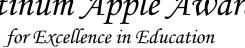


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Nomination Cover Sheet



PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY.

School Name:	Phone:
Date of Chapter Meeting when nominee was selected	d:
Number of Members in Attendance:	
Chapter Chair:	Cell Phone:
Home Address:	
City:	Zip:
Daytime Phone:	
Designee UTLA Contact:	Cell Phone:
Home Address:	
City:	
Please list the nominee below (current UTLA men	mber only):
Name:	Cell Phone:
Home Address:	
City:	Zip:

PLEASE NOTE: NOMINATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN MARCH 13, 2015, AT 5 P.M.





Nomination Form

This page is to be completed by the Chapter Chair (or designee). Only <u>one</u> official nomination per school will be accepted. If you are typing your entry, please limit it to no more than 2 typed pages using 12-point type and make sure you answer all questions.

Do not send portfolios, videos, etc. This form must be signed by the chapter chair (or designee) and received no later than **FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 2015**, at 5 p.m. Please Mail to 3303 Wilshire Blvd., 10th Fl., Los Angeles, CA 90010, (213) 368-6220 or fax to (213) 251-9891 (ATTN: Princess Sykes/Platinum Apple Committee)

LATE FORMS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Chapter Chair (or designee) (Please print)	Chapter Chair (or designee) (Signature)
School:	
Nominee (s):	

A. Nominee should meet educational criteria and excel in the eyes of colleagues in special ways.

^{*} Please include any additional information that describes why this nominee is deserving of this Platinum Apple Award.

()	School:
В.	Nominee engages and supports all students in learning in some or all of the following ways: (Consider some of the following points when writing about your nominee.)
	* Connects students' prior knowledge, life experiences and interests with learning goals. * Uses a variety of instructional strategies and resources to respond to students' diverse needs. * Facilitates learning experiences that promote autonomy, interaction, reflection and choice. * Engages all students in problem solving and critical thinking. * Promotes self-directed reflective learning for all students.

Nominee (s)	School:	
C.	Develops as a professional educator in some of the following ways: (Consider some of the following points when writing about your nominee.) * Reflects on teaching practice and plans professional development. * Establishes professional goals and pursues opportunities to grow professionally. * Works with families and the school community to improve student achievement. * Collaborates with colleagues to improve professional practice. * Supports and assists in the activities of the UTLA school site chapter (be specific).	
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- * Facilitates learning experiences that promote autonomy, interaction, reflection and choice.
- * Engages all students in problem solving and critical thinking and other activities that make subject matter meaningful.
- * Promotes self-directed reflective learning for all students.

C. <u>Develops as a professional educator in some of the following ways:</u> (Consider some of the following points when writing about your nominee.)

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