Health Promoting Behaviors Across the Lifespan RIG
OUTSTANDING DISSERTATION AWARD
Deadline: December 3, 2019 (5:00pm EST)

PURPOSE OF THE AWARD
The purpose of this award is to recognize the contribution of a nurse whose doctoral dissertation is exceptionally meritorious and exemplifies high standards of scholarship and knowledge development in the field of nursing.

CRITERIA FOR THE AWARD
▪ The dissertation focuses on health promoting behavior issues in nursing.
▪ The research makes both significant theoretical and applied contributions to health promotion/prevention nursing.
▪ The research is significant, innovative, and methodologically rigorous.
▪ The research has been disseminated through presentation and/or publication.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS
The researcher:
▪ Is a regular or student member of MNRS in good standing
▪ Is a member of the MNRS Health Promoting Behaviors Research Section
▪ Completed (defended) a dissertation focusing on nursing within a calendar year previous to the award application deadline, i.e., for award application due date of December 3, 2019, defended dissertation between December 3, 2018 and December 3, 2019.

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS
▪ Completed Nomination Application form
▪ Nominee’s current curriculum vitae
▪ Dissertation abstract with title only Note: Abstracts are limited to 300 words and should include the purpose, background for the study, theoretical framework, methodology, results and implications for advancing the science of health seeking behavior.
▪ One nomination letter addressing the award criteria above

NOTIFICATION
The award recipient will be notified prior in January. The award will be presented at the RIG Meeting during the Annual Research Conference. The awardee is encouraged to be present to receive the award and will be invited to provide a brief presentation (up to 5 minutes) of the dissertation research at the RIG meeting.

Please submit all submission requirements online: by CLICKING HERE by December 3, 2019