

Westminster Choir College of Rider University
Alumni Association Awards

We invite all Westminster alumni to submit nominees for the Alumni Association Awards presented at the Reunion each May. Below is a list of the Awards with descriptions. If you have someone to nominate please complete the nomination form and email it to Natalie Pollard, Director of Alumni Relations at Rider University, pollardn@rider.edu by December 1.

- 1. Alumni Merit Award**
Presented to a graduate who has distinguished him/herself in the greater musical community, building upon the foundation established at Westminster. At least one award is presented each year, no more than three a year.
- 2. Alumni Service Award**
Presented to a graduate who has served Westminster in a distinctive and exemplary way.
- 3. Westminster Merit Award**
Presented to a non-graduate who has distinguished him/herself in the greater musical community. Not an annual award; presented when deemed appropriate.
- 4. Distinguished Merit Award**
Presented to a graduate or non-graduate who has already received the Alumni Merit Award or the Westminster Merit Award. Not an annual award; presented when deemed appropriate.
- 5. Westminster Service Award**
Presented to a non-graduate who has served Westminster in a distinctive and exemplary way. Not an annual award; presented when deemed appropriate.
- 6. Distinguished Service Award**
Presented to a graduate or non-graduate who has already received either the Alumni Service Award or the Westminster Service Award. Not an annual award; presented when deemed appropriate.
- 7. Talbott Award**
Presented to someone who has made a significant financial contribution to Westminster, given in consultation with the Development Office. Not an annual award; presented when deemed appropriate.
- 8. Williamson Medal**
Presented to someone who has exceeded the expectations of both the Merit and Service Awards; this person probably has received one or both of the fore mentioned awards. Not an annual award; *rarely* presented.

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Alumni Name _____ Class Year _____

Nominees Name _____ Class Year _____

Award Nominated For _____

Brief explanation why this person should receive this award _____