



# INDUSTRY AWARD NOMINATION CONVENTION OR SPORT AMBASSADOR OF THE YEAR

Sport Ambassador Presented by Ontario University Athletics (OUA)
Convention Ambassador Presented by HECFI

This award recognizes a local Hamiltonian or group that has played a significant and active role in securing and/or co-coordinating a convention or sporting event or meeting. Ultimately, their involvement has had a significant impact on tourism, increased visitation and economic impact to the City of Hamilton between January 1,2011 and December 31, 2011.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION PACKAGES IS TUESDAY, JANUARY 31, 2012, 4pm.

## **GUIDELINES**

- The three questions must be completely answered.
- Each answer not to exceed 250 words.
- Be thorough and factual and reflect the achievements of the nominee and draw out their outstanding achievements.
- Using information, statistics and examples from current nomination year (January 1, 2011 December 31, 2011).
- Include letters of support, emails, online testimonials (eg. Tweets, blog, message board, reviews etc) from 2011.

## **Q**UESTIONS

To be consistent by the judging committee, each answer not to exceed 250 words:

- 1. Identify the nominee's role in promoting or supporting Hamilton's Tourism Industry and how they demonstrate dedication, partnership and professionalism to their work.
- 2. Describe how this nominee demonstrated excellent customer service and a genuine concern for the visitor throughout 2011.
- 3. Describe a specific incident where, this nominee demonstrated initiative, creativity and exceeded expectations.

## Nomination Package Requirements

To be consistent for the judging panel, all nomination packages must be received in the following format:

- 1. Include Nomination Form
- 2. Complete answers to above questions
- 3. Include letters of support and/or testimonials from 2011
- $4.8 \frac{1}{2}$  x 11 white paper only, single sided, in a properly secured folder or binder
- 5. Tape, staple or photograph newspaper clippings, brochures, promotional material, etc to 8 ½ x 11 white paper
- 6. Packages will not be returned. Please do not include personal items
- 7. Late and/or incomplete submissions will not be accepted



For more information, please contact Tourism Hamilton at 905 546-2424 x5771 or tourism@hamilton.ca.







## **NOMINATION FORM**

NOMINATION CATEGORY:  Business Marketing Industry Award of Excellence  AWARD NAME:  (Please indicate the specific award which you are nominating the person or organization – kindly submit only one nomination per form.)  NOMINEE INFORMATION:			
		Nominee Name/Organization:	
		Address:	
		CITY:	POSTAL CODE:
TELEPHONE NUMBER:	FAX NUMBER:		
E-MAIL:			
YOUR INFORMATION: NOMINATED BY:			
Address:			
CITY:	POSTAL CODE:		
TELEPHONE NUMBER:	FAX NUMBER:		
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Please forward your completed nomination form(s) by Friday, December 16, 2011, 4pm, via fax, e-mail or mail to:

#### **Tourism Hamilton**

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