2017 CSEB Award Nominations
Categories and Guidelines

Nominations Open: Thursday, February 2, 2017
Nominations Close: Thursday, April 13th, 2017

The Geoffrey R. Howe Outstanding Contribution Award
The purpose of this award is to recognize an outstanding contribution to epidemiological and/or biostatistical research and/or practice.

Eligibility:
- Any individual who has made an outstanding contribution at any stage of their career to their particular subject area leading to the advancement and/or promotion of epidemiology and/or biostatistics in Canada;
- CSEB membership is not a prerequisite for nomination.

Process/Format:
- By nomination or self-nomination;
- Individually evaluated by the Awards Committee.

Nomination:
- A completed nomination form (available here) and cover letter explaining the achievement of the nominee and why the nominee is deserving of the award must be received by the Award Selection Committee chairperson by the stated deadline;
- Upon notification of nomination by the Awards Committee, the Nominee must, in writing, approve their nomination, supply a current curriculum vitae to the Award Selection Committee chairperson, and acknowledge that he or she may be invited to deliver a speech at the awards session of the CSEB Biennial Conference should he or she receive the award.

Award:
- Glass plaque with CSEB logo;
- Permanent posting on CSEB website and announced through e-bulletin and CSEB Newsletter;
- Waived conference registration to attend the CSEB Biennial Conference.

CSEB Lifetime Achievement Award
The purpose of this award is to honour an individual who has dedicated their career, and has made extraordinary contributions over their lifetime, to the field of epidemiology or biostatistics in Canada.

Eligibility:
- Any individual who has made sustained contributions throughout their career to the field of epidemiology or biostatistics in Canada;
- CSEB membership is not a prerequisite for nomination, but sustained membership will be considered as a contribution to the field.

Process/Format:
- By nomination;
- Individually evaluated by the Awards Committee.
Nomination:
- A completed nomination form (available [here](#)) and cover letter explaining the achievement of the nominee and why the nominee is deserving of the award must be received by the Award Selection Committee chairperson by the stated deadline;
- Upon notification of nomination by the Awards Committee, the Nominee must, in writing, approve their nomination, supply a current curriculum vitae to the Award Selection Committee chairperson, and acknowledge that he or she may be invited to deliver a speech at the awards session of the CSEB Biennial Conference should he or she receive the award.

Award:
- Glass plaque with CSEB logo;
- Permanent posting on CSEB website and announced through e-bulletin and CSEB Newsletter;
- Waived conference registration to attend the CSEB Biennial Conference;
- A lifetime membership to the CSEB.

**CSEB Early Career Award**
This award is given to recognize a rising star in the field of epidemiology or biostatistics in Canada.

Eligibility:
- Any individual who is within five years of completing his or her highest degree and has already made substantial contributions to the field of epidemiology or biostatistics in Canada (if an individual falls outside of the eligibility period due to career interruptions related to childrearing, illness, or health-related family responsibilities, a justification may be submitted to explain why they should be considered to be in their early career);
- CSEB membership is not a prerequisite for nomination

Process/Format:
- By nomination or self-nomination;
- Individually evaluated by the Awards Committee.

Nomination:
- A completed nomination form (available [here](#)) and cover letter explaining the achievement of the nominee and why the nominee is deserving of the award must be received by the Award Selection Committee chairperson by the stated deadline;
- Upon notification of nomination by the Awards Committee, the Nominee must, in writing, approve their nomination, supply a current curriculum vitae to the Award Selection Committee chairperson, and acknowledge that he or she may be invited to deliver a speech at the awards session of the CSEB Biennial Conference should he or she receive the award.

Award:
- Glass plaque with CSEB logo;
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CSEB Distinguished Service Award
This award is established to recognize individuals who have made significant contributions to the Society.

Eligibility:
- Any individual who has made outstanding contributions to CSEB;
- Member of CSEB in good standing.

Process/Format:
- By nomination;
- Individually evaluated by the Awards Committee.

Nomination:
- A completed nomination form (available here) and cover letter explaining the achievement of the nominee and why the nominee is deserving of the award must be received by the Award Selection Committee chairperson by the stated deadline;
- Upon notification of nomination by the Awards Committee, the Nominee must, in writing, approve their nomination, supply a current curriculum vitae to the Award Selection Committee chairperson, and acknowledge that he or she may be invited to deliver a speech at the awards session of the CSEB Biennial Conference should he or she receive the award.

Award:
- Glass plaque with CSEB logo;
- Permanent posting on CSEB website and announced through e-bulletin and CSEB Newsletter;
- Waived conference registration to attend the CSEB Biennial Conference.

Frequency of Awards Process:
One award in each category every two years (only if a suitable candidate has been nominated);
To be awarded at CSEB Biennial Conference at the end of the conference by the CSEB President or designee.

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