

# 2012 Excellence in Mentorship Award



## Call for Nominations

In order to support and recognize outstanding individual achievements in the field of substance abuse mentoring, AMERSA will be presenting the annual *Excellence in Mentorship Award* at the 2012 AMERSA National Conference. The criteria and the nomination procedures for the Excellence in Mentorship Award are summarized below.

We invite you to nominate an individual from any discipline who has provided exceptional mentoring to you, resulting in your increased scholastic achievement and career advancement in the area of substance abuse education or research. Nominations are welcome *from AMERSA members* who are receiving or have received mentorship from such individuals.

To nominate someone for the award, you must complete a one-page form, including your name, the name of the nominee, and a description of how the nominee has assisted in your teaching and/or research achievements and helped to advance your academic career. You may attach abstracts, papers, or other documentary evidence and you must include your curriculum vitae and the nominee's curriculum vitae.

You may nominate an individual in one of two ways - either download the form from the website [www.amersa.org](http://www.amersa.org) and send electronically to [doreen@amersa.org](mailto:doreen@amersa.org) or via mail to the following address:

AMERSA National Office  
PO Box 20160  
Cranston, RI 02920

All nominations must be received by **May 1, 2012**. The AMERSA Mentorship Review Committee will review all nominations and present its selection to the Executive Committee for final approval. The nominee must agree to attend the AMERSA national meeting and receive the award in person. This award includes conference registration, a commemorative plaque, and travel expenses to the conference. Nominees will be informed of the Committee's decision by the first week of July.

For further information please contact:  
the AMERSA office at (401) 243-8460 or via e-mail [doreen@amersa.org](mailto:doreen@amersa.org)

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To nominate an individual for the Excellence in Mentorship Award please complete the following information and return to the AMERSA National Office by **May 1, 2012**.

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Institution and Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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Mentor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mentor's Institution and Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

On a separate sheet of paper, please write a brief description of how the nominee has assisted you in your teaching and/or research achievements in substance abuse and helped to advance your academic career. Please be specific and reference any abstracts, workshops, publications or other presentations in your CV. Also include a description of how the nominee has provided career guidance assistance to you. This essay should be written in 12-point font on a single page with 1 inch margins. Please be sure to attach your own CV and the nominee's CV.

Should you have any questions, please call the AMERSA National Office at (401) 243-8460. Please e-mail [doreen@amersa.org](mailto:doreen@amersa.org) or mail the completed forms, by **May 1, 2012** to:

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