



Call for Entries opens:
1 November 2004

Deadline:
1 March 2005

Entry fee:
US \$40

Submission guidelines:
Award entries must be submitted via the online submission system. Guidelines and instructions are available at www.nursingsociety.org/programs

Judging:
Qualified judging panels representing strong talent and expertise are appointed.

Notification:
Nominees and recipients will be notified of the judges' decision by 1 July 2005.

Presentation:
All awards will be presented at the Honor Society of Nursing, Sigma Theta Tau International 38th Biennial Convention in Indianapolis, Indiana on 12-16 November 2005.

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Chapter Research Advancement Award

PURPOSE

The Chapter Research Advancement Award recognizes chapters that foster the goals of the Honor Society of Nursing through significant research-related activities.

CRITERIA

The Honor Society of Nursing Chapter:

- Has an established Research Committee responsible for activities relating to knowledge development, dissemination, and utilization.
 - Chapter bylaws
 - Annual report of Research Committee
- Is committed to developing research-based knowledge through assistance to researchers.
 - Total amount of funds committed to research grants
 - Percent of revenue committed to research grants
 - Research productivity traceable to chapter-funded grants (e.g., subsequent external funding, referred publications, and presentations)
 - Global research collaborations and support
- Demonstrates significant support of research dissemination and research conferences.
 - Funds designated for utilization projects
 - Conferences address research utilization (e.g., basis for clinical practice and health care policy)
 - Funds designated for dissemination activities (e.g., facilitate conference participation)
- Recognizes research excellence publicly.
 - Established recognition awards

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

A complete nomination consists of:

- Online entry form and payment
- Documentation supporting fulfillment of criteria, including, but not limited to, the examples listed above. (Documentation may take a number of forms such as letters, reports, publications, brochures, Web sites.)

CONTACT INFORMATION

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