Purpose: Identify, recognize and award an individual who has committed time and energy in service to the university and his or her local community and has demonstrated an ability to excel both personally and professionally. Candidate must be 32 years old or younger at the end of the year in which they are nominated.

*The current members of the National Alumni Association Board of Directors, Mississippi State University Alumni Association staff, and their immediate family members are not eligible for the award.

**Be as detailed as possible, as the selection committee will vote based on the information provided as it applies to the purpose of the Outstanding Young Alumnus Award.

I. CANDIDATE’S FULL NAME: ________________________________________________________________

II. ADDRESS: _________________________________________________________________________

III. DATE OF BIRTH: ________________ BIRTHPLACE: _______________________________________

IV. EDUCATION:

A. Colleges/universities attended:

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B. List organizations (with offices held) and awards and honors received while at the school(s) listed above.

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V. CANDIDATE’S CAREER DEVELOPMENT:

A. List the candidate’s professional accomplishments, including employment, membership in professional organizations, offices held, etc. Please use a separate sheet(s) of paper if needed.

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VI. CANDIDATE’S RECORD OF SERVICE:

A. List the candidate's service to MSU and to the Alumni Association. Be as specific as possible concerning dates of service, offices held, committee membership, etc. 
*Please use a separate sheet(s) of paper, if needed.*

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B. List the candidate’s service to his/her community, state or nation, including recognition and honors received. *Please use a separate sheet(s) of paper, if needed.*

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VII. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE CANDIDATE:
List other information such as outstanding traits, actions or deeds which will be beneficial to the candidate’s nomination. *Please use a separate sheet(s) of paper, if needed.*

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VIII. NOMINATOR’S STATEMENT:

I am pleased to nominate ____________________________ for the MSU Alumni Association’s Outstanding Young Alumnus Award.

Signed: ____________________________________________

Class year or year(s) attended MSU (if applicable): ____________________________

Address: ________________________________________________

Phone Number: ____________________________ Date: ____________________________

*Please return this form to the MSU Alumni Association by November 1, 2009.*