



Self-Care Research & Implementation Interest Group (RIIG) **DISSERTATION AWARD**

Nomination Deadline: December 3, 2021, 5 PM Eastern time

PURPOSE OF THE AWARD: The purpose of this award is to recognize the contribution of a recent Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) graduate whose doctoral dissertation is exceptionally meritorious and exemplifies high standards of scholarship and knowledge development in the area of self-care research.

CRITERIA FOR THE AWARD

- Research contributes to the science of self-care
- Findings are being disseminated at local and regional levels
- Evidence that research trajectory is focused on self-care

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Earned doctoral degree in nursing or related field
- Member of MNRS and member of the Self-Care RIIG
- Recently defended and completed the doctoral dissertation within one year of the nomination deadline date
- May either self-nominate or be nominated by a current member of MNRS.

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

- Letter of support from a dissertation committee member that addresses the significance of the dissertation to advancing the science of self-care and the meritorious level of scholarship demonstrated by the nominee (maximum of 2 pages on letterhead).
- Personal statement from the nominee that speaks to the award criteria (maximum of 1page).
- Dissertation abstract
- Nominee's curriculum vitae
- Submission of nomination form through the online submission portal.

NOTIFICATION: The award recipient will be notified in January 2022. The award will be presented at the Self-Care RIIG Meeting during the Annual Research Conference. The awardee must be present to receive the award and will be invited to provide a brief presentation (up to 5 minutes) of her/his research at the section meeting.

Please send all submission requirements to:

https://mnrs.societyconference.com/?conf_id=10005&m=user&h=event/ev_073mx

by December 3, 2021 by 5 PM Eastern time

We look forward to receiving your application!