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MEMORANDUM

To: UA Campus and Tucson Community
From: Lorenzo Chavez, Chair - UAHA Awards and Recognition Committee
University of Arizona Hispanic Alumni (UAHA)
Date: February 20, 2012
Subject: **2012 UAHA Outstanding Graduating Senior and Graduate Professional Student Awards**

The UA Hispanic Alumni will recognize **two undergraduate students and two graduate/professional students** with the 2012 UAHA “Outstanding Senior Award” and “Outstanding Graduate Student Award,” respectively. Student honorees receive \$500 awards and will be recognized at the UAHA Celebration of Excellence Luncheon on Thursday, April 26, 2012.

You may wish to nominate an exceptional student, or students may self-nominate. To be considered for these awards, the following applies:

Criteria

Please nominate students who:

- Have demonstrated above-average scholastic ability, citizenship, leadership and promise for the future.

Please do not nominate students based only on cumulative grade point average. These awards are for well-rounded individuals whose contributions through co-curricular and community activities and leadership are evident, and who can demonstrate knowledge and understanding of Hispanic heritage and who are committed to serving the Hispanic community.

These awards are open to all without regard to race, ethnicity, national origin or other protected categories, in compliance with the University’s Non-Discrimination Policy [<http://equity.arizona.edu/policies>].

Eligibility

Eligible students include:

- currently enrolled UA seniors or graduate/ professional students, graduating in May or December 2012, who have been enrolled at the UA for a minimum of two consecutive years.

Submittals

Please submit:

- A completed Nomination Form,
- A personal statement from the nominee,
- A list of the nominee’s activities, honors and awards and
- A letter of recommendation from a school official, preferably a faculty member, advisor, or dean from nominee’s college.

Complete Nomination Packets are due by **5 pm on Friday, March 9, 2012** to:

UAHA Awards and Recognition Committee
Marvin D. “Swede” Johnson Building
1111 North Cherry Avenue; Tucson, AZ 85721

If you have questions, please contact Oscar Lujan at 626-9327 or lujano@al.arizona.edu.

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2012 UAHA NOMINATION FORM

Outstanding Senior Award ♦ **Outstanding Graduate/Professional Student Award**

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I am nominating: Undergraduate Graduate/Professional

Nominee: _____ Student I.D. # _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____ Graduation Date: _____

Nominated by: _____ Title: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

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