

Fond du Lac Future 5 Award – Description

The Young Professionals of Fond du Lac (YPF) established the Future 5 Award in 2013 as a way to support and recognize upcoming leaders in the community. This award is presented to five area young professionals ages 21-40 who are presently growing and excelling in their respective fields and will continue to positively influence the growth, prosperity, and quality of life in Fond du Lac County well into the future.

Qualifications

- Must reside and/or be employed in the Fond du Lac area.
- Must be between the ages of 21 and 40 at the time of application.
- Must be nominated by a professional or volunteer reference.
- Must be presently growing and excelling in their respective field and plan to continue to positively influence the growth, prosperity, and quality of life in the Fond du Lac community.
- Must not have received Future 5 Award in the last three years.

2020 - Maeghan Greeno, Liz Morrell, Alicia Hans, Alison Faris Helleberg, Megan Schueller

2019 - Vicente Lezema, Shawn Fisher, Jessica Kimball, Craig Much, JJ Raflik

2018 – Larissa Clinard, Ben Giles, Taylor Moret, Sadie Parafiniuk, Shavana Talbert

Award Process

Eligible candidates must be nominated by a professional or volunteer reference (i.e. an individual with whom they have worked and/or volunteered/served with). The nomination process includes submitting a letter of recommendation and a completed nomination form to Envision Greater Fond du Lac. Once the nomination deadline has arrived, all letters of recommendation and nomination forms will be submitted to the Young Professionals of Fond du Lac Advisory Council to be reviewed and processed. The Young Professional of the Year will be chosen from the Future 5 Award recipients by an independent panel of 5 judges.

- Applying for Future 5 will automatically submit your application for consideration for Young Professional of the Year.
- Nomination deadline is 5:00 p.m. on Monday, November 1, 2020. Submit your recommendation letter and nomination form to the Young Professionals of Fond du Lac.
 - E-mail: ypf@envisiongreaterfdl.com
 - Fax: 920-921-9559
 - Mail/delivery: 23 South Main Street Suite 101, Fond du Lac WI 54935
- This form may be downloaded from <https://www.ypdf.org/about/future-5/>.

Fond du Lac Future 5 Award – Nomination Form

To be completed by the individual nominating an eligible candidate for the Future 5 Award; must be submitted along with a recommendation letter explaining why said candidate should be considered for the award.

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Nominee Information:

Name: _____
Company/Organization: _____
Position: _____
Company/Organization Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Company/Organization Phone: _____
Email Address: _____

Nominator Information:

Name: _____
Company/Organization: _____
Company/Organization Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: _____
Email Address: _____

Can we tell your nominee that you nominated them? Yes No

Recommendation Letter: Please provide a brief explanation as to why you believe your nominee should receive the Future 5 award using the attached letter form or on separate letterhead to be included with your nomination form.

Important Information:

- Nominees must reside and/or be employed in the Fond du Lac area.
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Recommendation Letter: Please provide a brief explanation as to why you believe your nominee should receive the Future 5 Award. Letters can also be written on separate letterhead and included with the nomination form.