Anteater Awards Info Session
Meet the Anteater Awards Leads

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Name & Organization

HAS YOUR ORGANIZATION PARTICIPATED IN THE ANTEATER AWARDS BEFORE?
Meet the COVP Team!
What is COVP?

MISSION: TO PROMOTE LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT BY PROVIDING REGISTERED CAMPUS ORGANIZATION RESOURCES, STUDENT LEADERSHIP ADVISING, AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE CAMPUS COMMUNITY.
Events & Resources
- Poster Room
- Funding Opportunities
- CampusGroups
- Anteater Involvement Fair
- Campus Creatives Fair
- Anteater Awards

Programs
- Org of the Month
- I Love My Org
- Team Building
- Funding Board
- Collaborative Conversations

Advising
- Meet with pro staff and RCO Consultants
- Peters Quest: Workshop Series
application closes on Monday, March 25th!

apply here!
https://qrco.de/00TM

for a chance to win $150 for your org!
ANTEATER AWARDS

Wednesday, May 22nd, 2024, 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm
Student Center, Crystal Cove Auditorium

tinyurl.com/AA24rsvp

UCI Office of Campus Organizations & Volunteer Programs
What is Anteater Awards?
Anteater Awards is our annual awards night that celebrates and recognizes the various accomplishments and achievements of our RCOs for the past academic year.
PERFORMER INTEREST FORM NOW OPEN!

apply by:
week 10, friday,
march 15th, 11:59 pm

tinyurl.com/aa24performances
Organization Awards

- BEST NEW STUDENT ORGANIZATION
- OUTSTANDING STUDENT ORGANIZATION
- OUTSTANDING ENVIRONMENTAL AND SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM
- OUTSTANDING EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH
- OUTSTANDING MULTICULTURAL ORGANIZATION
- OUTSTANDING MEMBERSHIP RETENTION
- OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM OUTSTANDING
- OUTSTANDING GRAPHIC DESIGN
- OUTSTANDING ALUMNI ENGAGEMENT
- OUTSTANDING SERVICE INITIATIVE
Organization Awards

- Best Community Outreach
- Outstanding Performance & Entertainment Organization
- Outstanding Professional and Career Development
- Outstanding Mentorship Program
- Most Outstanding SFL Organization
- Outstanding Hobbies & Interests Organization
- Anteater's Choice Award
Individual Awards

- EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE YEAR
- MEMBER OF THE YEAR
- ADVISOR OF THE YEAR
- PRESIDENT OF THE YEAR
Nomination Deadline

SUNDAY, APRIL 14TH, 11:59 PM (WEEK 2)
How to Nominate Your RCO
GO TO TINYURL.COM/AA24NOMINATE
AND LOGIN WITH YOUR UCI NET ID
GO TO "NOMINATE" AND SELECT FROM THE TWO AWARD CATEGORIES: ORGANIZATION & SPECIALTY AWARDS
FILL OUT THE QUESTIONS FOR THE CATEGORY YOU ARE APPLYING TO, UPLOAD PHOTOS AS NEEDED AND HIT SUBMIT
Nomination Eligibility

- CAN ONLY BE SUBMITTED BY UC IRVINE STUDENTS

- THE NOMINATED ORGANIZATION MUST BE A REGISTERED CAMPUS ORGANIZATION (RCO)

- YOU CAN NOMINATE AN ORGANIZATION FOR MORE THAN ONE AWARD CATEGORY, HOWEVER, YOU CANNOT NOMINATE MULTIPLE ORGANIZATIONS UNDER THE SAME CATEGORY
**Other Notes**

- UCI students do not have to be affiliated with or be an active member of the organization you are nominating, although it is highly recommended.

**Judging Info**

- Nominations will be reviewed individually by each judge.
- Will be reviewed collectively as a group to determine the winner per category.
Judging Process
Sample Question:

EX: MOST OUTSTANDING STUDENT ORG

THE MOST OUTSTANDING STUDENT ORGANIZATION AWARD RECOGNIZES AN ORGANIZATION THAT HAS MADE A SIGNIFICANT IMPACT IN THE UC IRVINE COMMUNITY THROUGH AN UNWAVERING COMMITMENT TO FURTHER ITS MISSION AND ACHIEVE ITS GOALS. THIS ORGANIZATION HAS CONTRIBUTED TO THE BETTERMENT OF THE CAMPUS COMMUNITY THROUGH REMARKABLE ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS AND PROVIDES ITS MEMBERS WITH A MEMORABLE CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT EXPERIENCE.

WORD COUNT: 400
Sample Question:

1. **Describe your organization’s mission and goals. Give an example of when your organization demonstrated commitment to its mission and goals.**

2. **How does your organization continuously impact the campus community?**

3. **How does your organization support its members in their professional and/or personal development?**

4. **Describe a successful program/project/event your organization has accomplished this year, its attendance, and impact.**

5. **What was a challenge that your organization faced this year, and how did you overcome it as an organization?**
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Tips on Writing a Strong Submission
What to Incorporate
USE QUANTITATIVE DATA!

Tips

- How many members do you have?
- How many events did you host this year?
- How many attendees?
- How much was donated (items, money, etc.)?
USE QUALITATIVE DATA!

- Describe intention and impact in detail
- How does your RCO impact your community/communities you serve?
- Describe the community building/relationships/bonds created in your RCO
Proofread your application

When citing specific names, indicate their position or significance to the club

Highlight your club’s accomplishments and why it deserves this award

Don't just copy and paste for multiple awards!
Thank You!

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