**NURSE RESEARCHER OF THE YEAR**

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| **CRITERIA (Select one)** | **POINTS** | **BY APPLICANT** | **BY VALIDATOR** |
| 2 year membership | 2 |  |  |
| 3 -4 years membership | 4 |  |  |
| 5 – 6 years membership | 6 |  |  |
| 7 – 8 years of membership | 8 |  |  |
| 9+ years of membership | 10 |  |  |

Candidate #

(Instructions: Applicant must check selection as it applies and attach evidence (CV not considered). Validator must validate both selection and evidence.)

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| SCORE | MAXIMUM POINT S | CATEGORY III: NURSE RESEARCHER OF THE YEAR | REMARKS |
|  | **10** | **A. Nominee must be a paid member of PNASA/PNAA for at least two (2) years and in good standing.**  |  |
|  | **10** | **B. Must be currently practicing in a field of nursing preferably nursing research for at least three (3) years, currently licensed in the U.S. (R.N.)**

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| **CRITERIA (Select One)** | **POINTS** | **BY APPLICANT** | **BY VALIDATOR** |
| 3 years of research experience | 2 |  |  |
| 4 – 5 years of research experience | 4 |  |  |
| 6 – 7 years of research experience | 6 |  |  |
| 8- 9 years of research experience | 8 |  |  |
| 10+ years of research experience | 10 |  |  |

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|  | **30** | **C. Must be a principal or co-investigator of a completed study or project in a health care setting. A copy of abstract required for every research study.** |  |
|  | **30** | **D. Must have been recognized for significant contributions through research to the practice of nursing in general, and to PNASA/PNAA in particular within ten (10) years.** |  |
|  | **CRITERIA (Select all that applies)** | **POINTS** | **BY APPLICANT** | **BY VALIDATOR** |  |
| Certificate of appreciation in the local facility (2 points each) | Total Recognitions = Total Points = |  |  |
| Certificate of appreciation from local professional organization (2 points each) | Total Recognitions = Total Points = |  |  |
| Certificate of recognition from Affiliate Chapter (3 points each) | Total Recognitions = Total Points = |  |  |
| Certificate of recognition/award from PNAA (4 points each) | Total Recognitions = Total Points = |  |  |

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| Poster Presentation : 4 points each within the last 3 years | Total Poster= Total Points = |  |  |
| Poster Presentation: 2 point each within 4-5 years | Total Poster= Total Points = |  |  |
| Completed research study/grants10+ years ago(2 point each) | Total Studies= Total Points = |  |  |
| Completed research study/grants 7-9 years ago(4 point each) | Total Studies= Total Points = |  |  |
| Completed research study/grants 5-6 years ago(6 points each) | Total Studies= Total Points = |  |  |
| Completed research study/grants 3-4 years ago(8 points each) | Total Studies= Total Points = |  |  |
| Completed research study/grants 1-2 years ago(10 points each) | Total Studies= Total Points = |  |  |

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|  |  |  | Certificate of recognition for contributions with national impact in nursing (4 points each) | Total Recognitions = Total Points = |  |  |  |  |
| Certificate of recognition for contributions with international/global impact in nursing (5 points each) | Total Recognitions = Total Points = |  |  |
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|  | 20 | **E. Must maintain current practice through education, formal or contact hours.** |  |
| **Total** | Total100 | **Evaluator’s Name:** **Signature: Date:**  |

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| CRITERIA (Select One) | POINTS | BY APPLICANT | BY VALIDATOR |
| Annual Contact hour (1 point for every 5 contact hours. This must be current within the last 2 years). | 1 2 3 4 56 7 8 9 10 11 12 (12 points maximum) |  |  |
| Specialty certification must be active, i.e. CCRN, CPAN, etc. | 4 |  |  |
| Completed Master’s degree or currently enrolled | 4 |  |  |
| Completed doctoral program or currently enrolled | 5 |  |  |