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2020 PRESIDENTIAL AWARDS FOR FILIPINO INDIVIDUALS AND  
ORGANIZATIONS OVERSEAS BY THE COMMISSION ON FILIPINOS OVERSEAS

The Commission on Filipinos Overseas, an attached agency of the Office of the President, is accepting nominations for the 2020 Presidential Awards for Filipino Individuals and Organizations Overseas (PAFIOO) until July 31, 2020.

The PAFIOO is conferred by the Office of the President every two years in recognition of the immense contributions of Filipino and foreign nationals and organizations overseas in the national development efforts, promotion of the interest of the Filipino diaspora, and for their exceptional achievements or excellence in the pursuit of their endeavors.

Below are the categories for the 2020 PAFIOO.

Category	Description
1. <i>Lingkod sa Kapwa Pilipino</i> (LINKAPIL) Award	For Filipino individuals or organizations with exceptional or significant contribution to progress and development in the Philippines
2. <i>Banaag</i> Award	For Filipino individuals or organizations with contributions that have significantly benefited a sector of the diaspora or advanced the cause and interest of overseas Filipino communities
3. <i>Pamana ng Pilipino</i> Award	For overseas Filipino individuals, who, in exemplifying the talent and industry of the Filipino, have brought the country honor and recognition through excellence and distinction in the pursuit of their work or profession
4. <i>Kaanib ng Bayan</i> Award	For foreign individuals (natural-born) and organizations with exceptional or significant contribution to Philippine progress and development, or in advancing the cause or promoting the interests of overseas Filipino communities

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