



Audrey Hepburn Award for Contributions to the Health and Welfare of Children

PURPOSE

The Audrey Hepburn Award for Contributions to the Health and Welfare of Children was established in 1993 to honor Ms. Hepburn's extraordinary work on behalf of children in need. This award is presented each biennium to a nurse who has made significant contributions to the health and well-being of children. Contributions may be in the areas of research, policy development, administration, evidence-based clinical practice or education. Past recipients include Donna Wong (1993), Ann Burgess (1995), Julia Plotnick (1997), Ida Martinson (1999), Joann Eland (2001), Bernadette Melnyk (2003), Gene C. Anderson (2005), Mary Woods Byrne (2007) and Susan Ludington (2009).

ELIGIBILITY

Nominee must be an active member of Sigma Theta Tau International. Any member or chapter may nominate. Self-nominations are invited.

CRITERIA

- Demonstrated contributions of significance to health and welfare of children.
- Recognized nationally/globally by others for contributions.
- Committed to ideals and mission of STTI.

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

A complete nomination consists of:

- Online entry form and payment
- Supporting narrative that addresses criteria (1-2 pages)
- Three (3) letters of support
- Nominee's curriculum vitae
- Supporting documentation that provides direct evidence of nominee's contribution (not to exceed 10 pages)
- Letter of acceptance

CONTACT INFORMATION

For further information or to make a contribution to fund this award, please contact Mabelle Fisher at +1.317.634.8171 (International), 888.634.7575 (U.S./Canada toll free) or e-mail mabelle@stti.org.

Call for Entries opens

1 November 2010

Deadline

1 March 2011

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 e-mail by 1 July 2011.

Presentation

All awards will be presented at STTI's 41st Biennial Convention in Grapevine, Texas, USA, on 29 October – 2 November 2011.

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