

ALE OUTSTANDING PROGRAM AWARD INFORMATION

This award is designed to recognize outstanding leadership programs developed or implemented by ALE members.

We will be selecting two recipients for this award:

- One to a leadership major, minor, certificate program, and/or academic course. The primary purpose of the program is to provide academic credit.
- One to a leadership workshop/conference or other non-credential program, youth development program, adult leadership development program, community leadership program, and/or other leadership development program. The primary purpose of the program is to provide an out-of-classroom or co-curricular experience.

Eligibility (Nominees must meet the following eligibility criteria):

1. Program developer(s) must be ALE members in good standing at time of award application submission. Please verify this before you submit the application.
2. Applicants may not have already received this award in the last 5 years.
3. The program must have data that substantiates impact on individuals, organizations, institutions, and/or communities.

Information to include in Nomination Packet (10 pages maximum; double spaced):

1. Cover page: Contact information for Applicant(s) (name, address, email, phone); name of program (1 page)
2. Program overview description (2 pages maximum)
3. Audience/participants: who were the participants; why was this program important/helpful to them? (1 page maximum)
4. Impact of the program; what were the impacts on individuals, organizations, and/ or communities? (2 pages maximum)
5. Sustained program excellence: durability of the program over time (1 page maximum)
6. References and/or additional artifacts (pictures, participant handouts, etc.) (3 pages maximum)

Selection: The recipient(s) of this award will be selected by the ALE Awards and Recognition Committee.

Applications will be reviewed on the following:

- Program design (overview and audience)
- Program impacts
- Sustainability of program
- Overall application quality

Presentation: Award will consist of a recognition item (determined by the committee), and recognition at the Annual ALE Conference.

All applications due by 11:59 pm (PDT), Monday, April 2, 2020.

Submit application including all documents listed above as one PDF file through the [online Awards Application portal](#).

Questions about this award should be directed to:

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