

Ohio SBDC Request for Nominations: 2019 State Star

The ASBDC has once again posted its announcement for SBDC State Star nominations. The State Star is an annual award that recognizes an outstanding SBDC employee from each state, and is presented at the ASBDC Annual Conference. In chronological order, past Ohio winners include:

Patrick Dengel	(2002)	Steve Schillig	(2013)
Mike Bowers	(2007)	Jim Griggy	(2015)
Bill Auxter	(2009)	Pat Veisz	(2016)
Mary Ann Jasionowski	(2011)	Mark Lankford	(2017)
Cindy Voorhies	(2012)	Mike Stater	(2018)

Instructions for submitting nominations:

- The Ohio State Star must be an SBDC *field* staff employee (not Lead Center).
 The nominee must show exemplary performance in the following four (4) areas:
 - Innovation...Introduces a new idea, method, or device to support the local small business community.
 - b) Collaboration and Partnership Building...Works jointly with others or together, especially in building a stronger SBDC program and local small business support network.
 - c) Productivity and Impact...Displays high performance in client satisfaction and outcomes, including jobs created business starts and increased sales.
 - Network Development...Performs a service or function to support the Ohio SBDC network mission and support for small business needs.
- 3. Forms should be as comprehensive as possible with *examples* of how the nominee excelled in each area.
- 4. <u>Nominations are limited to One (1) nomination per center</u> (including one nomination from the Lead Center). (Deadline for nominations is June 7, 2019).
- 5. <u>Centers are limited to One (1) vote per center</u>. (Deadline for voting is June 20, 2019).
- All nominees <u>must be in compliance with</u> the program's guidelines, including individual metrics, position responsibilities, and successful completion of CBA[®] by directors and full-time business advisors.
- To submit your nomination, you can use the attached nomination form, send in another document, or use a combination of both. It is important that the information be segmented and identified by each of the four (4) criteria.
- 8. In case of a tie, the State Lead Center will determine the winner based on the nominees' metrics and overall performances.

Nomination forms must be submitted <u>no later than June 7, 2019</u>, to: <u>domini.hunt@development.ohio.gov</u>

Nomination Form for 2019 State Star



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