



One of the highest honors given by NATAS, the **Silver Circle** recognizes television professionals who have performed distinguished service within the television industry for 25 years or more, a significant part of which was done within the Michigan region. **Gold Circle** inductees have served the industry for 50 years or more. Silver and Gold Circle members are honored for more than their longevity -- they are honored for making an enduring contribution to the vitality of the television industry and for setting standards of achievement we can all hope to emulate. These honorees also give back to the community as mentors, educators and volunteers.

To be considered for induction in the 2019 Silver Circle, a candidate's career would need to begin prior to August 1, 1994. For 2019 Gold Circle consideration, a candidate's career would begin prior to August 1, 1969. An individual's entire career need not have been spent in the Michigan Chapter; but they must have made significant contributions within the award region.

The Silver/Gold Circle committee will consider the following criteria for all nominated individuals.

- Service to the television or media-related industries
List all the jobs, years and titles that are relevant.
- Service to the National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences
Has the nominee served as an Emmy judge, as a regional chapter committee member, or regional chapter governor. Has the nominee received an Emmy nomination or Emmy award?
- Service to the community involving television or allied media
How has the nominee's professional career affected the community? How has their personal involvement through volunteerism affected the community?
- Service to people working in or training for careers in television or allied media
How has the candidate's professional excellence and dedication, with regard to mentoring and education, ensured the future of the broadcast or allied media industries. Has the nominee served as an instructor at a school/college/university?

Deadline date: **Friday, December 3, 2018.**

Complete the attached application form and send it along with references, converted as PDF files, via email to: michigannatas@gmail.com



SILVER /GOLD CIRCLE NOMINATION FORM

(Please type or print all information)

Nominee Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Work History (indicate station/company & job title)

#1 _____

Dates Employed: _____

#2 _____

Date Employed: _____

#3 _____

Date Employed: _____

#4 _____

Date Employed: _____

How should the nominee's name appear on plaque?

(If selected this is how the person's name will be inscribed on the plaque. The title will be used for publicity and program book.)

Name: _____

Title: _____

Is this for Silver Circle _____ or Gold Circle _____



Sponsor Information

Sponsor Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

SPONSOR'S RECOMMENDATION

Please state, in your own words, the reason this person should be inducted into the Silver or Gold Circle. Cite specific examples and dates.

Supporting materials should include, but are not limited to:

- Letters of recommendation from colleagues, community leaders, or anyone who can speak to the degree and significance of the nominee's impact on television and their community.
- Listing of awards/recognition received by nominee throughout his/her career.
- Newspaper, magazine, trade publication articles featuring the nominee and his/her accomplishments.
- Photograph – Headshot in TIF or JPEG format; black & white or color, at least 3" wide, 300dpi.
- A 175 word bio. This bio will be used verbatim, should candidate be selected for all materials associated with the invitation and program booklet produced for the event.

ALL OF THESE MATERIALS need to be submitted for the nominee to be eligible.

The recommendation essay and supporting materials must be attached as a separate document.