



2015 NOMINATIONS

EMMA S. BARRIENTOS MEXICAN AMERICAN CULTURAL CENTER AWARD *of* EXCELLENCE

Established originally in 2009 as the Mexican American Cultural Center Award of Excellence by the MACC Advisory Board, and adopted in 2011 by the Emma S. Barrientos MACC Advisory Board, this award recognizes remarkable Latinos for the highest artistic excellence they bring to the cultural arts of Austin. Individuals or groups from any artistic discipline who have demonstrated distinguished service, leadership, dedication, outstanding performance and a lasting contribution in the arts can be considered for this honor.

GUIDELINES FOR NOMINATION

ARTISTS

Local Latino artists from various disciplines who have made significant and outstanding achievements in the Mexican American / Latino cultural arts may be nominated for this award.

INDIVIDUALS

Individuals who are not artists, but have made significant or distinguished contributions to the Latino cultural arts in the Greater Austin Metropolitan Area may also be nominated.

Nominations may be submitted by residents of the Greater Austin Metropolitan Area.

- **THE ARTS:** Those working in any medium including visual arts, dance, music, literature, theatre, film, and history.
- **PATRONAGE:** Those who have made significant contributions or donations in support of the Latino cultural arts.
- **SERVICE:** Those who have exhibited outstanding service as a volunteer and/or employee in the Latino cultural arts.
- **EMERGING ARTIST:** Those age 15 – 25 who have shown innovative and exceptional accomplishments in the Latino cultural arts.
- **LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT:** Those who have demonstrated years of passion and dedication in the Latino cultural arts.

All nomination material will be reviewed by a selection committee comprised of five community representatives. One ESB-MACC staff member will oversee the selection process.

NOMINATIONS MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING

- Cover letter (typed or handwritten)
- Completed nomination form
- One-page summary which includes the following information:
 - The contribution that the nominee has made to the development of the Latino arts/culture in the Greater Austin Area.
 - The number of years the nominee has worked in his/her discipline, or has sustained and/or supported the arts.
 - Why the individual merits the award.
- Nominee's complete biography or resume
- One to three (1-3) original letters of support
- Up to three (3) samples of support materials for individuals nominated in the Arts categories. (Examples: Visual artists: CD, DVD or color copies; Performing Artists: audio CD or DVD of his/her performance; literary artists: written examples.) All written and visual materials must be in 8 1/2 x 11 inch format.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF NOMINATIONS: MARCH 31ST, 2015

Submitted nomination materials must adhere to all requirements. Support materials will not be returned to owner. Faxes will not be accepted.

NOMINATION FORM ❖ AWARD OF EXCELLENCE 2015

NOMINEE'S PERSONAL INFORMATION

First _____ Middle _____ Last _____

Nickname(s) or Maiden Name _____

Home Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Other _____

Email Address _____

NOMINATED BY

First _____

Middle _____

Last _____

Home Address _____

City _____

State _____

Zip Code _____

Home Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Other _____

Email Address _____

Date Submitted _____

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CALL FOR INFORMATION: 512-974-3772

MAIL OR DELIVER NOMINATIONS MATERIALS TO:

Emma S. Barrientos Mexican American Cultural Center
Main Office | 600 River Street | Austin, TX 78701

NOMINATION FORMS AVAILABLE AT

www.austintexas.gov/esbmacc



**EMMA S. BARRIENTOS
MEXICAN AMERICAN CULTURAL CENTER**



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