



Iron Arrow Honor Society Community Recommendations

DUE FEBRUARY 10TH @5pm

The Iron Arrow Honor Society was founded in the Fall of 1926 and is the highest honor attained at the University of Miami. Each semester, the Iron Arrow Honor Society taps new members from throughout the University of Miami community. Currently, we are welcoming recommendations from the University community to be considered for nomination to Iron Arrow. Iron Arrow accepts individuals from all areas of UM including faculty, staff, alumni, administration, Board of Trustees members, undergraduate, medical, law, and graduate students.

Please ensure to include the name and contact information of the candidate you are recommending, their status (undergraduate, graduate, law or medical student, faculty, staff, administration, alumni, or Trustee), and a detailed explanation why they should be considered for Iron Arrow - specifically, how they meet the five criteria for membership: Love of Alma Mater, Leadership, Scholarship, Character and Humility.

There are two ways to recommend, addressing questions asked per criteria or providing a detailed letter. If you choose to provide a letter, use the descriptions and questions as a guide. Be sure to attach your letter to the email at the time of submission. Please be sure to fill out this form in its entirety.

All recommendations must be **sent to ironarrow@miami.edu** no later than **FEBRUARY 10TH @5pm**.

Do not share that you are recommending someone with them. Recommendations are to be kept strictly confidential between the tribe and the recommender.

Below are the 5 criteria. The following descriptions are meant only as a guide and you must be sure to address each of the five criteria on the form below.

Love of Alma Mater:

An individual shows constant effort to promote the continued welfare of the University of Miami. Their actions have shown ongoing work towards furthering the University's purpose and they have positively represented the University in all of their affiliations and involvements.

Leadership:

An individual's personal ability and effort have resulted in the creation of new or meaningful change to initiatives, programs, or directions. This impact has moved their affiliations or involvements to new heights and have enabled lasting goal attainment.

Character:

An individual's personal resolve, moral firmness, and integrity are strong. Their peers respect them and they embody strong character within all of their leadership roles and personal interactions.



Humility:

An individual lives with an exceptional degree of unpretentiousness, courtesy, and respect. They are intrinsically motivated to make strong positive change and never do so in order to seek recognition or with reward in mind. Please note that being humble and being a nice person are different and you should be able to clearly distinguish between the two.

Scholarship:

An individual's personal level of achievement within their academic or professional career is exceptionally high. They have contributed to their field or area of expertise in a way that positively benefits others.



Contact Information

Recommender's Information

Name (First and Last):

Email:

Cell Phone:

What is your relation to the University?

Recommendee's Information

Name (First and Last):

Email:

Cell Phone:

What is your relation to the University?

Method of Recommendation

I will be completing the recommendation by:

Answering the questions by criteria provided below

Submitting a detailed letter



Questions by Criteria

For each Criteria, please provide answers to the following questions in the space provided.

Love of Alma Mater:

Are this person's actions furthering the University purpose?

Have this person's efforts been ongoing throughout his/her association with the University of Miami?

Is this person likely to continue these efforts?

Does this person display a broader concern or commitment to the overall welfare of the University?

How does this person demonstrate pride in and passion for the University?

Leadership:

Can this person effectively and positively influence the group during adverse times?

Do peers respect this person's judgment?

What are the goals of this person's group and how successful is this person at achieving them?

What significant change or impact has resulted from this person's efforts?

How do group members view this person's impact?

How is this person's group, affiliation, or organization and its actions viewed by the campus Community?



Character:

Does this person possess moral firmness and strength?

Do peers respect this person?

Does this person show self-control, fairness, and integrity?

What is this person's reputation among co-workers and/or peers?

How do they treat people in both positions above and below their own?

Humility:

Is this person unpretentious?

How do others view this person's humility?

What is this person's primary motivation?



Scholarship:

What is this person's level of scholarly achievement?

In what way does the person go above and beyond to advance scholarship in others?

In what scholarly activities has this person participated?