**WAGGGS Medal of Service**

The WAGGGS Medal of Service is the highest form of recognition that WAGGGS can bestow and is awarded to individuals (volunteers or staff) who have distinguished themselves in their outstanding service to Girl Guiding and Girl Scouting at national and global level. The Medal of Service expresses gratitude to members of the Association whose service is considered to be exceptional, noteworthy and/or extraordinary in nature.

***Who is eligible?***

To be eligible to receive the medal, an individual needs to have held a voluntary or paid position within WAGGGS or its Member Organisations; to be “in good standing” with WAGGGS; and to have made an exceptional contribution in terms of time, expertise, talents, resources and/or influence to enable WAGGGS to achieve its Mission and/or Objectives.

***What is the selection process?***

Nominations may be submitted by a Member Organisation or any member of the WAGGGS’ global team. Nominations should be made in confidence, without the knowledge of the individual.

The names of candidates qualifying for the award are submitted to the World Board who are responsible for making the final decision.

Nominations can be submitted at any time, but if you would like to nominate someone to receive the WAGGGS Medal of Service at the 37th World Conference in Uganda, please complete the application form and send it to governance@wagggs.org by **28 February 2020** at the latest.

***Presentation of the award***

The presentation of the award is usually made at a World Conference or Regional Conference

**WAGGGS Medal of Service Nomination Form**

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| Name of nominee |  |
| Their Member Organisation (if applicable)[[1]](#footnote-1) |  |
| Their current position (if held) in WAGGGS |  |
| Their previous appointments (if relevant) in WAGGGS |  |
| Reason for recommendation *(500 words maximum)* |  |

**Personal details of the person making the recommendation:**

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| Name  |  |
| Member Organisation  |  |
| Role |  |
| Signature |  |
| Date |  |

**This completed form should be sent to** **governance@wagggs.org** **by 28 February 2020.**

1. *Nominees are not required to be members of WAGGGS* [↑](#footnote-ref-1)