



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 recipient. 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 at convention.

ELIGIBILITY

Current members of STTI's Board of Directors or members of the headquarters staff are NOT eligible.

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

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
- Nominee's curriculum vitae
- [Additional supporting documentation](#) (not to exceed 10 pages)
- Letter of acceptance

CONTACT INFORMATION

For further information, contact Traycee at +1.317.634.8171 (International), 888.634.7575 (U.S./Canada toll free) or e-mail traycee@stti.org.

Call for Entries opens
1 November 2012

Deadline
1 March 2013

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 2013.

Presentation
All awards will be presented at STTI's 43rd Biennial Convention in Indianapolis, Indiana, USA, 16-20 November.

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