



EMERGING LEADERS OF TAMPA BAY
 THE GREATER TAMPA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



2017 DEANNE DEWEY ROBERTS
EMERGING LEADER AWARD

“ *I’ve learned the hard way that it’s never too early to think about your legacy. And I believe it’s our collective legacy as leaders to support others as they take big—and sometimes scary—leaps for our community.* ”
 ~Deanne Dewey Roberts



Character • Community Involvement • Initiative/Tenacity • Leadership
 Professional Accomplishments • Selflessness • Vision • Emerge Involvement



ABOUT THE EMERGING LEADER AWARD

The Emerging Leader Award was created to annually recognize an Emerging Leaders of Tampa Bay participant age 21 - 40 whose leadership has made a positive impact on Hillsborough County. This award is given in honor of our late founder Deanne Dewey Roberts. It pays tribute to an individual who exemplifies outstanding professional values, demonstrates the ability to go above and beyond the expectations of a leader, and serves as an inspiration to the community.

This award was established in 2012 by the Emerging Leaders of Tampa Bay program and will be presented at the “Emerging with Influence” event on November 9, 2017 at TPepin’s Hospitality Centre.

The chosen honoree will be able to honor the charity of his or her choice with a \$1,000 gift, courtesy of ChappellRoberts.

AWARD CRITERIA

To nominate a person, please complete the official nomination form. **All nominees must currently work or reside in Hillsborough County.** The current Emerging Leaders of Tampa Bay Program Chair and Vice Chair and elected officials are ineligible for this award. This award will not be given posthumously. Listed below are the recognition criteria that should be considered:

CHARACTER	Reflects moral and ethical integrity
COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT	Involved in community service, whether civic, cultural, economic, charitable, recreational or educational
INITIATIVE/TENACITY	Shows persistence, determination, perseverance, action and implementation
LEADERSHIP	Demonstrates the ability to lead in his/her business
PROFESSIONAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS	Shows achievement through measurable results; demonstrates career achievement
SELFLESSNESS	Offers personal sacrifice, generosity, philanthropy and social conscience
VISION	Has direction, foresight, creativity and resourcefulness
ELTB INVOLVEMENT	Has played an active role within Emerge

PREVIOUS AWARD RECIPIENTS

- 2016** Erin Cassidy
- 2015** Audra Milligan
- 2014** Jessica Muroff
- 2013** April Monteith
- 2012** Mike Griffin

Nomination Deadline:
October 6, 2017 - 5:00 p.m.
(Late nominations will not be considered)



NOMINATION FORM

Nomination Deadline: October 6, 2017

To nominate a person, **please complete each section of the nomination form** (Pages 2-3: “Nomination Form,” “Nominator Information,” and “Why I Nominated this Candidate”). **All nominees must currently work or reside in Hillsborough County.** The current Emerging Leaders of Tampa Bay Program Chair and Vice Chair are ineligible for this award. This award will not be given posthumously.

All nominations must be submitted on an official nomination form and all questions on pages 2-3 must be answered on this form. Please provide a current resume or bio of the nominated candidate and two letters of recommendation.

I would like to nominate the following person for the **2017 Emerging Leader Award**:

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Company/Organization: _____

Current Position: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email Address: _____

NOMINATOR INFORMATION

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email Address: _____

PLEASE CONTINUE TO PAGE 3 TO COMPLETE YOUR NOMINATION

Please email the completed nomination form and supporting documentation to:
Greater Tampa Chamber of Commerce
E-mail: Emerge@tampachamber.com
Please include Emerging Leader Nominee and person’s last name in the subject line.

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WHY I NOMINATED THIS CANDIDATE

Please be thoughtful and brief. Fields are limited to 800 characters, or approximately 150 words.

Character (Reflects moral and ethical integrity)

Community Involvement (Involved in community service, whether civic, cultural, economic, charitable, recreational or educational)

Initiative/Tenacity (Shows persistence, determination, perseverance, action and implementation)

Leadership (Demonstrates the ability to lead in his/her business)

Professional Accomplishments (Shows achievement through measurable results; demonstrates career achievement)

Selflessness (Offers personal sacrifice, generosity, philanthropy and social conscience)

Vision (Has direction, foresight, creativity and resourcefulness)

Emerging Leaders involvement (Please explain candidate's involvement in Emerging Leaders of Tampa Bay and what role this program has played in his/her life)