

Future Executive Leader of Distinction (FELD) Eligibility

Eligibility Requirements

- Be an MBA student at a TBHF partner university in Texas in Spring 2026
- Be in good academic standing
- Have a proven track record in corporate leadership in Texas
- Have Texas residency and plan to continue your corporate career in Texas post-MBA
- Be nominated by the Dean or Associate Dean of your business school (applications without nomination will not be considered)
- Demonstrate leadership within your professional and campus communities
- Be a U.S. citizen
- Be able to attend the Annual Future Texas Business Legend Award Luncheon and Induction Dinner on November 12, 2026, in San Antonio
- Be willing to allow TBHF to share application information with and receive information from your university
- Be willing and able to stay actively involved with the TBHF network, including participating in outreach and networking events on a regular basis

Important Notes

- Previous applicants may reapply once
- Award funds will be paid directly to the award recipient at the Future Texas Business Legend Award Luncheon
- The cash prize is considered unrestricted income and is subject to tax reporting by the recipient
- Award recipients may be responsible for their own travel expenses to the 2026 Awards Luncheon and Induction Dinner in San Antonio
- Recipients are strongly encouraged to join the TBHF Alumni Association in January 2027
- Recipients who move out of Texas or cannot commit to remaining in Texas will be ineligible to receive the award
- TBHF reserves the right to revoke the award at any time

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