Society of PEDIATRIC PSYCHOLOGY
Division 54 of the American Psychological Association

**Wright Ross Salk Award for Distinguished Service in Pediatric Psychology**

***2027 SPP Awards of Distinction for Faculty and Staff***

In recognition of the early founders of pediatric psychology, this award honors outstanding service contributions to the Society of Pediatric Psychology or to the field of pediatric psychology generally. Examples of significant contributions include: leadership in SPP, public or political advocacy or leadership, significant and extensive prevention or intervention program development, implementations and dissemination, development and implementation of significant and influential service or training models, professional leadership in other professional or public organizations that benefit the field of pediatric psychology or substantial influential production of clinically oriented scholarship such as case studies and literature reviews

**Application**

Nomination Face Sheet

Nominee name:
Email:
Phone:

Name of person who completed the packet (if different than above):
Email:
Phone:

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**Instructions**

The Society of Pediatric Psychology invites applications for six faculty and staff awards. These awards recognize outstanding achievement across a range of professional activities. This is an important opportunity to recognize a deserving colleague or mentor.

The application and supporting materials are due **Monday, January 4th, 2027.**
Nominations should include and be limited to the following:

a. 2 nomination letters using a standardized recommendation form
b. The nominee's CV

Nominees for all awards must be members of SPP. Elected and appointed SPP Board of Directors members serving during the award year are not eligible for any of these awards. Board members rotating off at end of calendar year prior to the awards being announced are eligible.

**TO APPLY** – Email ONE pdf to info@pedpsych.org that contains all the collated nomination materials (2 nomination letters and nominee CV). Please title the PDF with nominee's name and award name, for example: "Joe Smith ROUTH EARLY CAREER AWARD.pdf."

Questions? Please contact info@pedpsych.org.

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**Nomination Letter 1**

Nominator Name:
Institution:
Position:
Contact information (email/phone):

Please complete the following (2 pages)

- Please comment on the extent of contribution this candidate has had in the following areas.
  - Leadership in SPP
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  - Development and implementation of significant and influential service or training models
  - Professional leadership in other professional or public organizations that benefit the field of pediatric psychology
  - Substantial influential production of clinically oriented scholarship such as case studies and literature reviews
- Describe the national and international impact this individual has made
- Describe how this person has inspired and/or impacted others
- Please include any other notable activities or qualities to support this person's nomination

In our efforts to reduce unconscious and conscious bias, be a more inclusive society, and to recognize the contributions of those who may not always be in the spotlight or traditional pipeline, we would like you to comment on the following.

- Did this candidate face challenges in obtaining his/her/their achievements? Think through privilege and how it opens doors- did this individual have to knock extra doors to get things done? Please comment.
- Describe how this person serves as a role model for others from nontraditional pathways or underrepresented groups.
- Describe how this candidate's work/achievement impacts SPP's commitment to inclusion, improving our diversity pipeline, reducing health disparities?
- How does this candidate's work fit with SPP mission, vision, and strategic plan?
- Are there other contributions/factors/considerations that make this person's achievements even more notable?

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**Nomination Letter 2**

Nominator Name:
Institution:
Position:
Contact information (email/phone):

Please complete the following (2 pages)

- Please comment on the extent of contribution this candidate has had in the following areas.
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