



USA Gymnastics Lifetime Achievement Award Nomination

2026 NOMINATION FORM

The Lifetime Achievement Award recognizes individuals as pioneers or contributors to the advancement of the sport in their role(s) as an athlete, coach, club owner, judge, or administrator. The person(s) submitting the name of the nominee for consideration should review criteria below and submit support documentation with nomination form by the submission deadline.

All nominations must be submitted by May 28, 2025. Nominations received after that date will not be considered for the 2026 Hall of Fame class. All nomination forms and support documentation must be submitted via email to HOF@usagym.org.

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NOMINATIONS FOR LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT

Nominees should possess one or more of the following criteria to be a strong candidate for Lifetime Achievement.

- Served a minimum of twenty (20) years in the sport AND whose participation:
 - created or assisted in the development of improved safety standards and enhanced performance at all levels of the sport;
 - assisted in creating a more diverse and inclusive gymnastics community;
 - produced or contributed to research to advance the sport;
 - provided leadership and volunteer service to national committees;
 - served as a judge with a National or Brevet rating and frequently judged at the national and international level;
 - developed gymnastics education as an author, clinician or educator on a national level;
 - or served as a mentor to the gymnastics community.

To be included with the nomination:

- Detailed list of services that indicate years of service and positions held on national, regional and state level committees and/or any other volunteer positions.
- Detailed list of examples of publications, articles, clinics conducted and/or presentations/lectures.
- Detailed list of judging services that include national and international assignments.
- Nomination(s) must include a written explanation as to why the nominator(s) believes the individual to be a candidate for the Hall of Fame.
- A minimum of five (5) letters of additional community support, submitted by a diverse set of authors, such as professional peers, athletes, parents, and/or club administrators. Support letter should include a detailed recommendation that not only includes professional accomplishments, but also demonstrates how the individual contributed to provide a safe, healthy and supportive athlete environment.
- If applicable, achievements as a gymnast or coach.
- And any additional information that may support the nomination.

