

Summary of WL Recognition Awards – October 2020

Topic	Lifetime Award	International Honorary Officiating Award
Criteria	<p>The nominee:</p> <p>Is an inspirational role model who has made an extremely significant impact world-wide in lacrosse over an extensive number of years, showing a lifetime dedication to the sport.</p> <p>The nominee should have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • had an extremely significant impact on the sport of lacrosse on a global level, which has delivered demonstrable, long term-benefit to its participants. • volunteered their services over an extended period of quality time. • provided insight into the development of the game which has reached international borders. • ensured their contribution has delivered sustainability to the sport. • at all times acted ethically, inclusively, and professionally as an ambassador of the sport, in all levels of its operations. <p>The nominee must have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • provided a legacy in lacrosse, to the sport as a whole, in the international community. • displayed significant achievement at the highest level, which has had a positive global impact on the sport. • excelled at the highest level through their voluntary contribution to lacrosse. • demonstrated extensive duration of services rendered. • participated in an integral leadership role with World Lacrosse in either a Board or Committee capacity. • driven positive global transformation within the sport. 	<p>The nominee:</p> <p>Is an inspirational role model who has made a significant impact world-wide to the growth and development of lacrosse officiating, whilst demonstrating the highest standard as an official and a lifelong commitment to the sport.</p> <p>The nominee should have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • had a significant impact on the sport of lacrosse on a global level, which has delivered demonstrable, long term-benefit to its officials. • volunteered their services over a considerable period of time. • provided insight into the development of officiating which has reached international borders. • ensured their contribution has delivered sustainability to the sport. • at all times acted ethically, inclusively, and professionally as an ambassador of the sport, in all levels of its operations. <p>The nominee must have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • provided a legacy in lacrosse officiating in the international community. • displayed significant achievement at the highest level, which has had a positive global impact on the sport. • effected change for the betterment of the sport in lengthy, high-quality service. • displayed excellent teamwork skills, engaging with people from all ages and backgrounds throughout their international involvement. • had a profound influence and an inclusive impact as an ambassador of the sport. • have fulfilled the expectations of the World Lacrosse Code of Conducts during world championships.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • had a profound and trusted influence as an ambassador of the sport, which has benefitted, and had an inclusive impact on Members. 	<p>The nominee may also have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • been part of a World Lacrosse or Continental Federation working group to further globally develop officials outside of international competition. • been an accredited official at multiple international competitions e.g., Continental Championships, and/or at least two World Championships. • served in an off-field capacity as an Officials' Coach (assessor, mentor, technical delegate), clinician, administrator, Officials Leadership Team, at a minimum of four events i.e., World or Continental Federation Championship. • served as an official's coach at a minimum of three (3) developmental international clinics. • attended a minimum of two (2) WL General Assemblies in a representative (Officiating) capacity.
Gift	<p>Engraved Memento</p> <p>Lifetime Award Certificate - signed and dated</p>	<p>Engraved Memento</p> <p>International Honorary Officiating Award Certificate - signed and dated</p>
Benefits	<p>To be invited to attend WL GAs at own expense (but not entitled to vote) & to be recognized if in attendance.</p> <p>To be invited to attend WL World Events at own expense.</p> <p>To be provided complimentary admission to WL World Events.</p> <p>To be included in WL activities at WL Events at prerogative of WL Board at no expense including final dinner when offered.</p> <p>Included in WL e-mailing list (for special announcements).</p>	<p>Event entitlements on day of presentation to include:</p> <p>Entry into event.</p> <p>Program.</p> <p>Day VIP WL hospitality.</p>
Promotions	<p>Named on WL website with profile.</p> <p>Recognized appropriately at World Event</p>	<p>Named on WL website with profile.</p> <p>Recognized appropriately at World Event</p>
Award Cost	\$USD - TBD	\$USD – TBD
Frequency	As per nominations	As per nominations

