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Girl Scouts of the USA Adult Awards**

Name of Award	Purpose	Approval	Documentation
 Outstanding Volunteer Award	For outstanding service beyond the expectation of the position that benefits the Overseas Committee and warrants area-wide attention. Given to outstanding delivery-of-service adults other than troop leaders.	Overseas Committee	Nomination application only
 Outstanding Leader Award	For outstanding troop leadership qualities in the delivery of Girl Scout program to girls that merits recognition by the Overseas Committee.	Overseas Committee	Nomination application & 2 letters of endorsement
 President's Award	To recognize the efforts of an Overseas Committee in moving toward the goals of USA Girl Scouts Overseas – North Atlantic.	USA Girl Scouts Overseas – North Atlantic Board	Nomination application with supporting data
 Appreciation Pin	To recognize outstanding service to at least one Overseas Committee or program area.	USA Girl Scouts Overseas – North Atlantic Board	Nomination application & 2 letters of endorsement
 Honor Pin	To recognize outstanding service to two or more Overseas Committees or program areas.	USA Girl Scouts Overseas – North Atlantic Board	Nomination application & 3 letters of endorsement
 Volunteer Development Pin with chain	Stage 1: The Girl Scout Volunteer Achievement Award <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · First successful volunteer service completion on a board committee or · First successful volunteer service completion on a task group assignment or · First experience of troop leadership or · First experience of Overseas Committee management or · Successful service to USA Girl Scouts Overseas – North Atlantic for one year. All to have completed required training and have been appointed and have agreed to return for another year.	Overseas Committee	Nomination application
 The Girl Scout Mentoring Award White Key	Girl Scout Mentoring Award (White key) Recognizes the volunteer who has gained sufficient skills and experience and who becomes a coach or mentor for another new adult member resulting in their retention to continue volunteering for two years.	Overseas Committee	Nomination application
 The Girl Scout Volunteer Executive Award Black Key	Girl Scout Volunteer Executive Award (Black key) Recognizes the volunteer who has served in a leadership role in governance or management at the Council level.	Overseas Committee	Nomination application
 Girl Scout Volunteer Diversity Award (Gold Key)	Girl Scout Volunteer Diversity Award (Gold key) Recognizes the volunteer who has increased membership in underrepresented populations through program delivery, community cultivation, and/or community collaboration; has increased awareness and understanding through enrichment events and/or training or has managed diversity by creating a system that supports the Councils' goals	Overseas Committee	Nomination application
 Girl Scout Community Cultivation Award (Silver Key)	Girl Scout Community Cultivation Award (Silver key) Recognizes the volunteer who has increased volunteer membership by utilizing the talents and skills of all the	Overseas Committee	Nomination application

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	dimensions of diversity (18-29 year olds, episodic volunteers, males and aged 55 plus); has increased girl membership that reflects the diversity in the Council jurisdiction; has promoted STUDIO 2B through retaining 11-18 year olds and/or marketing the concept to the community; or has established effective partnerships that help achieve the Council's membership goal through corporate partnerships, government agencies, foundations, small businesses or religious institutions.		
 <p align="center">Girl Scout Fund Development Award (Copper Key)</p>	Girl Scout Fund Development Award (Copper key) Recognizes the volunteer who has helped to reach the Council's fund development goal by increasing financial and/or in-kind resources through grants, corporations/foundations, and/or major gifts; has increased individual contributions that reflects the diversity in the Council's jurisdiction through grants, planned giving, annual giving and/or bequests.	Overseas Committee	Nomination application
 <p align="center">Citizenship in Girl Scouting</p>	Returns for a second or third round of service. Provides support through two or three short-term assignments for the Overseas Committee or USA Girl Scouts Overseas – North Atlantic.	Overseas Committee or Executive Staff Supervisor	Nomination application
 <p align="center">Social Responsibility in Girl Scouting Award</p>	This award is for an individual who commits to a fourth round of short-term service, and who provides support to the Council. Form of recognition: The pins are numbered I, II, and III, in a blue oval, green square and yellow circle respectively. Criteria for selection: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · The candidate must be a registered Girl Scout adult and adhere to all policies and procedures of the Girl Scout organization. · The candidate must have completed four rounds of volunteering. · The volunteer must provide service in the Girl Scout organization at the local or Council level. 	Overseas Committee or Executive Staff Supervisor	Nomination application
 <p align="center">Thanks Badge</p>	To recognize outstanding service that benefits all of USA Girl Scouts Overseas – North Atlantic or the entire Girl Scout organization.	National Board of Directors, Girl Scouts of the USA	Nomination application & at least 4 letters of endorsement
 <p align="center">Thanks Badge II</p>	To recognize continued outstanding service given by a Thanks Badge recipient.	National Board of Directors, Girl Scouts of the USA	Nomination application & at least 4 letters of endorsement
	LBP International Friendship Award This award encourages Girl Scouts in overseas committees and their host country Girl Guides to work together in the spirit of friendship. Required activities focus on communication, community service, camping, crafts, and culture. Girls earn the "Lady Baden-Powell International Friendship Award" patch; adults, the award's bar and charm.	GSUSA	Nomination application

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 North Atlantic Service Award	To recognize an individual or organization, in or outside of Girl Scouting, that has made a significant impact by providing special service to Girl Scouts.	USA Girl Scouts Overseas – North Atlantic Board	Nomination application
 Leadership Development Pin	To recognize adult members registered as troop leaders who have completed a series of earned criteria.	Overseas Committee	Nomination application
 Trainer's Pin	To recognize adults who have completed the earned criteria for trainers.	USA Girl Scouts Overseas – North Atlantic Director of Adult Development	Application, references with interview
 Years of Service Pin	To recognize an adult in Girl Scouting for her/his years of service at five year intervals.	No approval necessary	