

California State University Long Beach
Department of Nursing
Graduate Student Honors Award

Application

(Graduate Student Department Graduation Award)

If you would like to be considered for a nursing departmental graduate student honors award, please complete the following and submit it to the nursing office.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Mailing Address: _____
Street

City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Telephone Number (Home) _____ Work _____

Student ID: _____ Email address _____

Advancement to Candidacy approved: Yes ___ No ___

Anticipated graduation date (month and year) for Masters Degree: _____

**Graduate student must be eligible to participate in the May 2010 commencement ceremony. This would include those who will complete his/her thesis and graduate by the fall 2009, winter 2010, spring 2010 and Summer 2010 semesters.

PROCEDURE:

1. Names will be solicited from staff, faculty, and students.
2. Candidate applications are due Nov. 7, 2009.
3. Student Support and Development Committee will review applications and submit recommendations to Full Faculty for confirmation vote.
4. Students will be notified that their name will be put forward along with back-up materials to the Dean's Office to the college Commencement Coordinator by Mid March for consideration.
5. Name and the Department will be published in the Commencement Book and a certificate from the College will be provided for the Department to present to the individual at the May faculty meeting and the honors are noted on the student's transcripts.

Requirement for the Department Graduate Student Honors Award

Students must submit the following item for evaluation:

- _____ 1. A current resume that includes the following areas of contribution
(66 points total/ 22 points for a-c)
 - _____ a. Excellence in and contribution to the discipline, including outstanding seminar papers, artistic exhibitions, or special achievements in field work. (e.g. conducting/publishing research, and other scholarly or creative activities)
 - _____ b. Participation in University or Department committees and functions. (e.g. department clubs, student professional organizations, fraternities/sororities)
 - _____ c. Participated in scholarly and professional organizations resulting from student research. (e.g. professional presentations)
- _____ 2. At least one but not more than three letters of recommendation (one must be from faculty and one from a community leader or professional organization).
(15 points total/ 5 points each)
- _____ 3. A transcript, 3.75 cumulative GPA, (may be an unofficial copy or CMS printout)
(4 points total/ points correspond with the actual GPA).
- _____ Total points / 85

**Awards are restricted to graduate students who have not otherwise been recognized through the University or College awards.

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