

Awards of Excellence 2012 Nomination Form

NOMINEE Contact Information

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Company: _____

Street (full address): _____

City: _____

Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Telephone: _____

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Email: _____

AWARD CATEGORY:

Business Professional

*Nominations must be accompanied by biography or brief description of achievements.

Attached: Yes Forthcoming

NOMINATOR Contact Information

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SUBMISSION DEADLINE:

FRIDAY, AUGUST 17, 2012

(late submissions will NOT be accepted)

Our Vision

Create experiences that advance the profile of our Canadian-Italian businesses, professionals and cultural organizations in the Hamilton-Halton Region.

About CIBPA

The Canadian Italian Business and Professional Association (CIBPA) has been in existence since 1952, as a non-profit membership association that best represents the business and professional interests of Canadian-Italians across Canada, with over 13 chapters.

The mandate is to promote and cultivate the business and professional interests of our members, and to be recognized as an advocacy group in matters of interest of the Canadian Italian Business community at large. We will continue to strive to be the pre-eminent forum for the exchange of ideas and viewpoints, and are focused on the development of business and professional contacts for our members.

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2nd Annual Awards Gala

Monday, September 24th, 2012
Carmen's Banquet Centre

Featuring
Keynote Speaker
Celebrity Chef,
TV Host & Author
David Rocco



AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE

The Canadian Italian Business and Professional Association of Hamilton Halton Awards of Excellence were established to recognize and pay tribute to those individuals in the community who continue to make a difference in their professional and entrepreneurial fields.

The recipients of the 2012 Awards of Excellence will be honoured at the 2nd Annual Business Excellence Awards Gala on Monday, September 24th, 2012 at Carmen's Banquet Centre in Hamilton, Ontario. www.carmens.com

Award Categories

Business Excellence Award: This award honours an individual and/or business who demonstrates outstanding achievement.

Professional Excellence Award: This award is presented to an individual who through his or her career has consistently demonstrated an outstanding contribution to their field of expertise.

"OGGI" Business Excellence Award: Young Professional (under 40), see above.

"OGGI" Professional Excellence Award: Young Professional (under 40), see above.

Selection Committee

The selection committee will include members of the CIBPA Board of Directors as moderators, and outside representatives. These will be individuals who have expressed a genuine interest in the association and who have volunteered their time to help co-ordinate the annual gala.

Eligibility:

Any business professional residing in Ontario is eligible to be nominated for the Awards of Excellence. Agreeing to be nominated for an Award implies that, in the event of selection as an Award recipient, the individual agrees to participate fully at the event and work with the CIBPA HH in public relations activities for the awards.

Nominations Deadline:

To successfully nominate an individual or business, please download the nomination form from the website www.cibpahh.com, and submit it to the CIBPA HH office including all supporting documents.

Nomination deadline is August 17, 2012.

Choose either of these methods for submission. Fax 905-561-7152 email: besposto@djbc.com or mail to 45 Goderich Rd, Unit 7C, Stoney Creek, ON L8E 4W8, ATTN: CIBPA Awards of Excellence Selection Committee

Nomination Criteria Includes:

Business Excellence Award: This award honours an individual and/or business who demonstrates outstanding achievement in entrepreneurialism, community involvement, high standard to employee relations, sales and/or employment growth, product or market innovation, and significant contribution to the arts, including Italian heritage/culture.

Professional Excellence Award: This award is presented to an individual who through his or her career has consistently demonstrated an outstanding contribution to their field of expertise in setting their goals and attaining their achievements, including community involvement and significant contribution to the arts, including Italian heritage/culture.

DAVID ROCCO

Celebrity Chef, Host of *David Rocco's Dolce Vita*, and Bestselling Author of the Cookbooks *David Rocco's Dolce Vita* and *Made in Italy*



Celebrity chef David Rocco brings his passion for food and healthy cooking to millions of kitchens every day through his worldwide hit television program, *David Rocco's Dolce Vita*, and through his bestselling cookbooks, *David Rocco's Dolce Vita* and *Made in Italy*. As the Executive Producer, Writer and Host of the Food Network's *David Rocco's Dolce Vita*, Rocco's love of Italian food and culture and his lust for life are evident, while his latest cookbook *Made in Italy* continues his work pairing style with brilliant Italian recipes.

While *David Rocco's Dolce Vita* is broadcast from coast to coast on Food Network Canada, David is also seen in TLN, and in French Quebec via TVA, and is syndicated in over 120 countries worldwide. Prior to *Dolce Vita*, Rocco co-created the cooking/travelogue television series, *Avventura*, with his wife, Nina Rocco. Still in syndication in over 40 countries, this show was a 26-episode series filmed in Italy, which helped to establish and promote Rocco's extraordinary culinary talents.

Rocco's passion for healthy cooking has led him to partner with several groups to promote the value of home cooking. In 2008, he created a series of 12 videos for The Ontario Heart and Stroke Foundation's website. Rocco has also partnered with Ontario Premier Dalton McGuinty to inspire teenagers to cook as part of the Ontario government's new legislation to encourage healthy eating.