



# Research Dissemination Award

## PURPOSE

The Research Dissemination Award recognizes an individual or group who has made a major contribution to the dissemination of research for use in clinical nursing practice, education, administration, research and/or public knowledge.

Dissemination of research findings refers to a systematic effort or project that is directed toward making the essentials of completed research available to nurses or to the public in an accessible and usable format.

## CRITERIA

The project or program:

- Has the primary purpose of imparting new nursing research knowledge to nurses and/or the non-nursing community.
- Contains scientific merit and synthesis of existing research as an essential component.
- Has been made available in a convenient manner and at a reasonable cost and is presented in a form that is helpful and useful. Examples include: television or radio talk shows; public service announcements or programs; newspapers, magazines or books; video or audio tapes; meetings or conferences; promotional campaigns.
- Is packaged in a manner that will attract attention and provide information to benefit nurses and the non-nursing community.

## 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 addressing how the project meets the criteria
- Sample of final product (scanned newspaper articles, video clip, etc.), if applicable
- Letter of acceptance

## CONTACT INFORMATION

For further information or to make a contribution to fund this award, contact Tonna Thomas at +1.317.634.8171 (International), 888.634.7575 (U.S./Canada toll free) or e-mail [tonna@stti.org](mailto:tonna@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](http://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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