



This award will acknowledge someone who was a student in 2020 / 21 and whose essay or project enhances and stimulates innovation and quality outcomes in Social Work. To be eligible, the essay must have been completed, or the project undertaken, during the period 1 July 2020 to 30 June 2021.

Who can be nominated?

An undergraduate, Bachelor of Social Work or Master of Social Work student currently enrolled as a student or have graduated in 2020/2021.

Nominees must be a current financial student or new graduate member of the AASW.

Who can nominate a nominee?

Only Third-Party nominations will be considered. This includes academics who have supervised, reviewed or otherwise worked with the nominee. Nominators are encouraged to engage with the nominee directly in the submission process.

Terms and Conditions

Nominations will be made through a "call for nominations" announced by the AASW in September 2021.

The Award submission must have at its core either:

- A paper explaining the project, its objectives, parameters, methodology and conclusions, or
- An essay.

Nominations must be submitted through the AASW's designated submission process.

The Award Committee will consider all nominations based on the below Criteria.

The submission of the paper or essay will contribute 100% of the overall score for consideration of this Award.

The Award Committee will consider nominations that meet all eligibility and requirements.

The Award Committee reserves the right to decline nominations that do not meet the requirements outlined within this document or are not received by the submission deadline.



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Please complete the Nomination Form and return to ceo@asw.asn.au by no later than 5pm Friday 22 October 2021.

Third Party Nomination:

Name of proposer

Relationship to nominee

Current position and title

Employer/organisation

Contact number

Email address

If you have any questions regarding the nomination, please contact us via email at ceo@asw.asn.au

To support the criteria responses and provide supporting evidence, you may upload a maximum of ten single-page files. Acceptable formats are Word, PDF and JPEG and the maximum size for each file is 1 Mb.



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Criteria:

1. Provide the text from an essay or project paper that unequivocally contributes to high standards in quality outcomes for social work and has potential impact on social work practice beyond the local context.
(Maximum word limit: 2000 words/ Worth: 100 percent)



Other Required Information

2. Provide a 100-word overview that describes the student, including their qualifications and research interest. This short profile may be used for promotional purposes or at the Awards presentation. (Maximum word limit: 100 words / Worth: 0 percent)

3. When and where was this essay or project undertaken?
(Maximum word limit: 50 / Worth: 0 percent)

4. Provide a colour head and shoulder photograph of the nominee on a blank background. The image should be high resolution (preferably 300 dpi, no less than 2 Mb image) so that it can be used for print media and other promotions.
(Worth: 0 percent)

Nomination closing date:

Nominations must be submitted by 5pm AEDST on Friday 22 October 2021.
Nominations received after the closing date will not be considered.