



New Member Pillar Award

PURPOSE

The New Member Pillar Award recognizes a recently inducted member whose nursing practice reflects care, commitment, and creativity to advance the profession and whose exemplary voluntary service and leadership achievements have positively impacted STTI, the chapter, and the nursing profession or healthcare.

ELIGIBILITY

All active members inducted between 1 March 2015 and 1 March 2017. Any member or chapter may nominate (member may not self-nominate). STTI Board of Directors, STTI staff, STTI consultants and contracted staff, and members of the judging committee are not eligible.

CRITERIA

Nominee has demonstrated **one or more** of the three pillars: Leadership, Service, and/or Professional Endeavor.

Leadership

- Supports future growth and success of STTI at the chapter level
- Impacts change on people, organizations, or situations
- Displays an understanding of the self and a knowledge of one's own potential and power
- Portrays a positive vision for leadership and a continuing commitment to leadership activities in STTI international and/or chapter activities
- Displays knowledge, skills, and abilities related to personal, interpersonal, organizational, and civic/service leadership development
- Makes connections with others in their chapter

Service

- Advances or promotes STTI, the nursing profession or healthcare
- Demonstrates the quantity and quality of the impact of volunteer service
- Commits to ongoing volunteer service in the chapter

Professional Endeavor

- Demonstrates a spirit of compassion and caring
- Demonstrates creative resource utilization
- Pursues his/her own growth and development
- Advocates for quality patient and family care
- Utilizes exemplary interpersonal skills
- Collaborates with healthcare professionals in providing optimal care

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Supporting documents required below must address the criteria. A complete online nomination consists of:

- Online entry form and payment
- Supporting narrative (1-2 pages)
- Three (3) letters of support (including at least one from a chapter member – not including the nominator)
- Letter of acceptance

CONTACT INFORMATION

For further information or to make a contribution to fund this award, please contact Janell Jackson at +1.317.634.8171 (International), 888.634.7575 (U.S./Canada toll-free), or email janell@stti.org.

Call for Entries opens

1 November 2016

Deadline

1 March 2017

Entry Fee

US \$50

The fee structure for nominations outside the U.S. will be set according to World Bank classifications based on per capita income designated as low, middle, and high.

Submission Guidelines

Award entries must be submitted via the online submission system. Instructions are available at www.nursingsociety.org/awards.

Judging

Qualified judging panels representing strong talent and expertise are appointed.

Notification

Award recipients will be notified by email by 1 July 2017.

Presentation

All awards will be presented at STTI's 44th Biennial Convention Indianapolis, Indiana, USA, 28 October - 1 November 2017.

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