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Calling for Clark College Outstanding Alumni Award Nominations

Submissions for new Rising Star Alumni Award also open

VANCOUVER, Wash. – Nominations are open for Clark College’s 2015 Outstanding Alumni Award, and a new category: the Rising Star Alumni Award to honor those aged 35 and under.

Submit a nomination [online](#) or contact Vivian Cheadle Manning, director of gift planning and alumni relations, vmanning@clark.edu or 360.992.2104. The deadline for submissions is July 31.

The Clark College Alumni Association recognizes Clark College alumni for their exceptional service to the college, exemplary service to the community, and personal and professional achievements. The two categories of awards are to recognize people at different stages in their career.

Joanne Kendall ’64, founder of Open House Ministries, received the accolade in 2014. Other [past recipients](#) include Sen. Al Bauer Jr. ’55, Denis Hayes ’64, Rico Selga ’98 and Patricia Wirth ’68, Ph.D.

This year's recipient will be honored at the annual Clark College Alumni-Student Dinner on November 5, in Gaiser Hall Student Center at 1933 Fort Vancouver Way in Vancouver, Wash.

The new category - Rising Star Alumni - is awarded to an individual who attended Clark and is currently aged 35 or under and achieving early success in her/his career or community service.

The Alumni-Student Dinner brings current Clark students and alumni together for an evening of networking and celebration.

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