



32nd Annual State Conference

September 28th – 30th, 2018

Latina Trailblazer Award Nomination

Marriott Hotel Austin South
4415 South I-Hwy 35,
Austin, TX 78744

Hotel Reservation Information
Call: 1-800-228-9290

Individual Conference Tickets

Members - \$159
Future Members - \$200
Students (with ID) - \$75

Exhibitor Booth Reservation Deadline

August 15, 2018

Exhibit Hall Times:

Friday Sept. 28, 2018

8 a.m. – 11 a.m. Booth Set up
1 p.m. – 5 p.m. Ribbon Cutting

Sat. Sept. 29, 2018

8 a.m. – 5 p.m. Exhibitor Hall Open
5 p.m. – 6 p.m. Exhibitor take down

The ***HWNT Latina Trailblazer Award*** recognizes a woman who has achieved significant success despite the obstacles she has faced along the way. She is a woman who has accomplished a "first" and opened the doors of opportunity for other women. This individual leads by example, embodies a positive spirit, works tirelessly to help others, and goes above and beyond the call of duty. No matter what her accomplishments, however, she is a woman who has blazed a trail for others to follow.

At the annual State Conference on Friday, September 28, 2018, Luncheon, HWNT State Board of Directors will honor one woman, who has blazed a trail for others to follow. The award winner will be selected from nominations submitted by HWNT members. Nominees are distinguished statewide leaders who have achieved excellence in their profession, served the community in a meaningful way, and assisted women in reaching their full leadership potential.

**ALL NOMINATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY
FRIDAY, MARCH 31, 2018 BY 5:00 PM**

THE CRITERIA - Latina Trailblazer Award Recipients are individuals who:

- Have significant history of leadership initiatives, accomplishments, and contributions on a statewide/regional or national level to merit a Trailblazer award
- There must be some tie to Texas and trailblazing history used for nomination, primarily in the Hispanic community
- They DO NOT need to be a member of HWNT, but ideally IT WOULD BE A PLUS if she was.
- Accomplishments should be a reflection of HWNT's Mission, Vision, Values and Beliefs
- Should NOT have any negative or moral character issues that would be a bad reflection on HWNT
- Political or other orientations should NOT be considered as factors in the selection of a winner
- The nominee must grant permission to HWNT to recognize her if selected on HWNT's website for conference marketing; in addition she must be able to attend the Trailblazer Luncheon on Friday, September 28, 2018 in Austin, TX.



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Latina Trailblazer Nomination Form

Please complete the entire nomination form and return to

State-Chair@hwnt.org or mail to

HWNT State Chair, P.O. Box 327, Austin, TX 78767.

Incomplete nomination forms will not be considered.

NOMINEE

First Name: _____

Last Name _____

Company Name: _____

Title/Position: _____

Address 1 _____

Address 2 _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone No. Office: _____ Cell: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

NOMINATOR

First Name: _____

Last Name _____

Company Name: _____

Title/Position: _____

Address 1 _____

Address 2 _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone No. Office: _____ Cell: _____ Fax: _____



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1. PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP

Provide specific examples of how the nominee's "Trailblazing Spirit" has demonstrated excellence, creativity, and initiative in her profession. (If you need more space than this section allows, please include an additional document.)

2. COMMUNITY SERVICE

List local, state, national, and/or international level participation. Include length of service and/or offices held in civic service organizations such as charitable activities, political pursuits, religious groups, chambers of commerce, merchants' associations, etc. (If you need more space than this section allows, please include an additional document.)



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3. PERSONAL LEADERSHIP

Provide examples of how the nominee has assisted in the advancement of women in public, corporate, and civic life and reaching their full leadership potential, and/or demonstrated support for their professional advancement. (If you need more space than this section allows, please include an additional document.)

4. COMMUNITY SERVICE

Provide specific examples initiatives that the nominee focused on the Hispanic community



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5. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION PERTAINING TO CRITERIA:

Include any additional information you feel is important for consideration of your nominee. List awards, honors received publications or articles supporting service to their profession, industry, or community. (If you need more space than this section allows, please include an additional document.) You may include a bio or resume.

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- HWNT General State Board reviews all submitted applications at the April Quarterly Meeting
- HWNT General State Board selects 2018 Latina Trailblazer Award Winner
- HWNT State Chair notifies nominee of their selection as the 2017 Latina Trailblazer