nomination letters should be addressed to Dean Michael A. de Miranda.
6. The recipient will receive a plaque for the **Carolyn S. Lohman Advocacy Leadership Award** and two complementary lunch reservations at the ***Fall Kick-Off Luncheon***.
7. Recipients of this award are eligible for nomination again after five years.
8. Nomination packets are to be sent to Wendy Kreider, Event Coordinator at Mailstop 4222 or via email at wkreider@tamu.edu by **June 1, 2023**. Only complete nomination packets will be forwarded for consideration.