



Nominees sought for award recognizing social justice leader

As part of PIL Foundation MLK Jr. Basketball Invitational, we would like to recognize individuals (student or adult), clubs and/or organizations that have demonstrated leadership while promoting social justice in the community.

This award recognizes an individual or organization in the Portland area who serves as an example to others through a commitment to racial equity and social justice beyond the scope of one's professional responsibilities. The nominee demonstrates and engages others through action and ideals of racial equity, and social justice.



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All nominations must be received by January 5, 2020. Please send your nominations to the PIL Foundation at pilfoundation501@gmail.com

Please send a copy of the nominee's resume along with at least one letter of recommendation outlining why the nominee deserves to be honored with the PIL Foundation *Commitment to Social Justice Award* as described in the award description above. Additional letters of support are encouraged but not required.

The letter of recommendation should provide specific and concrete examples, and please include the following information:

- Nominee's name, title, address, school/organization, and phone number
- Nominator's name, title, address, school/organization, and phone number

Below are questions to consider in your nomination letter to provide more context and further support your nominee's likelihood to be recognized.

- Give an example of programs or initiatives that this individual/organization was a part of that helped promote racial equity and social justice.
- Share examples of collaboration with another individual, department, and/or organization to further inclusivity, racial equity, and social justice.
- In what ways has this individual or organization gone above and beyond the scope of their position to show a commitment to build, sustain, and celebrate an inclusive school and/or community?
- Why should this individual or organization be selected to receive the PIL Foundation Commitment to Social Justice Award over other candidates?

The recipient of the PIL Foundation Commitment to Social Justice Award will be recognized on January 20, 2020 at the PIL Foundation MLK Jr. Invitational at the University of Portland Chiles Center.