



The Pittsburgh Section of the American Chemical Society
Distinguished Service Award

Purpose: To recognize outstanding volunteer service to the Pittsburgh Section of the American Chemical Society.

Eligibility: Members of the Pittsburgh Section, past or present, who have provided outstanding service in advancing the Pittsburgh Section, are eligible for consideration.

Submitting a nomination: Submit each of the following: (1) attached nomination form, (2) up to two support forms, and (3) biographical sketch (or curriculum vitae) by **August 30, 2026**. All nomination materials should be emailed to the Pittsburgh Section Chair-Elect, Niharika Botcha, at nbotcha@andrew.cmu.edu

Additional information: For more information on the Distinguished Service Award and previous recipients, please visit www.pittsburghacs.org/awards/distinguished-service/, or email Niharika Botcha at nbotcha@andrew.cmu.edu



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NOMINATION FORM

Note: Any individual may nominate or support *only* one nominee for this award in any given year. Please complete all fields.

NOMINATOR INFORMATION

First Name	Last Name	
Company or Institutional Affiliation		
Present Position (Exact Title)		
Address		
City	State	Zip
Telephone	Fax	
Email		

Signature

Date

NOMINEE INFORMATION

First Name	Last Name	
Local Section		
Company or Institutional Affiliation		
Present Position (exact title)		
Address		
City	State	Zip
Telephone: (business)		(home)
Fax	Email	
Website		
Has this nomination been discussed with the nominee?		Yes ☐ No ☐

RECOMMENDATION

In the space below or on an at attached sheet, write a narrative summary evaluating the nominee's outstanding service in advancing the Pittsburgh Sections. Explain why the nominee is being recommended for this award with reference to the stated purposes of the award.



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SUPPORT FORM

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Nominee Name:

SUPPORTER INFORMATION

First Name _____		Last Name _____	
Company or Institutional Affiliation _____			
Present Position (exact title) _____			
Address _____			
City _____		State _____	Zip _____
Telephone _____		Fax _____	
Email _____			

STATEMENT OF SUPPORT

On a separate sheet, type a brief narrative summary describing how you know the nominee and the basis for your support of this nomination.

Signature

Date