



## 2020 Women of Distinction Award Nomination Form

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*The Girl Scouts of Northeastern New York is accepting nominations for its 2020 Women of Distinction awards. If you know a woman in Clinton, Essex, Franklin, or northern Hamilton Counties whose excellence and dedication make them an ideal role model for both girls and women alike, please nominate them! To nominate a deserving candidate, review the categories available for nomination and complete the attached application detailing the nominee's influence and achievements, as well as any relevant awards and accomplishments.*

### Nomination Categories:

#### Distinguished Trailblazer

This award honors a woman who has a proven track record of reaching ambitious or unconventional goals demonstrated by upward career mobility, steady growth and leadership skills. She is willing to take risks, inspires and motivates others. She has "broken glass ceilings," overcome and excelled under extreme challenges and demonstrated perseverance.

#### Distinguished Leader of Tomorrow (age 17-21)

This award will be presented to a young woman who has demonstrated outstanding leadership ability and has contributed to her school and community. She has spearheaded a project or program to improve quality of life. Preference is given to a young woman who is/was a **Girl Scout**.

#### Distinguished Personal Achievement

This award honors a woman who lives her life in such a way to serve others, both through her career and volunteer activities. She is a leader and an inspiration to others in all aspects of her life. She is willing to take risks and pursue activities that she believes in. It is by her example that others are motivated to take action.

#### Distinguished Community Leader

This award will be given to a woman who has demonstrated outstanding contributions over a period of time to her community. She is a role model, community leader, mentor, or has broken new ground. She is an agent for change who has made a measurable difference to those around her.

### **Nominations are due January 31, 2020.**

Mail to: GSNENY - Women of Distinction  
13 Latour Ave, Suite 110  
Plattsburgh, NY 12901

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Questions? Call 518.563.1560 x 307

**Applications are also available online at**  
<http://girlscoutsneny.org/wod>.



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### Award Category:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Distinguished Trailblazer                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Distinguished Personal Achievement |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Distinguished Leader of Tomorrow (age 17-21) | <input type="checkbox"/> Distinguished Community Leader     |

### Nominee:

Nominee's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's Business or Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Nomination:** *The information provided in your responses will guide the Nominating Committee's consideration of this nominee. Please be as thorough as possible in your email or letter. Some space has been provided but feel free to use additional space as necessary.*

How do you know this woman and how has she impacted you?

How has this woman been involved with her community? In what areas or with what groups?

What aspect(s) of this woman's career or volunteer work has impacted others?

How do you believe this woman has been a positive role model for young women?

How has this woman shown leadership abilities?

Has this woman been honored in the past, or received awards or accolades for her career/service?

If you could describe this woman in one sentence, what would you say?

Is there anything else we should know about her?

*Multiple nominations for the same woman are encouraged so the committee can gain a wider perspective on the nominee.*

**Nominator:**

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Your Email: \_\_\_\_\_

*Once we have received the completed forms, a representative from the Women of Distinction Nominating Committee may contact the nominee to discuss their nomination, as well as gather any supporting information required to assist in the review process.*

Thank you for your nomination! Girl Scouts of Northeastern New York looks forward to honoring women who give of themselves to their communities, their families, and to the people around them in order to make the world a better place.