Baer Award for Individual Excellence

The Baer Award for Individual Excellence is a prestigious award developed in honor and memory of David A. Baer, a member of the class of 1910, for his involvement in and support for the University’s extra-curricular program. This award will honor those students who have demonstrated integrity and commitment in their overall conduct as members of the campus community. Recipients of the Baer Award have taken it upon themselves to make our community stronger and pledged to enhance student life through a variety of involvements. Additionally, these individuals exhibit competent scholarship (a minimum of a 3.0 GPA) in pursuit of their academic objectives.

Are you submitting a self nomination? [Required]
Valid input:
- Select only one choice.

[ ] Yes, this nomination is for myself
[ ] No, this nomination is for someone else

Nominee Information

Please provide us with the following information about yourself as a nominee for the Baer Award.

First Name [Required]

Last Name [Required]

Email Address [Required]
Valid input:
- name@myschool.edu

GWID [Required]

What is your class year? [Required]
Valid input:
- Select only one choice.

[ ] Freshman
[ ] Sophomore
[ ] Junior
[ ] Senior
[ ] Graduate Student

Academic school (CCAS, Business, Elliott, etc): [Required]

Designated major(s): [Required]

Certification of True Statements + Agreement to Record Check [Required]
By clicking "I Agree" below, I certify to the best of my knowledge that all of the information provided in this application is true and correct. I understand that incomplete or false information may result in my disqualification from the selection process. In addition, I understand that applicants who violate university policies prior to or after the time of application may not be considered for an award.

In accordance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, University policy prohibits the release, to third parties, of information contained in a student’s educational records without the express written consent of the student. By indicating agreement below, I hereby authorize and request that a University administrator discuss, review, and disclose my academic, administrative, and disciplinary record, with the Excellence in Student Life Awards Selection Committee for the purpose of determining my application’s eligibility. I understand that the following offices will be contacted in order to obtain this information to verify my eligibility: The Office of Student Rights & Responsibilities, the Office of the Registrar, and the Office of Academic Integrity. In signing this document, I release the George Washington University, including its Office of the Vice Provost and Dean of Student Affairs, and its employees of any responsibility for misappropriation of the information released.

Valid input:
- Select only one choice.

[ ] I Agree

Nominator Information

Complete the fields below with the information about yourself as the nominator.
Complete the fields below with information about the individual you are nominating for this award.

Nominee First Name [Required]

Nominee Last Name [Required]

Nominee Email Address [Required]
Valid input:
- name@myschool.edu

What is the nominee's class year? [Required]
Valid input:
- Select only one choice.

[ ] Freshman
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Nomination Questions

Please take time to thoughtfully answer the questions below. Quality nominations allow the Excellence in Student Life Selection Committee to truly understand what the individual being nominated has done that makes them stand out.

Please limit your responses to each question to a maximum of 300 words.
How has this individual displayed exceptional leadership performance, integrity, and commitment in motivating and organizing fellow students to achieve objectives that enhance campus life? [Required]

Describe the distinctive and significant contributions this student has made to student life and the GW community. A significant contribution is defined as a measurable, positive impact that benefits the student experience at GW. [Required]

How has the nominee been paid for any of the contributions mentioned in the previous question? If so, describe how their contributions represent performance above and beyond usual or expected execution of duties. [Required]
Contributions made by those in remunerated positions must clearly represent performance above and beyond usual or expected execution of duties. If the individual was not paid, please indicate that with 'n/a.'

Describe how the nominee embodies the following aspects of George Washington University's mission. [Required]
The mission of the George Washington University emphasizes a dynamic, student-focused community stimulated by cultural and intellectual diversity and built upon a foundation of integrity, creativity, and openness to the exploration of new ideas. The University's mission also compels the GW community to apply its talent and knowledge to improve the quality of life in metropolitan Washington, DC. How does the nominee embody these aspects of our University's mission?