Topic	Service Award	Development Award
Criteria	<p>The nominee:</p> <p>Is a committed and loyal role model who has made a significant contribution to lacrosse world-wide over a minimum of fifteen (15) years.</p> <p>The nominee should have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • had a significant impact on the sport of lacrosse on a global level, which has delivered demonstrable, long term-benefit to its participants. • volunteered their services over a minimum period of fifteen (15) years quality time. • provided insight into the development of the game, often in a specific area, which has reached international borders. • ensured their contribution has delivered sustainability to the sport. • at all times acted ethically, inclusively, and professionally as an ambassador of the sport, in all levels of its operations. <p>The nominee must have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • provided a service in lacrosse, to the sport, in the international community. • demonstrated lengthy and sustained high-quality service to the sport. • displayed excellent teamwork skills, engaging with people from all ages and backgrounds throughout their international involvement. • effected change for the betterment of the sport. • actively participated in an integral leadership role with World Lacrosse in either a Board or Committee capacity. • contributed to sports excellence in their field of endeavour, which has benefited the sport internationally. 	<p>The nominee:</p> <p>Is a committed role model who has aligned with the aspirations of World Lacrosse, and its stakeholders, to help drive the direction and development of the sport to grow the game at all levels.</p> <p>The nominee should have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • had a significant impact on the sport of lacrosse at a domestic, regional, or global level, which has delivered demonstrable, long-term benefit to its participants. • volunteered their services over a committed period of quality time. • provided insight into the development of the game which has either reached, or had the potential to reach, beyond domestic and regional borders. • ensured their contribution has delivered sustainability to the sport. • at all times acted ethically, inclusively, and professionally as an ambassador of the sport, in all levels of its operations. <p>The nominee must have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • displayed commendable achievements in helping to develop the game in a country, region or internationally. • provided a specific valued contribution to development in the areas of member, youth, coaching, officiating, administration. • identified areas of improvement to grow the game. • demonstrated innovation to grow and develop the sport. • provided the opportunity for more people to play, spectate, volunteer, or work in lacrosse. • shown collaborative teamwork skills, engaging inclusively with people from all ages and backgrounds. • stretched their own, and others' capabilities, to give shape and direction to the strategic development of the sport.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> had a profound role as an ambassador for World Lacrosse and a role model, inspiring new and existing volunteers through their work. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> inspired enthusiasm and commitment to driving development initiatives which bridge the present and the future.
Gift	Plaque detailing Service Award Certificate - signed and dated	Engraved Plaque Development Award Certificate - signed and dated
Benefits	Event entitlements on day of presentation to include: Entry into event Program Day VIP WL hospitality	Event entitlements on day of presentation to include: Entry into event Program Day VIP WL hospitality
Promotions	Named on WL website with profile. Recognized appropriately at World Event	Named on WL website with profile. Recognized appropriately at World Event
Award Cost	\$USD - TBD	\$USD – TBD
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Nomination Timelines	<p>Nominations close 31 January</p> <p>1 September: WL publish criteria and timelines for the current year.</p> <p>1 December: Notification: Award criteria sent to NGB's and CF's asking them to send list of Nominees by 2359 hours (EST) 31 January to WL.</p> <p>1 January: Reminder: Award criteria sent to NGB's and CF's asking them to send list of Country Nominees by 2359 hours (EST) 31 January to World Lacrosse Executive Administrative Assistant (EAA).</p> <p>31 January: Deadline: NGB & CF Award nominees sent to World Lacrosse Executive Administrative Assistant (EAA).</p> <p>February: World Lacrosse Awards Panels meet to discuss all nominees.</p> <p>28 February: WLAP forward successful nominees to the Board Advisory Committee for review and make recommendation to the Board.</p> <p>March Board Meeting: WL Board confirms/ratifies successful nominees.</p> <p>15 March onwards: Deadline: World Lacrosse may announce Award recipient.</p>
WL Bylaws August 2019	4.0: Awards 4.1 Recognition of individuals, at different levels, will be considered by and presented to the Board or the GA, by the Awards Standing Sub Committee.
WL Policies July 2018	12.0: Awards 12.1 Awards will be made at the discretion of the Board and/or GA.

Nomination Forms	Individualized e-google form.
Selection Panel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nominations will be judged against the criteria. • The Awards Panel shall review the accomplishments of each nominee, and their charge is to ensure the most deserving nominee/s receive the honor of the relevant Award. <p>The Awards Panel shall comprise a minimum of three persons, one being a Board Director.</p>
Selection Process	<p>Nominations will be judged against the criteria.</p> <p>The names and biographies of those selected shall be forwarded to the WL Board Advisory Committee for ratification.</p>
Board Process	The names and biographies of successful nominees shall be forwarded to the WL Board for confirmation / ratification.
Announcement	World Lacrosse shall provide media releases as appropriate to its membership and the wider lacrosse community through various social media platforms.
Presentations	Recipients will be presented during an appropriate ceremony, or a recognized event, to be determined by World Lacrosse.