

Bill G. Daniels Award for Outstanding Administrator

Annually, the Texas Association of College and University Police Administrators (TACUPA) presents the Bill G. Daniels Award for Outstanding Administrator to a Police Chief or Director of Security at a higher education institution.

The award was established to recognize a Chief or Director for their contributions to college and university policing while exemplifying and promoting the highest professional standards and best practices in leadership, management, and administration.

This award is named in honor of Bill G. Daniels, the first Police Chief at Texas Technological College, now known as Texas Tech University.

Chief Daniels served as Police Chief for 28 years (from 1959 – 1987). He was a founding member of TACUPA and the International Association of Campus Law Enforcement Administrators (IACLEA).

Eligibility criteria and submission guidelines include:

- The nominee must be a current TACUPA Member and must be serving as the Police Chief or Director of Security of a Texas higher education institution at the time the nomination is submitted.
- Each nomination should include a narrative, 1-2 pages in length, outlining the nominee's achievements and contributions to college and university policing.
- The nomination may be submitted by anyone but must be endorsed by the Chief's or Director's supervisor.
- Nominations should be emailed to TACUPAorganization@gmail.com
- Submission deadline is Nov. 25th for that year's award to be presented in December.

Should you have any questions, please contact the TACUPA Board at TACUPAorganization@gmail.com

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