

Sub-Committee	Dissertation Award
Accountable To	Awards Committee
Status	Standing Committee
Purpose/Mission	Tasked with encouraging submissions and reviewing nominations for SRA Dissertation Award.
Responsibilities/ Deliverables	 Solicit nominations for awards through the Society online news or other appropriate venues, evaluate and rank nominations, and select winners Work with SRA staff to ensure that information about the nomination process is adequately circulated through the above venues Tally votes among committee members to determine winners The Chairperson communicates the names of winners to the Awards Committee Chair, who is responsible for informing the winners and making necessary arrangements for presentation of awards at the biennial meeting.
Membership	Chair and Co-Chair will be nominated by the Awards Committee Chair and Co-Chair and voted on by the Executive Council. Membership shall be made up of volunteers selected by the Vice President of Programming and the Chair and Co-Chair of the Committee. Members shall be a mix of Emerging Scholars, mid-career, and seasoned-career individuals and include a diverse mix of race, gender, ethnicity, and region.
	There should be at least one member from each of the following specialties: • Psychology • Sociology • Family Studies • Interdisciplinary Studies
Term Length	2 years (renewable)
Time Commitment	Up to 5 hours per month (November – February) prior to Biennial Meeting
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