



CAPA Awards: Call for Nominations 2018

Every year CAPA recognizes one or more of its members with one of two awards: the CAPA Honour Roll and the Tom Ashman Physician Assistant of the Year Award. CAPA in collaboration with the CPAEA also recognizes the role of educators by jointly awarding one outstanding individual the CPAEA/CAPA PA Educator award. Award recipients will be recognized at the Gala Dinner on Saturday October 20, 2018 at the CAPA Annual Conference in Victoria, British Columbia.

Tom Ashman Physician Assistant of the Year	
Recognizes	A current member of CAPA who has demonstrated a long-term commitment to furthering the PA professions in Canada
Criteria	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Must be a CAPA PA member in good standing <p>It is desirable that the individual have achieved a significant complement of the criteria listed below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Well recognized by members of the PA profession and others• Demonstrates long-term commitment to furthering the PA profession in Canada• A vocal advocate for the PA profession• Actively makes outreach to influential stakeholders, government and or others that can impact the advancement of the profession in Canada• Has engaged in an initiative that has raised awareness or helped the profession burgeon• A volunteer within their community <p><i>The CAPA board reserves the right to abstain from selecting an award recipient from the nominations/candidates put forward if they do not appropriately fulfill the criteria listed above.</i></p>
Who Can Be Nominated?	Current PA members of CAPA, excluding previous winners within the last 5 years CAPA Board Members cannot be nominated during their term.
Who Can Nominate?	Colleagues, co-workers, physicians, patients or friends Self-nomination by an individual is excluded
Evaluation of Nominations	Awards Committee will make a recommendation to the CAPA Board of Directors

Honour Roll

Recognizes

An individual for outstanding contribution to the promotion and development of the Canadian physician assistant profession in Canada

Criteria

- Well recognized by members of the PA profession and others
- Demonstrates a commitment to furthering the PA profession in Canada

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Who Can Be Nominated?

Anyone excluding previous winners of the award within the last 5 years

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Who Can Nominate?

Current members of CAPA

Self-nomination by an individual is excluded

Evaluation of Nominations

Awards Committee will make a recommendation to the CAPA Board of Directors

PA Educator

Recognizes

An individual who has made a significant impact on the education of PAs in Canada

Criteria

- The award recipient will be an individual who has been involved in teaching PA students, either clinically or academically. Some examples may include PA program faculty, clinical preceptors, guest facilitators, or course instructors. The award recipient may be a PA, a physician, or from another professional background.
- The criteria for the nomination are based upon the roles outlined in the CAPA National Competency Profile (CanMEDS-PA) and adapted to reflect the roles of a PA educator.

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Who Can Be Nominated?

PA program faculty, clinical preceptors, guest facilitators, or course instructors. This excludes previous winners of the award within the past 5 years.

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Who Can Nominate?

Current members of CAPA and CPAEA

Self-nomination by an individual is excluded

Evaluation of Nominations

Awards Committee will make an anonymous recommendation to the CAPA Board of Directors

If you wish to nominate someone please send a detailed submission to the CAPA Staff at admin@capa-acam.ca explaining why you feel the individual should be recognized. The deadline for submissions is June 30, 2018.