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| **http://www.nelms.org/images/state_orgs/rimle.gif** | **RIMLE’S**  **DISTINGUISHED MIDDLE LEVEL EDUCATOR**  **AWARD**  **NOMINATION FORM** |

***This award recognizes outstanding practitioners in middle level education—those who have made a significant impact on the lives of young adolescents through leadership, vision, practice, and personalization.***

**DISTINGUISHED EDUCATOR AWARD CRITERIA**

* Candidate must have a minimum of 5 years of experience in a middle school.
* Candidate’s school must be a current institutional member of Rhode Island Middle Level Educators’ organization.
* Current RIMLE Board members and selection committee members are not eligible for this award. Past RIMLE Distinguished Educator Award winners also are not eligible.

**PART 1 CONTACT INFORMATION**

**NOMINATOR:**

Name of Contact Person:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**PART 2 NOMINATOR’S STATEMENT**

**In a separate document, please address the following questions regarding your nominee’s qualifications.**

How does this nominee exemplify the characteristics of a distinguished middle level educator through:

* demonstrating service to middle level education
* student personalization
* social/emotional/advisory aspect of support
* student improvement with behavior, academics attendance and activities/projects
* team mission and leadership to benefit students

**PART 3 SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION**

**Your Application Packet should include:**

* This nomination form.
* The nominator statement.
* A letter of recommendation from the candidate’s immediate superior (unless the supervisor is the nominator)
* A letter of recommendation from the candidate’s principal (unless the principal is the nominator)

**PART 4 SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION**

**Deadline:** The packet must be received by March 1, 2019

Send the above criteria packet to:

* **Email:** RIMLE.ExecDirector@Gmail.com ***Please place “Dis. Middle Level Educators Award” in the subject line****.*
* **OR Mail To:** Rhode Island Middle Level Educators - 61 Homefield Ave., Providence, RI 02908

***Recognition will be made at RIMLE’s End of Year Membership Meeting.***