Delta Lambda ($\Delta\Lambda$) Chapter Sigma Theta Tau ($\Sigma\theta T$) International

Criteria Joan Hrubetz Doctoral Student Award

- 1. <u>Purpose</u>: To recognize a student in the doctoral program, Saint Louis University School of Nursing for outstanding achievement in the areas of leadership, scholarship, research, and creativity in clinical practice.
- 2. <u>Funding:</u> To be budgeted by the Finance Committee and approved by the Executive Board.

3. Award Criteria

- A. Have completed a minimum of 18 credit hours in the doctoral program, exclusive of master degree credits.
- B. Be an active (per page 2 of Bylaws-a current dues paying member) Delta Lambda Chapter member.
- C. Demonstrate evidence of commitment to the ideals of Sigma Theta Tau International: leadership, scholarship, research, and creativity.
- D. Will not have defended the dissertation by the time of the award.

4. <u>Information to be Submitted</u>:

- A. Official copy of post-baccalaureate transcript(s).
- B. Two letters of support:
 - a. One letter from a Saint Louis University School of Nursing graduate faculty member.
 - b. One letter from a colleague familiar with the nominee's nursing practice.
 - c. Concise statement from the nominee describing how his/her professional achievements and career goals are consistent with the ideals of Sigma Theta Tau International: leadership, scholarship, research, and creativity.
 - d. The Awards Committee may request additional information.

5. Process:

- A. Faculty member familiar with the doctoral student will initiate the nomination.
- B. The faculty member will inform the doctoral student of the nomination, obtain his/her approval to continue the process, and provide the student with the appropriate forms.
- C. The nominating faculty member will submit one letter of support.
- D. The doctoral student will request the second letter of support from an individual of his/her choice familiar with the student's nursing practice, and will submit the remaining required documents.
- E. The Chapter Awards Committee will review the nominations, and the Committee will recommend a recipient to the Executive Committee. The Executive Committee may accept or reject the recommendation.
- F. The recipient will be notified prior to the Induction Ceremony.
- G. The Chairperson of the Awards Committee will announce recipient and present award at the Induction Ceremony.
- H. March 31 deadline for submission of proposals.

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Faculty Statement

Joan Hrubetz Doctoral Student Award

Name of Nominee:
Doctoral credit hours completed:
Expected date of graduation
Please provide a concise statement describing how the student's professional achievement and career goals are consistent with the following ideals of Sigma Theta Tau International:
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Scholarship:
Research:
Creativity:
Signature Date

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Colleague Statement

Joan Hrubetz Doctoral Student Award

Name of Nominee:
Doctoral credit hours completed:
Expected date of graduation
Please provide a concise statement describing how the student's professional achievements and career goals are consistent with the following ideals of Sigma Theta Tau International:
Leadership:
Scholarship:
Research:
Creativity:
Signature Date

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Sigma Theta Tau ($\Sigma \theta T$) International Nominee's Statement

Nominee's Statement Joan Hrubetz Doctoral Student Award

Name of Nominee:
Doctoral credit hours completed:
Expected date of graduation
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Leadership:
Scholarship:
Research:
<u>Creativity:</u>
Signature Date

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