

# 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.

#### **Contact us**

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# Chapter Research Advancement Award

## **PURPOSE**

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

#### **CRITERIA**

#### The STTI 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.
  - o Total amount of funds committed to research grants
  - o Percent of revenue committed to research grants
  - Research productivity traceable to chapter-funded grants (e.g., subsequent external funding, referred publications and presentations)
  - o Global research collaborations and support
- Demonstrates significant support of research dissemination and research conferences.
  - $\circ$  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
- Supporting narrative that addresses criteria (1-2 pages)
- 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 or websites.)
- Letter of acceptance

#### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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