



ST. JEROME'S UNIVERSITY STUDENTS' UNION

DISTINGUISHED LEADER AWARD

This award looks to recognize outstanding leadership of any applicant within the St. Jerome's or broader community.

DUE DATE: FEBRUARY 24, 2020.

Criteria:

In order to apply for this award all applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Must be an undergraduate student academically enrolled through St. Jerome's University and a paying member of the Students' Union for two consecutive terms.
- Must be in good academic standing, based the standings generated through quest.
- Must be able to provide examples, at least one within the St. Jerome's community, of leadership experiences.
- Must be an upper year student (second year onwards).

**Where possible, one award will be given to a student in each year of study.*

Instructions:

There are three sections to this application, personal information, a nomination component and a written component. Please complete all sections and submit by 4 p.m. on February 24, 2020. Please submit via email to sjulife@uwaterloo.ca

If you have ANY questions regarding this application, please direct them to the Students' Union, at vpf.su@sju.ca.

Section 1: Personal Information

Name: _____

Student ID: _____

Faculty/Program: _____

Term (Ex. 2B): _____

Section 2: Nomination Component

Please provide 10 signatures of students who agree that you exhibit outstanding leadership qualities. A minimum of 6 signatures must be from students who are:

- Currently academically enrolled through St. Jerome’s University
- Currently a residence member of St. Jerome’s
- Previously a residence member of St. Jerome’s for two consecutive terms

The remaining signatures (a maximum of 4) may be individuals from the wider University of Waterloo community (Faculty members, Staff members, students who are enrolled academically at the University of Waterloo).

Please print your name, and provide your student number on the second line.

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Section 3: Written Component

Please provide an essay of a maximum of 1500 words for the selection committee to review. This essay will be evaluated based on:

- Ability to answer the question to the highest degree.
- Ability to provide a variety of experiences that directly relate to the topic.
- Ability to convey message adequately and truthfully with no spelling and grammar mistakes.
- Ability to inspire your reader based on the lessons you have learned through your experiences.

Question:

How has your experience at St. Jerome’s University developed you as a leader?

You may use as many examples as you like within the word limit, but must identify at least one experience within the St. Jerome’s Community.