

Doctoral Student Dissemination Award Counsellor Educators and Supervisors (CES) Chapter

Purpose

The Counsellor Educators and Supervisors (CES) Chapter wishes to encourage those who are CCPA members and who are doctoral students to consider a career as a counsellor educator. The CES Chapter Dissemination Award for Doctoral Students is intended to assist these members achieve this goal by providing funding to assist students present their work at the CCPA annual conference.

Eligibility

Applicants must be (a) CCPA members in good standing, (b) a current doctoral student at an accredited university or a recent graduate of a doctoral program (i.e., no more than 12 months from the date of the conference), and (c) the first author on a session that has been accepted for presentation at the CCPA annual conference. The session may be in any format accepted by the conference (e.g., Education Session, Poster Session, Roundtable Session).

Applicants do not need to be members of the Counsellor Educators and Supervisors chapter. The work that the applicant will be presenting at the conference does not need to be their dissertation research.

Application Procedures

Applicants must submit the following documents:

- 1. A letter of acceptance from CCPA, confirming that the applicant has been accepted to present a session at the CCPA annual conference
- 2. A 250-word abstract of the session they will be presenting
- 3. A short letter (max. 1 page) outlining (a) the applicant's career goals and the relevance of their session to the counselling profession in Canada
- 4. A current curriculum vitae
- 5. A letter from a counsellor educator, confirming the applicant's status as a current or recently graduated doctoral student and recommending the applicant for this award

Application deadline: March 16, 2020

Evaluation Criteria

Applications will be evaluated on their overall merit including:

- 1. The scholarly merit of the session being presented
- 2. The relevance of their session to the counselling profession in Canada.
- 3. The strength of the applicant's interest and potential to pursue an academic career in counsellor education

Value

The award is valued at \$500. The award is presented to the winning applicant at the annual meeting of the Counsellor Educators and Supervisors Chapter, which is held at the CCPA conference. The award winner is encouraged to present an overview of their award-winning session at the annual meeting.

Applicants must submit their documents by email to the Counsellor Educators and Supervisors Chapter President. For the 2020 award, this is Leah B. Lewis (ccpanldirector@gmail.com).