

## THE OUTSTANDING YOUNG MEN

The JCI Philippines as an organization has the following goal and mission; To provide development opportunities that empower young people to create positive change. This mission finds basis

That faith in God gives meaning and purpose to human life;  
That the brotherhood of man transcends the sovereignty of nations;  
That economic justice can best be won by free men through free enterprise;  
That government should be of laws rather of men;  
That earth's great treasure lies in human personality; and  
That service to humanity is the best work of life.

The JCI Values, which is universal in its perception and exhortation, sees man not only in the light of what he is but what he can be. The earth's great treasure lies in the human personality and that service to humanity is the best work of life.

"It is in this context and spirit that the TOYM award was conceived. If it is idealistic, it is because man must have his idealism if he has to shape for himself a better future, a better world.

The Outstanding Young Men (TOYM) Awards is now in its 60th year. The Awards began as a project of JCI Manila, patterned after the TOYM of America Awards, and later adopted by the JCI Philippines as an annual project. It is now a yearly undertaking of the JCI Philippines and co-sponsored by the PLDT, Gerry Roxas Foundation, Inc. and the TOYM Foundation, Inc.

Over the years, the TOYM has become an institution, having developed a reputation for its selectiveness of outstanding young active citizens upon whom the award is conferred. TOYM seek to give national recognition to young men and women whose selfless dedication to their profession or vocation has resulted in significant contributions to the welfare of their countrymen and our country as large, as well as to the advancement of their respective fields of endeavour. The awardees who have become light of the nation totalling 503 by now, is literally a Philippine "Who's Who " in outstanding achievements in areas such as agricultural science, arts and humanities, banking business, law, business, community development, educational business, government service, political and social sciences, journalism and mass communication, sports, medicine, economics, science technology and engineering and other fields of endeavour.

## OBJECTIVES OF THE PROGRAM

1. To recognize the outstanding achievement of our nation's young active citizens which have resulted to positive changes in the nation;
2. To focus public attention and confer nation recognition to these contributions and positive changes;
3. To inspire others, especially the young active citizens with the recognition to these achievements and/or leadership of the TOYM awardees- leaders who have demonstrated vigour and enterprise in tackling the problems of society and offering sustainable solutions; and
4. To live the JCI Values and consider as a good measure of performance by the awardee.

While other awards give recognition purely to humanitarian work, the TOYM Awards is uniquely given for the outstanding leadership and excellence and contributions to humanity.

## QUESTIONS ABOUT THE NOMINEE

As part of the process, the nominator must supply the information about the nominee as indicated in the online nomination forms. Be as brief and factual as possible.

1. Outline the timeline of the nominee's career or field of activity
2. Provide additional details on the exceptional achievements of the nominee, and/or the challenges he/she has overcome to achieve them.
3. List important awards and honours the nominee received that illustrate his/her achievements. Include a brief description of each.
4. List any quotes from authorities that illustrate his/her achievements.
5. Explain how the nominee exemplifies the principle expressed in the following line of the JCI Creed, "That service to humanity is the best work of life".
6. In your own words, why do you believe that the nominee should be selected as one of the JCI The Outstanding Young Men of the Philippines?
7. Describe how the nominee and his published works or accomplishments contribute to Filipino's welfare and the Philippines at large.

## AWARDS MECHANICS AND CRITERIA

1. The nominee is evaluated by his/her exceptional leadership and excellence in the course of his contribution to humanity in general. In the essence, proof of nominee's outstanding leadership and excellence in his field of endeavour as well as his paralleled contributions to society constitute the basis for the TOYM Award.
2. Nominee must have complied with all the rules governing nomination such as age, citizenship, etc. contained at the back of the page of the official nomination form.
3. Nominee must have disclosed material facts and information whether favourable and or unfavourable to give an objective and complete profile of the nominee for the Search, Screening and Judging Committee.
4. Nominee must be engaged in his/ her field of endeavour for the substantial part of his/her life with documented proof subject to verification by the TOYM Search Committee.
5. Nominee must be engaged in contributing to the cause of humanity for a substantial part of his/her life with documented proof subject to verification by the TOYM Search Committee. Filipino citizens (including naturalized citizens between the ages of 18 to 40) are eligible for nomination. Nominees for 2019 must not have reached the age of 41 by December 31, 2019.
6. Nominees must not be former TOYM awardees. By Filipino, nominees must either be:
  - a) Those wherever born, in the Philippines or in a foreign country, of Filipino parents. In this case, the father or the mother may be a natural born or a naturalized citizen of the Philippines or;
  - b) Those, at the time his or her bid was received by the TOYM Committee, is a naturalized citizen of the Philippines and those who have elected Philippines citizenship; or
  - c) Those, despite having renounced his citizenship at the time his or her bid was received by the TOYM Committee has one or both parents who is/are citizen(s) of the Philippines; or,
  - d) Those, despite living outside the Philippines as resident aliens or immigrants of another country, has one or both parents who is/are citizen(s) of the Philippines.
7. These annual awards are given to recognize the young men and women who have proven themselves worthy of honour and emulation based on the criteria:
  - a) Service to the community and/or to the nation (40 points)
  - b) Professional excellence and integrity in their respective field of endeavour (40 points)
  - c) Leadership, including moral rectitude, innovativeness and pioneering spirits (20 points)

## NOMINATION PROCESS AND REQUIREMENTS

1. Nominator for TOYM shall be open to an individual for all fields. Any person or organization can nominate one or more individual subjects to the requirements stated below.
2. All nominations shall be made online and all the information submitted shall be subject to all the stipulations indicated in the terms and conditions page. All information therein shall be submitted in English, Filipino, "Tagalog" or "Taglish"
3. The nomination is now 100% online, here are the quick and easy steps to nominate!
  - Step 1 (OPTIONAL): Download the offline form for an advance copy of the requirements and information needed for your nomination.
  - Step 2: Once you have the Nominee's information, you may now Nominate Online! Nominations are subject to verification by the TOYM Search Committee.
  - Step 3: Once verified, you will receive an email with further details on how you can move forward with your nomination.
  - Step 4: Access and build after the verification process, you may access your TOYM Account and build your Nominee's Portfolio.

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4. The nominator shall comply with the questions and upload all the requirements indicated in the online form to complete their nominations.
5. Here are the list of requirements for upload to complete each TOYM Nomination:
  - a) Scanned copy of a certified true copy of the nominee's birth certificate or any equivalent proof of date and place of birth.
  - b) A good quality, 4" x 6" (10 cm x 15 cm), head-and-shoulders photograph of the nominee (This file must be in JPG Format and cannot be greater than 3MB of size.)
  - c) Scanned copy of the original or certified true copy of the nominee's NBI Clearance.
6. The website will automatically close down the editing function of all bids, once the official deadline has been triggered by the 2019 TOYM Search Committee.
7. The TOYM Search Committee of the JCI Philippines shall be the operating body of the project and reserved the right to pass judgement on any issue that may arise in connection with the above rules. The Committee will review the entries to ensure that all requirements are complied with.
8. The Screening Committee composed of past TOYM awardees, shall conduct a preliminary selection of the nominees as finalist for consideration of the Board of Judges.
9. The Board of Judges composed of respected individuals shall select the winners. Their decision will be final and non-appealable. They may opt to call the finalist for an interview as they deem fit.
10. All data, information submitted in connection with the TOYM awards shall be treated with strict confidentiality.

#### FOR THE NOMINEE

1. Barring extreme circumstances, the nominee shall be present in the Awards Presentation if chosen as one of the awardees, and shall grant interviews when requested, to help further promote the ideals of the awards. Furthermore, the 2019 TOYM Search Committee shall have the authority to conduct an independent audit to the accuracy of the information stated on the submitted information in the 2019 TOYM website.
2. All derogatory information regarding the nominee's personal or any such circumstances that would reflect on his/her character such as, but not limited to, conviction for crimes involving moral turpitude or pendency of cases or complaints involving moral traits that would reflect adversely on his/her character shall be disclosed in the submitted information in the 2019 TOYM website.
3. If the nominee did not disclose anything pertaining to the previous item, the screening and judging panels are entitled to presume that there is no such information; should any such information come to light independently of the online disclosures, the nominee shall be directed to relinquish the TOYM award voluntarily.  
Any publications, intellectual creation, or other works attributed to the nominee that has become a relevant consideration for the TOYM award are considered original creations as declared in the online bid, if any of the stated works are done through a group, due credit should be given. Submission of such information means that the nominee certifies that there are no adverse claims regarding intellectual dishonesty against him/her, whether judicially or administratively. In the event that information to the contrary should be discovered regarding any work or other intellectual creations submitted as an attribute to the nominee, he/she hereby shall relinquish his/her TOYM award voluntarily. Should the same have been awarded already, the nominee is expected or to voluntarily withdraw his/her nomination or consent to such withdrawal by the Organization if the same has not yet been awarded.
4. Upon submission of the bid, the nominee shall agree to all the stipulations indicated in the agreement form page and shall comply with all the requirements in such agreement.

#### TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ATTACHMENTS

1. Complete Uploaded Data via the Online Nomination and Bid Form,
2. All the scanned original attachments (documentary and supportive evidences) as required and necessary for the nominee,
3. Any individual, public or private entity or organization may nominate a candidate in any of the following fields:

**Agricultural Sciences**

Agribusiness Management  
 Agricultural Extension  
 Agricultural - Land Reform  
 Agricultural - Pest Control  
 Animal Science  
 Entomology  
 Farm Management  
 Fisheries and Aquaculture  
 Food Science and Technology  
 Natural Resource Development  
 Organic Farming  
 Plant Breeding and Genetics  
 Plantation Management  
 Poultry Nutrition  
 Soil Science  
 Others (specify)

**Arts and Humanities**

Art History  
 Fashion design  
 Fine Arts  
 Literature  
 Movie Industry  
 Music  
 (Classic Music)  
 Contemporary Music)  
 (Concert)  
 Painting  
 Photography  
 Sculpture  
 Theatre Arts  
 Others (specify)

**Banking Business**

Merchant Banking  
 Development Banking  
 Domestic Banking  
 International Banking Investment  
 Investment Banking  
 Merchant Banking  
 Others (specify)

**Law**

Human Rights Law  
 Environmental Law  
 Legal Aid Law  
 Public Office  
 Others (specify)

**Business**

Business Administration  
 Business Entrepreneurship in Pioneer Industries  
 Business Leadership Commerce and Industry  
 Entrepreneurship Small and Medium  
 Industrial Development  
 International Business (Export)  
 Microfinance (Business)  
 Social Entrepreneurship  
 Others (specify)

**Community Development**

Community Service  
 Countryside Development  
 Cultural Communities Literature  
 Human Resource Development  
 Human Settlement  
 Humanitarian Service  
 Leadership in Social and Cultural Development  
 Regional Development  
 Rural Development  
 Youth Leadership Development  
 Others (specify)

**Educational Business**

Education  
 Education Innovation  
 Education Leadership  
 Educational System Management  
 Social Education  
 Transformative Education  
 Others (specify)  
 Government Service  
 Countryside Services  
 Military Services  
 Public Services  
 Public Administration  
 Others (specify)

**Political and Social Sciences**

Activism  
 Anthropology  
 Cultural Anthropology  
 History  
 International Amity  
 Political Leadership  
 Sociology  
 Others (specify)

**Journalism and Mass Communication**

Broadcast Journalism  
 Broadcast Management  
 Information System  
 International Journalism  
 Journalism and Literature  
 Mass Media  
 National Communication  
 Public Service in Broadcast Media  
 Social Media  
 Others (specify)

**Sports**

Athletes  
 Human Kinetics  
 Sports Science  
 Sports Leadership

**Medicine**

Cardiac Surgery  
 Colon and Rectal Surgery  
 Medical Science  
 Pediatric Surgery  
 Public Health  
 Rural Medicine  
 Veterinary Medicine  
 Others (specify)

**Economics**

Business Finance  
 International Finance  
 National Economic Development  
 Others (specify)

**Science, Technology and Engineering**

Agricultural Engineering  
 Architecture  
 Biochemistry  
 Climate Change  
 Engineering Science  
 Geological Science  
 Green Technology  
 Iron and Steel Engineering  
 Nuclear Energy  
 Structural Engineering  
 Surveying  
 Others (specify)

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