

# **John W. Price Award**

for Volunteer Service to International Understanding

## **Eligibility**

The nominee should:

- be a student at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- show a commitment to international understanding
- be active in organizing and delivering international programs and services

## **History of the Award**

John Price, a career YMCA professional, served as the International Programs Director of the University YMCA from 1950 to 1968. Under his leadership, hundreds of students, staff, faculty, and community members gained a special appreciation for the international richness of Champaign-Urbana and the special gifts that people of many cultures bring to the University of Illinois campus. Through his example and programs, students now spread around the globe a special commitment to international peace and understanding. John gave active leadership to the Cosmopolitan Club and International Student and Scholar Services (formerly the Office of International Student Affairs) where he served as a staff member following his tenure at the University Y.

## **Past Recipient**

1989 – Lawrence Brown  
1990 – Jackie Buckley  
1991 – Lorraine Harricombe  
1992 – Sufen Lai  
1993 – Consoiata Kabonesa  
1994 – Leslie Hammersmith  
1995 – Jocelyn Chong  
1996 – Eugene Yeo  
1997 – Ashish Deb Roy  
1998 – Delphine Mei  
1999 – Rebecca Mladic

2000 – Saravan Rjendran  
2001 – Ivan Fietl  
2002 – Ruxandra Costescu  
2003 – Michael Bullerman  
Carlos Suarez  
2004 – Andres Fernandez  
2005 – Batamaka Some  
2006 – Felix Autenrie  
2007 – Young Jae Lee  
2008 – Ellen Schenk  
2009 – Iva Yankova

## **Selection Process**

The recipient will be chosen from nominations made by anyone other than the nominee on the form attached. The selection will be made by the Volunteer Recognition Committee of the University YMCA and submitted to the Board of Governors of the University YMCA for approval.

## **Award**

There is a cash award in the amount of \$500 and a plaque recognizing the recipient. The John W. Price Award will be presented at the annual International Dinner at the University YMCA on Sunday, March 7, 2010.

## **Deadline**

Applications must be completed and returned by February 12, 2010, to the attention of: Kasey Umland, Program Director, University YMCA, 1001 S. Wright Street, Champaign, IL 61820.

# **Nomination Form**

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The John W. Price Award is to recognize a student at the University of Illinois who has shown outstanding leadership in promoting international awareness and understanding in the Champaign-Urbana community.

The nominee should:

- be a student at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
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Name of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Please briefly answer the following questions and attach responses to this nomination form.

- Describe the nominee's role as a volunteer in the local community and the impact he/she has had on the quality of life in Champaign-Urbana through said service. If known, please include offices held, dates of service, and types of volunteer services.
- Describe the impact the nominee has had on the lives of others.
- List the names, addresses and telephone number of two (2) additional individuals who would be willing to support and discuss this nomination.
- Please provide any additional comments relevant to this nomination.

Name of Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Please e-mail or return completed nominations by 5:00 p.m. on **Friday, February 12, 2010** to:

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Champaign, IL 61820  
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