



Nominations & Applications Now Accepted

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The American Art Therapy Association (AATA) is now accepting nominations for annual Honors Awards as well as Volunteer Officers and Directors of the Board. The AATA is also currently accepting applications for annual scholarships.

Honors Awards Nominations:

The AATA's Honors Working Group is accepting nominations for Honors Awards. Professional members of the Association may nominate art therapists to be considered for these prestigious awards that honor their outstanding contributions to the AATA, the art therapy profession, art therapy education, and clinical work. The Honors Working Group encourages all Professional Members to review the award categories and nominate colleagues that best fit the description for each respective award. Please keep in mind that submitted nomination packets should include the [Official Honors Nomination Form and full supporting documents as described on MyAATA](#). Questions should be directed to the honorschair@arttherapy.org. Materials for these annual awards will be accepted until **May 18, 2018** in the following categories:

- Honorary Life Member Award (HLM)
- Distinguished Clinician Award (DCA)
 - DCA award will be given in one of the following categories:*
 - Adult Services
 - Adolescent Services
 - Child Services
 - Family Services
 - General Services
- Distinguished Educator Award (DEA)
- Distinguished Service Award (DSA)
- Jim Consoli Video/Film Award (JCA)
- Rudolph Arnheim Award (RAA)
- Other Award

Volunteer Officers and Directors of the Board Nominations:

AATA's Nominating Committee invites self-nominations and nominations of colleagues from across AATA's community to a two-year elected position (2018-2020). [To download the full nomination guidelines and to view the Nomination Form and Candidate Application, please log into MyAATA](#). **Nominations must be received by June 1, 2018.** The following positions will be elected this year:

- Treasurer (1)
- Speaker, Assembly of Chapters (1)

- Board of Directors (3)
- Nominating Committee (1)

Scholarships Applications:

The AATA and its generous donors provide annual scholarships which are presented at a special ceremony during the Annual Conference to encourage the growth of the profession by rewarding excellence and enabling access to information and resources for the members who are selected as recipients of these highly competitive awards. If you are interested in submitting an application for any scholarship, please see MyAATA for more information and to download full application materials. **All scholarship applications and materials must be received by June 1, 2018.** The following scholarships are now available for the 2018 scholarship season:

- Pearlie Roberson Annual Scholarship Award
- American Art Therapy Association Anniversary Scholarship Fund
- Myra Levick Scholarship Fund
- Rawley Silver Award for Excellence
- Cay Drachnik Minorities Fund
- Prasad Family Foundation – International Student Scholarship
- Student Scholarship to the American Art Therapy Association Annual Conference
- New Professional Scholarship to the American Art Therapy Association Annual Conference

Any questions or concerns may be directed to the National Office (info@arttherapy.org).



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