Council of Ontario University Programs in Nursing (COUPN)

Leading university nursing education and scholarship in Ontario

Award for Strategic Contribution to Nursing Education

Description of Award

This award recognizes an individual or group who contributes or has contributed significantly to the vision and mission of COUPN.

Eligibility

Any individual or group external to COUPN that has made a significant contribution to university nursing education or scholarship, and to the functioning and support of COUPN itself.

Criteria

The individual or group:

- Promotes or supports the advancement of nursing education and/or scholarship.
- Demonstrates a commitment to nursing education or scholarship.
- Is not an active member in a COUPN program.
- Individual candidates may or may not be a Registered Nurse.

Application/Nominations Process

Nominations for this award may be made by a member of a COUPN program. Self-nominations will not be accepted. All nominations must include:

- A nomination letter of no more than two pages outlining reasons for the nomination that address the aforementioned criteria.
- Two additional letters of support.
- Any additional relevant supporting documentation.
- Nomination letters must:
o Identify the nominee by name, title, credential, agency as relevant

o Include nominator and nominee contact information, including email address

Nomination letters and any supporting documentation as noted must be submitted to msmith@cou.ca by your Dean or Director's Office NO LATER THAN Monday, February 12, 2024. This is an extension from the previous Wednesday, January 31, 2024 deadline.