



## Physiology, Behavior, Genomics Society RIIG

### Call for RIIG Award applications

**Deadline: DECEMBER 8, 2022 by 5:00 PM EST**

This is the official Call for RIIG Award applications. We have 3 specific RIIG awards being given away:

**DISSERTATION AWARD  
EARLY CAREER INVESTIGATOR AWARD  
SENIOR INVESTIGATOR AWARD**

These awards are designed to recognize members of the MNRS *Physiology, Behavior, Genomics, & Society Research Section* who are in different stages of their careers. These section awards do not take the place of other awards given by the MNRS as an organization.

Nominations for these awards are due by December 8, 2022 EST online. Nominations may be made by a colleague or via self-nomination. Applicants will be notified of the RIIG Awards Committee decisions in January of 2023. RIIG awards will be presented at the RIIG meeting during the Annual Research Conference. Each awardee is strongly encouraged to be present to receive the award and will be invited to provide a brief presentation (roughly 5-10 minutes) of their research at the section meeting.

#### 1) DISSERTATION AWARD

**a) Purpose of the Award:** The Dissertation Award is awarded to a member who has received their doctoral degree within the past two years and who has an outstanding research/research application trajectory.

#### b) Criteria for the Award:

- Has earned a doctoral degree in nursing or related field.
- Has a publication, presentation, and funding record appropriate for career stage.
- Has a program of research with a high potential to enhance and implement nursing science in the new era.

#### c) Eligibility Requirements:

The applicant/nominee is a member of MNRS and member of the *Physiology, Behavior, Genomics, & Society RIIG*.

#### d) Submission Requirements:

- A letter of nomination (maximum of 2 pages on letterhead) submitted by a research colleague who is familiar with the applicant's research or via self-nomination that includes the following information:
  - o Nominee name, credentials and contact information.
  - o Description of meritorious achievement in relation to the above award criteria.
  - o Nominator's name, signature, and contact information (if applicable).
- Nominee's curriculum vitae.

## 2) EARLY CAREER INVESTIGATOR AWARD

**a) Purpose of the Award:** The Early Career Investigator Award is awarded to a member who has received their doctoral degree within the past five years and who has an outstanding research/research application trajectory.

### **b) Criteria for the Award:**

- Has earned a doctoral degree in nursing or related field.
- Has a publication, presentation, and funding record appropriate for career stage.
- Has a program of research with high potential for translation into practice and/or the ability to enhance and implement nursing science in the new era.

### **c) Eligibility Requirements:**

- The applicant/nominee is a member of MNRS and member of the *Physiology, Behavior, Genomics, & Society RIIG*.

### **d) Submission Requirements:**

- Nominee's curriculum vitae.
- A summary (maximum 2 pages on letterhead) of the nominee's merit for receiving the early career investigator award in relation to the above award criteria.
- A pdf version of the recent publication/s (1-2).

## 3) SENIOR INVESTIGATOR AWARD

**a) Purpose of the Award:** The Senior Investigator Award is awarded to a member who has received their doctoral degree within the past ten years & beyond; and who has made significant contributions in their field.

### **b) Criteria for the Award:**

- Has earned a doctoral degree in nursing or related field.
- Has a publication, presentation, and funding record appropriate for career stage.
- Has a program of research with significant evidence of contributions to nursing science.

### **c) Eligibility Requirements:**

- The applicant/nominee is a member of MNRS and member of the *Physiology, Behavior, Genomics, & Society RIIG*.

### **d) Submission Requirements:**

- Nominee's curriculum vitae.
- A summary (maximum 2 pages on letterhead) of the nominee's merit for receiving the senior investigator award in relation to the above award criteria.