

The 2009 Pearson / ANTS Nursing Educator of the Year Award

Rules of Entry

- Nominees must be current financial members of ANTS.
- Nominations must be submitted using the Nomination Form in this document, with all details completed.
- Three (3) copies of all materials should be submitted.
- To be received by no later than **5:00pm Friday 23 October, 2009.**

Please post nominations to:

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Marketing Manager
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Unit 4, Level 3, 14 Aquatic Drive
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1. Nominees must be registered nurses whose primary activity is teaching in the nursing discipline. This award is designed to encourage teaching development in the discipline of nursing education.
2. Students and/or staff input to the nomination process is strongly encouraged. In such an instance, an academic must submit the entry form.
3. The prize money should be used to further develop the winner's contribution to teaching nursing. Some suggestions include:
 - Payment towards an overseas trip to attend a relevant nursing conference.
 - Funding the development of a teaching program or software.
 - Funding the development of innovative teaching pilots.
 - Funding the development of a 'new' nursing project.
 - Payment towards attending an ANTS Conference.
 - Funding the departmental purchase of teaching resources.

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Nomination Form

Nominee: (Full Name)		
Signature:		Date:
Institution: (include name of department / school / university or health facility where nominee is teaching)		
Address:		
Phone No.	Email:	
ANTS Membership No.		
Nominator: (Full Name)		
Position	Employer	Email
Signature:	Date:	
Seconded: (Full Name)		
Position	Employer	Email
Signature:		

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Information on Nominations

Submissions must include:

1. A completed nomination form.
2. A statement from the nominee addressing the selection criteria.
3. A curriculum vitae of no more than four (4) A4 pages outlining the nominee's current position, educational qualifications, career history, teaching positions and teaching experience.
4. One reference (of no more than two (2) A4 pages) provided by a person able to comment on the nominee's teaching.

Supporting documentation required:

1. Results of evaluations.
2. Selected teaching materials such as subject or course outlines, contributions to curriculum or program design within the faculty or department, course handouts and study guides.

Submissions plus supporting documentation must not be more than 25 A4 pages. Three (3) copies of submissions and supporting documentation should be sent.

Selection Criteria

1. Interest in and enthusiasm for teaching, and for promoting student learning.
2. Ability to organise course material, media resources and to present these cogently and imaginatively.
3. Command of subject matter, including the incorporation into teaching of recent developments in a specific field of nursing education.
4. Provision of appropriate assessment, including the provision of worthwhile feedback to students on their learning.
5. Professional and systematic approach to teaching development.
6. Participation in professional activities and research relating to teaching.

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Checklist for the Nominee

Please ensure that you have complied with the **Rules of Entry** in relation to this award – ensure that the attachments are **correctly and sequentially collated**, and the appendices supporting your application are **clearly labelled numerically**.

- ☐ Your nomination form completed and duly signed?
- ☐ Statement against selection criteria?
- ☐ Your Curriculum Vitae?
- ☐ Your Reference?
- ☐ Evaluation summaries?
- ☐ Selected teaching materials?