

# Hall of

**Distinction Nominating Application**

## for the Selection of Distinguished Industry Contributors

### Each year members of the Northern Ohio graphic arts community gather to honor outstanding individuals who have given of their time and talents to help further the goals of the Graphic Arts Community by honoring them with membership in the Hall of Distinction.

These individuals represent the best the industry has to offer and are selected based on the following criteria:

◆ Widely recognized success in the graphic communications industry

◆ Significant contribution of time and talent to trade and professional organizations

◆ Help and encouragement for young people interested in careers in the graphic communications industry

◆ Advice and counseling for those seeking employment in the industry

◆ Contributions to the general northern Ohio community outside of the industry including charitable participation and contributions, fundraising, volunteer support and promotion of civic initiatives

**Deadline: December 13th, 2019**

SELECTION COMMITTEE

Any past inductee of the Graphic Arts Council's Hall of Distinction, as well as any member of a company in good standing with Graphic Media Alliance, Graphic Arts Council or associated professional graphic organizations, may nominate one or more individuals for consideration of induction. From accepted applications the following currently elected officers of the following respective organizations will review and vote on nominations.

* Representative, Hall of Distinction, Graphic Arts Council of Cleveland
* President, Graphic Media Alliance
* Chairperson, Graphic Media Alliance, Northern Advisory Council
* Vice Chairperson, Graphic Media Alliance, Northern Advisory Council
* 3 – 4 at-large members of the Northern Advisory Council (50% to include current Hall of Distinction members)

Successful nominees and their sponsors will be notified of their selection.

A special induction ceremony will be held at the Association’s Ben Franklin Bash (Ben’s Bash).

NOMINATION FORM

**Hall of Distinction Award Program**

*Please print or type, fill out completely and return this application by December 13th, 2019.*

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_would be privileged to nominate for consideration to be inducted into the Hall of Distinction the following distinguished individual: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Please note that the following information must be completed for all nominees. If requested information is not completed, it may disqualify the nominee. The person nominating the individual for consideration may be asked to come to the Selection Committee meeting to present the candidate. Please include your phone number.*

#### Biographical Information

**1. Personal Criteria:**

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| Name of Spouse: |
| Name(s) of Children: |

**2. Significant contributions to their company** *(attach additional support information, if available)*:

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**3. List significant contributions to the Graphic Communications** **Industry** *(Clubs, Associations, etc. and list or briefly describe the nominee's individual contributions or responsibilities including offices held, awards received or other recognitions):*

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**4. List involvement in civic endeavors** *(list organizations and responsibilities)*:

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**5. Additional biographical comments***(if any, attach supporting information to this application):*

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Send completed nomination form, along with any support materials to:

Jim Cunningham

Graphic Media Alliance

P.O. Box 819

Westerville, OH 43086

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