

Thank you for requesting this submission form to nominate a candidate for the **2022 IVCA Golder Award**. This award was created in honor of Stanley C. Golder, a founder of the private equity industry in Illinois. The Golder Award honors individuals who have made profound and lasting contributions to the private equity industry in Illinois.

Characteristics of a nominee for this award are:

* Is a recognized leader in venture/private equity investing;
* Has a strong track record of investment results;
* A person who demonstrates the highest ethical standards on both a personal and professional level;
* A history of achievements that reflect high standards for him/herself and others.

**On the next page of this document, we ask that you submit the following information:**

1. **Name of nominee**
2. **A narrative which includes:**

* **How long have you known this individual?**
* **What qualities/accomplishments does this person have that make him/her appropriate for this award?**
* **Please give specific examples of these qualities/accomplishments.**

1. **Three references who will support your nomination. (These people will be contacted via email with a request to provide a narrative as well.)**

Previous Awardees are:

* 2020: Glen Tullman, 7wireVentures
* 2019: Keith Crandall, ARCH Venture Partners
* 2017: John A. Hatherly, Wynnchurch Capital
* 2016: Paul J. Carbone, Pritzker Group Private Capital
* 2015: Peter Barris, New Enterprise Associates
* 2013: Theodore L. Koenig, Monroe Capital
* 2012: T. Bondurant French, Adams Street Partners
* 2011: Brian P. Simmons, CHS Capital
* 2010: Lester B. Knight, RoundTable Healthcare Partners
* 2009: Bryan Cressey, Cressey & Co.
* 2009: John L. Hines, President (Ret.) Continental Illinois Venture Corporation, Continental Illinois Equity Corporation
* 2008: Kevin R. Evanich, Kirkland & Ellis LLP
* 2007: Samuel B. Guren, Guren Capital Management, LLC
* 2006: Paul J. Finnegan, Madison Dearborn Partners
* 2006: Samuel M. Mencoff, Madison Dearborn Partners
* 2005: Gary P. Brinson, GP Brinson Investments
* 2004: Ned Heizer, Jr.
* 2003: Bret R. Maxwell, MK Capital
* 2002: Carl D. Thoma, Thoma Cressey Equity Partners

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**Submission form for 2022 IVCA Golder Award**

(When completed, please submit this form to Kathy Pyne at [kpyne@illinoisvc.org](mailto:kpyne@illinoisvc.org) no later than September 9, 2022.)

Your Name:

Your Email:

Name of your Nominee:

Reference #1 Name:

Reference #1 Email:

Reference #1 Phone:

Reference #2 Name:

Reference #2 Email:

Reference #2 Phone:

Reference #3 Name:

Reference #3 Email:

Reference #3 Phone:

Please submit your narrative here. Include as much information/detail as possible, as if selected as a candidate, this will be included in the ballot for the Awards Voting Committee.