



Association of Women Martial Arts Instructors
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Application for Honorary Rank Certification

Honorary Rank Certification is awarded in recognition of a woman's outstanding training spirit and her contribution to the martial arts community and women's empowerment. Reviewed on a case-by-case basis, Honorary Rank may be awarded when a woman is no longer able to teach due to medical considerations, or may be awarded posthumously, in recognition of her lifetime achievements. Applications may be submitted by her instructor, school, affiliated martial arts association, family member or professional affiliate.

Please submit an administrative fee of \$100 with your completed application.

Candidate's Name _____

Address _____

Martial Art _____ Yrs training _____

Highest Rank/Level _____ Date awarded _____

Sponsor (application submitted by) _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Relationship to candidate _____

To the sponsor: Please submit a 2-3 page letter stating your reasons for recommending the candidate for Honorary Rank Promotion. Please describe the candidate's martial arts experience and training, and her contributions to the martial arts community and women's empowerment. You may provide additional comments and letters of recommendation.

The sponsor will receive notification from AWMAI within 60 days, and official certification will be awarded at the Annual Conference Certification Ceremony.