

SAANZ Exceptional Service Award

The Exceptional Service award will be presented to a sociologist who is considered by the Executive to have provided an outstanding contribution to the advancement of sociology in Aotearoa New Zealand. Such contribution may include:

- A significant body of scholarship;
- Leadership or peer support of the sociology community;
- Exceptional teaching, pastoral care and/or student-support;
- Contributions to public analysis and debate; and/or
- Working with communities to enhance the wellbeing of Aotearoa

The winner of the award will be announced during the annual SAANZ Conference. There is an expectation, but not a requirement, that the nominee will be present to receive the reward. The prize for the winner of the award is a citation from SAANZ and a gift to the value of \$300.

Criteria

 The sole criteria for the Award shall be that, in the opinion of the SAANZ Executive Committee, the nature of the contribution being recognised demonstrates outstanding service to the discipline

Eligibility

 The award is open to any sociologist who has made a significant contribution to New Zealand sociology

Nomination Procedure

- The call for nominations will be made in May in any year in which the prize is to be awarded
- The call for nominations and the closing date will be posted on the SAANZ website and distributed via the fortnightly e-newsletter
- Nominations can be made by any individual, organisation, or department
- The closing date for nominations will be July 31st of that year
- A Nomination Form must be completed; Nominations are to include a statement of not more than one A4 page, outlining the candidate's contribution to sociology
- Considerations will remain confidential until after the closing date for entries
- The Executive Committee can decide not to award a prize in any given year

Download the SAANZ Exceptional Service Award Nomination Form Here