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Learning Objective 1: Learn about the **requirements for submission** for Fellowship.

Learning Objective 2: Learn about the **schedule and anticipated effort** necessary for submission for Fellowship.

Learning Objective 3: Understand where **assistance** can be garnered for a successful submission for Fellowship.

Learning Objective 4: Understand what **graphic and written documentation** of ones work is necessary for a successful submission for Fellowship.
Agenda

1. Common Questions

2. Jury Perspectives

3. Review Submitted Questions
The Council of Fellows was founded by the ACHA in order to advance the unique qualities of the profession of healthcare architecture by demonstrating and celebrating nationally significant professional achievements of its certificants.
ACHA Fellowship is one of the highest personal honors bestowed upon a certificant of the ACHA who has shown distinction in fulfilling one specific Category of Nomination of their work, and has demonstrated individual impact in healthcare facility architecture.
11% of ACHA certificants are ACHA Fellows

2/3rds of 1% of U.S. healthcare architects are ACHA Fellows

6/100ths of 1% of all AIA architects are ACHA Fellows
Getting Started

www.healtharchitects.org/Pages/Fellows.aspx
Submission Questions

If you have questions, the first source of answers should be your Sponsor.

Questions unanswerable by your sponsor can be emailed to the ACHA Executive Director, who may address them directly, or defer to the Board Liaison or clarification.
Success looks like…

Some examples are on the website, **BUT** make sure you follow the current instructions!

The ACHA rewrote the requirements, which include many other elements.

Submitters are advised to review the submittal requirements within the **Nomination Package Outline**.
Selecting a Sponsor

Nominees need a sponsor, whose role is:

- Assist the nominee in developing a succinct theme
- Write the one-page summary with nominee
- Ensure theme and exhibits support the Category
- **Contact references** and ensure appropriate letters
- Write a one page letter on behalf of the nominee
- Submissions without a sponsor letter will be disqualified
- Sponsor **cannot** be a juror or the Awards Board Liaison
Categories of Elevation

Category One: To promote the aesthetic, scientific and practical efficiency of the healthcare architecture profession. Fellowship in this category is granted to ACHA certificants who have produced distinguished bodies of work for healthcare clients through design and/or planning. This may be accomplished through individual or organizational effort. Works submitted may be of any size, for any client, of any scope, and reflecting any type of healthcare architectural design service.
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Category Two: To advance the science and art of planning and building by advancing the standards of architectural education, research, training and practice. Fellowship in this category is granted to ACHA certificants who have made notable contributions through their work in healthcare education, healthcare research, healthcare literature, or the practice of healthcare architecture. Work in education may be teaching, research, administration, or writing and should have a lasting impact, be widely recognized, and demonstrate inspiration to others in the field and the profession. Research areas may include planning or design efficacy, building codes and standards, etc. Practice may include firm leadership, administration, and project management within healthcare architecture.
Categories of Elevation

Category Three: To coordinate the general building and healthcare industries with the profession of healthcare architecture. Fellowship in this category is granted to ACHA certificants who have actively, efficiently, and cooperatively led and presided over the ACHA or a related professional organization of equal or greater stature over a sustained period of time and have gained recognition for the results of their work in healthcare architecture.
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Category Four: To ensure the advancement of healthcare through improved healthcare environments. Fellowship in this category is granted to ACHA certificants who have made notable contributions in public healthcare service, or work in healthcare government, or healthcare industry organizations through leadership in the development of civic improvements and needed governmental projects, or who have clearly raised the standards of professional performance in these areas by advancing the administration of professional healthcare affairs in their fields.
Submission Due Date

Submissions are due no later than:

Thursday, June 1, 2017, 5:00 PM, CDT

Previously, submissions were due on July 1; not so any more.

We strongly urge submissions be uploaded well in advance.
Submission Confirmation

All submissions will be uploaded electronically.

Instructions for uploading will be sent after registration.
2017 Jury

Jennifer Aliber, AIA, FACHA
Jean Mah, FAIA, FACHA
Orlando Maione, FAIA, FACHA
Frank Pitts, FAIA, FACHA
Joan Saba, FAIA, FACHA (chair)
Jury Criteria

- The jury’s interpretation of distinction within the Category of Nomination
- The jury shall be free to interpret the qualities of excellence, influence, and presentation against the Category of Nomination claimed, but shall endeavor to maintain consistency of these qualities as applied through the history of this award program.
- The jury will not add any criteria to the evaluation process.
Jury Criteria

- The work of the jury is subjective and necessarily requires interpretation, while maintaining consistency with past judgements and outcomes.

- The jury will focus their attention on the submission alone, which shall demonstrate the individual impact through a balanced presentation of achievements, exhibits, and references.

- Successful nominees must receive at least 60% jury affirmation.
Once a jury reaches their decision, the Board of Regents must formally accept their recommendation.

Upon Board acceptance, the ACHA president will communicate to successful nominees by phone and letter, and to unsuccessful nominees by general letter only with the jury’s succinct comments.

Out of courtesy to the FACHA sponsor, such correspondence shall be also copied to the nominee’s sponsor.

All such communications will happen simultaneously.

The timing of such notifications will be before mid-September.
Deliberation Record & Feedback

- The Board liaison will compile, with jury assistance, a set of succinct discussion points.

- This feedback will be sent directly to those not elevated.

- This feedback will also be retained for subsequent juries to review and consider with subsequent submissions.

- In all cases, the jury shall be kept from such discussions, directly (by the nominee) or indirectly (by the sponsor or another interested party).

- **Nominees, sponsors, and other interested parties** are expressly instructed to **not approach the jury to discuss the deliberations of their submissions**.
Ownership of Submissions

Upon submission, all packages become the property of the American College of Healthcare Architects for use, as it deems appropriate.

As such, the contents of the submissions must be free from any copyright.
Appeals

• The only basis for appeal of a jury decision shall be on the basis of a clear ethical violation of the jury process.

• The Board liaison will testify to the Board of Regents, among other things, their observations of the process, and confirm that a fairly adjudicated process was followed.
Resubmission

- Unsuccessful nominees may submit another package in subsequent years.

- Beginning with the 2018 award cycle, if a nominee is denied advancement after **three consecutive award cycles**, that nominee **must wait two additional award cycles prior to resubmission**, and will be considered as a first-year submission.
Changing Categories

• Category selection is critical to the points made in the submittal.

• Nominees are urged to carefully consider with their sponsor the nominee's single most outstanding Category of Nomination and develop the package to support the claims made within that category.

• Categories of subsequent submissions may be different from prior submissions.

• Re-submitters are advised to recraft the submission including the sponsor letter and references to reflect the current Category of Nomination.
Questions?