

ACADEMY OF NUTRITION AND DIETETICS OUTSTANDING DIETETIC STUDENT AWARD CRITERIA AND PROCEDURES

The purpose of the outstanding student awards program is to recognize the emerging leadership and achievement of students in Academy Of Nutrition and Dietetics -accredited and approved dietetics education programs and encourage their participation in The Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics. A student from each type of education program within a state will be selected by each state association (a maximum of 4 per state).

In addition to publishing the list of outstanding students in the Journal, each awardee will receive a certificate signed by the President of The Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics and the Chair of the Council on Education.

Criteria for Selection of Outstanding Students

1. Member of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics. Students must be members by Jan. 1 of the year in which they would receive the award. Students must supply their membership number; membership identification numbers **will not** be provided to a third party (i.e. educators).
2. Student enrolled in CADA-accredited or approved dietetics education program (CP, DI, DPD, DT).
3. Demonstrated academic achievement as documented by letters from program faculty or preceptor.
4. Demonstrated leadership and professional potential; e.g., honors, student dietetic association activities, community service activities, etc.

Selection Procedure

1. Nominations will be solicited from program faculty or preceptors by the State Associations.
2. Complete responsibility for the selection of outstanding students rests with the State Associations. Coordinator is the CAND Awards Committee Chair. A maximum of one student from each type of dietetics education program within the state may be selected by each state (maximum 4). States may choose not to participate or to select fewer than the maximum number.
3. CAND Central Office will forward individual data sheets for each awardee to the Academy Of Nutrition and Dietetics education and accreditation staff by May 1

Award Procedure

1. A certificate and congratulatory letter will be sent to recipients from the Academy Of Nutrition and Dietetics President. If a State Association wishes to receive the certificates for presentation at a formal meeting, the Academy Of Nutrition and Dietetics Education staff must be notified of the meeting date in writing when data sheets are submitted. Certificates and letters will be sent to recipients in JUNE.
2. The list of outstanding students will be published in the September issue of the Journal.
3. Recipients will be invited to attend Academy Of Nutrition and Dietetics Annual Meeting to be recognized during the AND Business Meeting.

RECOMMENDATION LETTERS

Recommendations letter may be sent separately and should be emailed to candawards@dietitian.org, **Subject Line: LOR(+Nominee's Last name).**

It will be the application coordinators responsibility to insure CAND receives the recommendation letters by **10/23/2016**

AWARDS TO BE CONSIDERED

Please submit the application PACKET (form, letters, criteria for selection and cv if required), plus a picture (headshot) of the nominee in **ONE pdf file per nominee to candawards@dietitian.org by 10/23/2016. Subject Line: AP(+Nominees Last Name**

Email to: candawards@dietitian.org Deadline: 10/23/2016

**ACADEMY OF NUTRITION AND DIETETICS OUTSTANDING DIETETICS STUDENT
AWARDS
DATA SHEET SELECTION FOR 2017**

Submitted by: The California Academy of Nutrition and Dietetic

Complete and email to candawards@dietitian.org

**Submit name as you would like it to appear on a certificate should you be selected
Include three letters of recommendations
Include a picture (headshot) of nominee.**

Student Name: First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name	Credentials
Preferred Mailing Address		City	State Zip
AND MEMBER #	Day Time Phone Number	Email Address	

STUDENT'S CURRENT EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM(Please check one)

<input type="checkbox"/>	Coordinated Program	<input type="checkbox"/>	Dietetic Internship	<input type="checkbox"/>	Didactic Program in Dietetics	<input type="checkbox"/>	Dietetic Technician
Institution:				City		State:	

HONORS. (Academic and other)	Date

Briefly list student's achievements including: student dietetic association activities, community service activities, etc.

Application Coordinator:	
District or Committee:	Coordinator Email: