

Campus Rec Innovative Programming Award

Application Deadline: November 5, 2024

Application Fee: \$99/entry

The Campus Rec Innovative Programming Award recognizes contributions of members who are transforming the field of collegiate recreation through outstanding programming and innovative services that improve student success, build community and share the important message of health and wellbeing in alignment with NIRSA's priorities.

Open Division - Any Campus Rec Programming area (i.e. Intramurals, Sport Clubs, Member Services, Esports, etc.) will be accepted for this category. The review committee will select up to eight recipients annually.

Special Division* - For the 2025 awards, the Special Division category is Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion. The review committee will select one recipient for this category. **Each year, NIRSA will choose categories in this division that reflect the priorities of the Association.*

Award recipients will be formally recognized via NIRSA media channels and receive a plaque, and NIRSA may select recipients to feature in additional content showcasing thought leadership in the NIRSA community.

If you have any questions as you are completing the application, please reach out to Outstanding Facilities Award Committee Chair Sean Butler (sb983511@gmail.com) or NIRSA Member Engagement Manager Natasha Fischer (natasha.fischer@nirsa.org).

* Indicates required question

1. Email *
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2. What is your membership status? (At least one of the following must apply) *

Mark only one oval.

- I am a Professional Member of NIRSA
- I work for a facility which is a NIRSA institutional member

3. First Name *

4. Last Name *

5. Job Title *

6. Institution *

7. Email Address *

Award Entry

Please create a webpage, photo album, etc. that is accessible online, to display photos or additional materials supporting your award entry. This information must be accessible without the use of a password, and we ask that links remain live through May 2025. You are also welcome to upload your materials to this Dropbox:
nirsa.org/AwardUploads

To upload your media, please save all files in a folder on your device and name the folder "School or Facility Name – Campus Rec Innovative Programming Award – Award Category (Open Division or Special Division)", then upload the entire folder to the dropbox. Please do not upload individual files; uploading the entire folder helps us keep all materials from the same submission together.

If you need additional assistance with providing images, please contact natasha.fischer@nirsa.org.

8. Title of Entry *

9. Division *
(Select One)

Mark only one oval.

Open Division: (i.e. Intramurals, Sport Clubs, Fitness, Member Services, Aquatics, Outdoor, Student Development, Marketing, Esports, etc.)

Special Division: Diversity, Equity & Inclusion

10. Please provide a summary/overview of the element of your program you are submitting for consideration, including goals and objectives and how the success of those goals and objectives will be measured. *

11. Was this program initiated or enhanced during the eligibility window? (November 1, 2022 – October 31, 2024) *

Mark only one oval.

- Initiated
- Enhanced

12. How does this program support your department's mission? *

13. Describe the plan, strategy, or tactics you used to reach the goals and objectives set. *

14. Please indicate your metrics for success. How did you determine the program's impact on students? Include specific data such as the number of program participants, comments/summaries from member satisfaction surveys, etc., in addition to anecdotal evidence. *

15. Why is this program deserving of a Campus Rec Innovative Programming Award? *

16. How are you sharing additional materials (photos, etc.) with the Award Committee? *

Mark only one oval.

- I have created a web page or online photo album
- I have uploaded materials to the NIRSA Dropbox link at nirsa.org/AwardUploads

17. If you have created a web page or online photo album, what is the address?

Consent & Release

18. Programming Award winners will be prominently displayed on the NIRSA website. *
Images, submitted application text, and other materials submitted with winning applications may also be used for educational purposes, NIRSA Member reference, and other NIRSA promotions and communications. By submitting this application form, you grant NIRSA the nonexclusive right to copy, use and distribute all photographs, images, and other materials (including names of individuals, institutions, and companies) provided as part of your application, in part or in their entirety, for the purposes outlined above. You waive the right to inspect or approve use of your application materials and acknowledge that you have permission to use all images and materials contained in your application.

Check all that apply.

I agree

Entry Fee & Payment Information

Institutional, Professional and Student Members: \$99 per entry. You will be prompted for payment once you submit your application. If you wish to pay by credit card via telephone or mail in a check, please email billing@nirsa.org with a contact number after submitting your application.

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