



## **College of Fellows 2020 Call for Nominations**

Nominations are sought for the 2020 Class of the Association for Preservation Technology College of Fellows. The College of Fellows was established in 1992 with the induction of the Founders of the Association as the inaugural class. There are currently 76 members in the College of Fellows. The Board of Directors and the College are planning to induct the next Class of Fellows at the APT conference in Edmonton, in October of 2020.

The purpose of the College is to advise the board on issues regarding the advancement of philosophy and practice of preservation technology, and to honor those members who have provided valuable services to the Association. Election to the APT College of Fellows is the highest honor bestowed by APT upon members of the organization and recognizes those who have made significant contributions to the field of preservation technology and to APT.

A jury comprised of three College of Fellow members, one member of the APT Board and one APT member-at-large, appointed by the President and Board, will evaluate all nominations and elect new Fellows. It is expected that the Fellows-elect will attend the Miami conference, where they will be inducted into the College of Fellows.

The College has established the following requirements for membership. The candidate must:

- At the time of nomination and induction be a member in good standing of APT and have been a member in good standing for at least five years;
- Have contributed in a significant way to the advancement of the field of preservation technology;
- Have contributed in a significant way to the success of a chapter, APT, conferences, training and education activities, APT Bulletin or other publications, peer review and/or the administration of APT;
- Affirm a willingness to work with others for the development and promotion of the College by active participation on COF committees and activities.

Please note the following eligibility restrictions:

- The candidate may not currently be serving as a member of the APT Board. There are no prohibitions on the nomination of past Board members, nor are Fellows prohibited from future Board membership after election to the College.
- Posthumous nominations will not be considered.
- Self-nominations will not be considered.

Nominations may be submitted by the APT Board, or the board of an APT Chapter, or by five APT members in good standing (not including the nominee). In all cases, a Nominator must be identified who is the person responsible for assembling and submitting the nomination materials described below.

### **Nomination Materials**

1. A **cover sheet** identifying the Nominator; nominating organization or five APT members making the nomination; and the names, addresses, telephone number, and email addresses of the Candidate, Nominator, and Supporters.
2. A **two-page letter from the Nominator** describing how the Candidate's specific accomplishments have significantly contributed to the field of preservation technology, and in what manner the Candidate has provided valuable services to advance the activities of the Association. Note that both Chapter and APT

- accomplishments and activities will be considered.
3. A **letter from each Supporter**, one- to two-pages long, who are APT members in good standing citing specific aspects of the Candidate's achievements personally known by the Supporter. If possible, each support letter should focus on different aspects of the Candidate's achievements to try to address all the above criteria that will be used to evaluate the Candidate. Support letters from current Fellows are encouraged, but not required. All letters should be minimum 10-point type but may be single-spaced.
  4. **Current curriculum vitae of the Candidate**. Identified separately, within the CV or on a separate page shall be a summary of Association activities and achievements - membership dates, Chapter or APT board or committee positions, APT publication activities, other publications, peer review conference activities, etc.
  5. **Signed one- to two-page statement from the Candidate** describing what APT has meant to her/his professional development; confirming that she/he accepts the requirements and responsibilities for membership in the College of Fellows as outlined above; and how she/he envisions fulfilling those requirements and responsibilities.
  6. A **reproducible photograph** of the Candidate (full page in package) at 300 dpi minimum.

The complete nomination package should be submitted electronically no later than close of business on June 1, 2020, and should be addressed to the APT College of Fellows Nominations and Induction Committee through Paul Kuenstner, the APT Executive Director, at [paulkuenstner@apti.org](mailto:paulkuenstner@apti.org).

A complete listing of the APT College of Fellows can be found at [www.apti.org](http://www.apti.org).

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