

# *Freshman Student Leader of the Year Award*

*Deadline: March 15, 2019*

**Nomination criteria:**

- Students must be nominated by faculty, staff members, or students.
- Nominees must be from the Freshman class.
- Nominations must be on official nomination forms. Completed forms must be received by 5 p.m. on **March 15, 2019**.
- Nominations and applications will be screened by the Assistant Dean of Students and the Student Government Association (SGA). The review of applications will be based on the following criteria: grade point average, references, and an essay provided.
- Students must allow the Assistant Dean of Students to review their academic records.
- Students must have made a positive contribution to AU in the past year. This can include: contribution to the community, conference or workshop presentation, role in university production, participation in student government, athletics, leadership, or substantial time commitment to AU or the community. This contribution must be discussed in your statement.
- Students must have an exemplary disciplinary record during their enrollment period at AU and allow their disciplinary records to be viewed.
- Students that have been nominated or recipients in previous years may participate, but only accomplishments made during the past 12 months will be considered.

**Step 1—Student Information:**

Name of Student Nominated: \_\_\_\_\_

**Step 2—Nominator Information:**

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

Position/Department (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Nominator's E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Step 3—Submit Nomination:**

**Please return this form and essay** to The Student Engagement Center by 5 p.m. on **Friday, March 15, 2019**.

The essay submitted should be at least two paragraphs, in length, but no longer than one page. The sooner this nomination form is turned in, the sooner the nominated student will be notified to begin the application process. Late nominations will not be accepted. Awards will be presented at the SGA Banquet on Monday, April 15, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

Please direct any questions to Jill Adams, Assistant Dean of Students, at (434) 791-5628 or [jadams@averett.edu](mailto:jadams@averett.edu).