

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS



2012 SCUP K.C. PARSONS FOUNDERS' AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED ACHIEVEMENT IN HIGHER EDUCATION PLANNING

BACKGROUND

This award recognizes exceptional achievement in higher education planning which may include broader areas of management and administration. Recipients are selected on the basis of innovative contributions to the improvement of the theory and practice of academic, budget and resource, and facilities planning with a special emphasis on planning which integrates one or more of these areas at colleges and universities. Individuals, teams, departments, institutions or professional firms will all be considered.

The award is named after K.C. Parsons, charter member of SCUP and SCUP's first president from 1966–68. His work always focused on contributing to the whole of the community or humanity. He measured his success by the positive impact his work had on the people using the space or facility that he helped plan. He was considered a true academician, an investigator and a good listener. He said that planning was not the key, but that the end result was what was most important. A strong proponent of mentoring, he always encouraged people to do what they do well.

The recipient is recognized at SCUP's Annual, International Conference and Idea Marketplace held every July. SCUP-47 will be held in Chicago, Illinois, July 7–11, 2012.

PREVIOUS RECIPIENTS

George R. Boggs, David E. Hollowell, M. Perry Chapman, Rodney Rose, O. Robert Simha, Arthur J. Lidsky, Patrick O'Meara, John D. (Jack) Telfer, Dennis P. Jones, Harlan D. Bareither, Clark Kerr, Frederick W. Mayer, Jack E. Robinson, William F. Massy, Hideo Sasaki, Lyman A. Glenny, Richard P. Dober, Marvin W. Peterson, Robert C. Shirley, Thomas R. Mason, George C. Keller, Clinton N. Hewitt, Jack E. Freeman, Raymond M. Haas.

GUIDELINES

- Previous receipt of SCUP's Distinguished Service Award neither ensures nor precludes receipt of the Founders' Award.
- Individuals currently serving in a SCUP leadership position or on SCUP's Board of Directors are ineligible for consideration while serving.
- Nominations are retained for a two-year period.
- Nominations must be made by someone outside of the individual's firm or institution.
- Nomination is limited to 10 pages total for all materials including supporting letters and attachments.
- The recipient will be given the opportunity to present a 60-minute concurrent session at SCUP-47 and will receive one complimentary registration.

2012 AWARD SCHEDULE

Nominations must be received in the SCUP office by close of business or emailed by 11:59 PM EST on January 20, 2012. Winners will be notified by April 2, 2012.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT

Society for College and University Planning
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APPLICATION FORM: PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION, RESPOND TO THE SEVEN QUESTIONS, AND INCLUDE THE ATTACHMENTS.

NOMINEE

Name _____ Title _____

Organization _____

Address _____

City/State/Province/Zip/Postal Code _____

Phone/Fax/Email _____

NOMINATOR

Name _____ Title _____

Organization _____

Address _____

City/State/Province/Zip/Postal Code _____

Phone/Fax/Email _____

INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION

1. Explain your relationship to nominee.
2. Statement (not from nominee) addressing nominees' contribution to higher education planning, theory and practice (200 word limit).
3. How has the nominee contributed either nationally or internationally to higher education planning? These contributions should have had a broad impact, beyond one institution or one specific area of planning (200 word limit).
4. What innovative contributions has the nominee made? Specify the areas of planning (academic, budget and resource, and/or facility) and emphasize any contributions toward the integration of more than one area of institutional planning (200 word limit).
5. How has the nominee raised the standard of planning theory or practice in a broad context? (200 word limit)
6. Cite at least two ways the nominee's work has given back to the larger campus community (200 word limit).
7. Cite at least two examples of the nominee's mentoring history (200 word limit).

ATTACHMENTS

- Reference letter (no more than three) from an institution in support of the nominee. You may scan these letters and attach them electronically.
- List of publications, presentations and other contributions (include titles and dates) the nominee has made to the body of knowledge about institutional planning, theory and practice.
- Contributing employment history (including dates and positions held). This is especially important for individuals who have moved between institution and professional consultant positions.