



February 16, 2010

Announcing The 2010 César Chávez Peace and Justice Leadership Awards

The César Chávez Peace and Justice Committee of Auraria is seeking nominations for the César Chávez Peace and Justice Leadership Award for the 2010 César Chávez Celebration on Wednesday, March 31st. The committee urges interested parties to forward nominations of those who might be commendable of such an award. Please consider nominating an individual(s)/organization who fulfills some or all of the following criteria for one of the following awards:

- **Student Award** (*Must be a current student at the Community College of Denver, Metropolitan State college of Denver, or the University of Colorado at Denver*);
- **Faculty/Staff Award** (*Must be a current faculty or staff member at the Community College of Denver, Metropolitan State College of Denver, or the University of Colorado Denver*)
- **Community Member Award**
- **Community Organization Award**

IMPORTANT: Award recipients will be honored at the Cesar Chavez Peace and Justice Breakfast on Wednesday, March 31st 2010 on the Auraria Campus. Please include contact information for both the nominator and the nominee in the letter of nomination.

This individual(s)/ organization should embody the ideals of César Chávez:

A demonstrated willingness to sacrifice for the good of others:

The nominee should possess three out of the four following characteristics:

- Demonstrated history of social justice and activism,
- Engaged in empowering the community through organizing.
- Fighting for the peace and dignity of his or her community.
- Fights to better the lives of others.



History of leadership in organizing:

The nominee should possess three out of the four following characteristics:

- Volunteer activism/organizing with the underprivileged and underrepresented.
- Educates and involves others in and of social struggles.
- Persistence against great odds.
- Leads by example.



Letters of Nomination should be sent no later than Sunday, March 21, 2010 at 5:00 pm to:

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¡Sí Se Puede!

2010 César Chávez Peace and Justice Leadership Awards Nomination Form

Name of Nominee _____ Student ID Number _____

Home Address _____

Telephone Number _____ E-mail Address _____

Award to be considered:

Faculty/Staff Student Award Community Member Award Community Organization Award

Institution:

Community College of Denver Metro State College University of Colorado at Denver

Review the criteria of the award for which you are nominating the above person.
Feel free to elaborate on separate sheet of paper.

Name of Committees which nominee participated / participates in:

Clubs/Organizations associated with:

Service to the community (list names and dates):

Examples of Leadership

History of Social Justice and Activism

Additional Comments:

Nominator Name _____ *Date* _____

Phone _____ *E-mail* _____ *Institution* _____