**Lifetime Achievement Award**

The APA Lifetime Achievement Award is designed to honor and recognize outstanding service and accomplishments spanning a career in journalism in Alabama.

**Eligibility Criteria:**

This award may be given to any person who, at the time of selection, is a living, present or former newspaper executive or employee of a newspaper in Alabama.

- No restriction on “area” of service, i.e. production, editorial, advertising, circulation
- Nominees must have spent a significant percentage of their newspaper career in Alabama.
- Length of service in industry/state: minimum 25 years
- Cannot be nominated by a family member
- Please provide any information you think will be helpful in deciding the inductees for 2022, plus any additional letters of recommendation to assist the committee.
- **For a nominee to be considered, you must attach biographical information.**
- Include a photo of the nominee if available.

**Inductees will be honored in 2023.**

February, Birmingham Marriott, Birmingham

I am pleased to nominate the following person for the 2022 award:

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**Nomination Deadline November 30, 2022**

Please return this form to:

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Lifetime Achievement Award
600 Vestavia Dr. #291
Vestavia, AL 35216

**Email:** felicia@alabamapress.org OR jaclyn@alabamapress.org

**Questions:** call the APA office 205.871.7737
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Selection Procedure: The selection committee is made up of the four officers and two additional board members elected by the board at each summer meeting.

Award Presentation: The award will be presented at the winter convention during the Thursday banquet. A plaque will be presented and time allotted for a response from the recipient.

Entries: A letter of nomination, along with supporting documents, must be submitted to the APA office.