

# **BITSA INTERNATIONAL: Distinguished Alum International & Rising Star International**

## **I. Preamble**

BITSA International relies solely on the recommendation of the constituent entities as described below.

## **II. Criteria**

(a) For **Distinguished Alum International (DAI)**: Meeting or exceeding several of the following:

- Contribution to the Alma Mater or Alumni bodies through cash or charitable acts;
- Accomplishments worthy of Role Model in one or more of the following: *technology; entrepreneurship; business ventures; academic or professional fields; service to humanity in a notable cause; and*
- Other notable accomplishments in philosophy, spirituality, and the like.

(b) For **Rising Star International (RSI)**: The candidate must be within 20 years of graduation, and

- The above requirements for Distinguished Alum International are softened accordingly.

## **III. Recommending Body**

One of the following:

(a) **BITS Alumni Association of North America** is the Recommending body for candidates in continents from North and South America, Europe, and Australasia. The nomination may originate from their ADVBD, Distinguished alumni or by direct application.

(b) **BITS Alumni Association - NCR Chapter** is the Recommending body for BITS Alumni in Asia and Africa including Middle East. It usually invites nominations, employs a Panel of non-BIT judges, then endorsement by their Executive body.

## **IV. Supporting Material**

The recommendation material must include a detailed resume' of the candidate. A resume' published in a Professional journal or professional site such as LinkedIn may be acceptable with contact details: BIT Sindri graduation year, branch/dept.; and experience summary.

## **V. Approval**

A simple majority vote of the BOD of BITSA International is required for approval.

## **VI. Recognition**

Certificate with citation of up to 25 words; announcement on the respective website, newsletter or other media; and, invitation to attend the next Large Alumni Meeting in the nearby geography. A directory listing of awardees will be maintained on the website of BITSA International.