



The Episteme Award

PURPOSE

The Baxter International Foundation's Episteme Award acknowledges a major break-through in nursing knowledge development that has resulted in a significant and recognizable benefit to the public. The Baxter International Foundation generously provides a US \$15,000 stipend to the award winner. In the tradition of the Nobel Prize, The Episteme Award is presented to a person or team for highly significant research. The Episteme Laureate will be the keynote speaker on Scientific Sessions Day at convention.

CRITERIA

- The person or team has accomplished a major break-through in nursing knowledge development (either through a seminal contribution or a program of research).
- The research venture has resulted in a significant and recognizable benefit to the public.

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 that address criteria
- Nominee's curriculum vitae
- Supporting documentation that provides direct evidence of nominee's contribution (not to exceed 10 pages)
- Letter of acceptance

CONTACT INFORMATION

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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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