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2012 Missouri Humanities Awards Nomination

DEADLINE: **Wednesday, February 29, 2012** NOTIFICATION: **July 2012**

NOMINEE

Name: _____

Home Address, City, State, Zip: _____

Phone and Email: _____

Organization/ Title: _____

Has the nominee been notified of the nomination? (check one) YES NO

NOMINATOR

Name: _____

Address, City, State, Zip: _____

Phone and Email: _____

Organization/ Title: _____

SIGNATURE OF NOMINATOR

SUPPORTER #1

Name: _____

Address, City, State, Zip: _____

Phone and Email: _____

Organization/ Title: _____

SIGNATURE OF SUPPORTER #1

SUPPORTER #2

Name: _____

Address, City, State, Zip: _____

Phone and Email: _____

Organization/ Title: _____

SIGNATURE OF SUPPORTER #2

NOMINEES'S NAME:

AWARD CATEGORY (Please check one)

Excellence in Education: recognizes one or more teachers of English, history, languages, or social studies, grades K-12 and college/university, in Missouri's public or private schools.

Exemplary Community Achievement: recognizes an individuals and groups who have made a special contribution to a community's understanding of and support for humanities-related endeavors on the local and/or state level.

Distinguished Literary Achievement: recognizes an individual or group whose book or publication (either printed, electronic or online, including blogs and social media) has increased our understanding and appreciation of Missouri's history and culture. Genres can be fiction, non-fiction, or poetry.

Select one: Fiction Non-fiction Poetry

NOMINATION CRITERIA:

1. Nominees must be current Missouri residents or a Missouri-based organization.
2. The following are ineligible for nomination: Missouri Humanities Council's current Board of Directors; Missouri Humanities Council staff; past Governor's Humanities Award recipients.
3. All nominations received require the following to be considered:
 - a. nomination form
 - b. support materials:
 - i. two (2) letters of support
 - ii. resume, Curriculum Vita, and summary of achievements (2 page maximum)
 - iii. summary describing the reason the nominee is deserving of the award (2 page maximum)
 - iv. how the nominee fits the category (2 page maximum)
 - v. additional support materials (2 page maximum)
 - vi. For the book award nomination, two (2) copies of the book or publication are required.
 - c. Submit ten (10) copies including the original and one (1) CD with the complete submission to the Missouri Humanities Council.
 - d. All materials must not exceed ten (10) pages.
4. Submission and support materials:

Support materials may include newsletters, articles, reviews, copies of correspondence, photos, brochures, etc. You will need to prepare multiple sets (send 10).

Use a presentation folder (two pockets with clasps – do not use three ring binders) for all nominations. Include a "contents" page listing all of the items.

Support materials must be directly related to the nominee and nomination category. Do not put something in just for show.

Support material, books and publications are not returned.

Deadlines: Nominations will be accepted until **Wednesday, February 29, 2012 (close of business and/or postmarked)**. Award recipients and nominators will be notified in **July 2012** of the selections.

For further information or questions email MHC at mail@mohumanities.org or call 314.781.9660.

To submit materials send via postal mail to:

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Missouri Humanities Council
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