

**Nominations for the 2012  
Section of Women & Psychology (SWAP)  
Feminist Mentoring Award**

The purpose of the *SWAP Feminist Mentoring Award* is to recognize feminist supervisors who have promoted the advancement of their students through exceptional mentoring. Nominations are invited from students and recent graduates who wish to acknowledge a professor who promotes feminist scholarship, teaching, and practice and who has been pivotal to their graduate/post-graduate experience. Nomination letters should describe how the mentor has been outstanding in supporting, encouraging and promoting your feminist research and facilitating your (as well as other students') professional, personal, and career development.

**Nomination Criteria:**

- Graduate, post-graduate students and recent graduates are invited to submit a nomination.

**Nominations should include:**

- Cover page with students' and nominee's names, mailing and e-mail addresses, phone numbers, university, department, and program of study.
- 1-2 page letter describing:
  - How the nominee's mentoring enhanced your education, and professional and personal development (e.g., helped develop your talents, facilitated joint and single authored publications, acted as a role model, etc).
  - Explain your relationship with your nominee and how s/he has distinguished her/himself as a mentor for you.
  - Feel free to share specific stories and anecdotes as appropriate.
- Nomination letters from multiple students is encouraged.

**Submission deadline: April 13, 2012**

Please send submissions electronically to Jenna MacKay, *SWAP Graduate Student Representative*, at [jmackay1@connect.carleton.ca](mailto:jmackay1@connect.carleton.ca).

Winners will receive a plaque honouring their contributions. The award will be presented during the SWAP Annual General Meeting during the 2012 Canadian Psychological Association (CPA) Convention. Ideally student(s) and the nominee will be present.