



Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation Awards- 2026 Nomination Form

INFORMATION ABOUT THE NOMINEE

Name:

Graduate Program:

Field of Award* (choose ONE):

Mathematics, Physical Sciences and Engineering

Social Sciences

- * Please note that the fields will rotate each year. In 2026 the eligible fields will be: 1) Mathematics, Physical Sciences and Engineering, and 2) Social Sciences

Dissertation Title:

Current Position:

Current Affiliation/Employer:

Email Address:

CERTIFICATION

By signing below, the Collegiate Associate Dean for Graduate Studies or Dean certifies that the thesis was approved in partial fulfillment of requirements for the doctoral degree and that the student completed the doctoral degree within the past two academic years and/or summer sessions (period of July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2026, inclusive).

Graduate Program Director:

Email Address:

Signature:

Date:

College Dean/Associate Dean:

Email Address:

Signature:

Date:

Nomination Package Checklist (please don't include in packet):

The first page of this nomination form, completed and signed by the dean/associate dean of graduate studies of the college.

An extended abstract of the nominee's dissertation (not to exceed 5 double-spaced pages). Appendices containing other material, such as charts, tables, and/or references may be included as additional pages (not to exceed 5 pages).

Three letters of recommendation evaluating the significance and quality of the nominee's dissertation work. One of these letters is to be from the nominee's dissertation supervisor, another from a member of the nominee's dissertation committee, and the third from a person of the nominee's choice.

The nominee's curriculum vitae (not to exceed five pages).

Important:

- Each graduate program is eligible to nominate one individual for the award in a given year.
- The nomination package must be sent as a **single pdf document** to gradschool@uh.edu by **June 12, 2026**.
- Use File Name: Dissertation_Field_LastName_FirstInitial.pdf