

NCFR Awards for Students and New Professionals (SNPs)*

SPONSOR	AWARD	CRITERIA	PROCESS
NCFR	<i>Cindy Winter Scholarship Award – (D)</i> (Odd years) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$250 cash award Up to \$125 for NCFR Annual Conference registration Plaque 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Student or new professional NCFR member at least one full year and current member Shows potential for leadership excellence within NCFR Demonstrate outstanding leadership/service in Family Science related field 	Applicants can self-nominate or be nominated and must provide supporting materials. Nomination should include a letter explaining what leadership qualities have been demonstrated within NCFR. Awarded in the odd years. May 1 deadline
	<i>NCFR Student Award – (D)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$500 cash award Plaque 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enrolled in graduate program NCFR member at least one year Work shows promise of significant contribution to Family Science 	Applicants must be nominated by their professor(s) and provide supporting materials. May 1 deadline
	<i>Ruth Jewson Award – (D)</i> (Even years) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$500 for dissertation support Plaque 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Doctoral candidate NCFR member at least six months and current member Best Family Science dissertation proposal 	Applicants must submit proposal & supporting materials. May 1 deadline
Affiliate Councils	<i>Affiliate Grant – (ND)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Up to \$300 to support an activity or project 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Student and state/regional affiliates can apply Special project or activity that the grant would support and purpose of the project 	Student and state/regional affiliates invited to apply. June 1 deadline
	<i>President-For-A-Day Award – (ND)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$500 conference travel stipend Plaque Shadow Board President 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supported and furthered NCFR’s mission through conference volunteering or year-round service opportunities Member for one full year prior to applying 	Submit an application and typed statement in response to a statement provided by the Affiliate Councils June 1: Application deadline. July 31: The winner is notified by this date
Advancing Family Science Section	<i>Wesley Burr Student Scholarship Award – (ND)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$200 cash award – graduate \$200 cash award - undergraduate Plaque 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Student at the time of applying. Member of NCFR and AFS Section Awarded to highest submission score 	Paper and poster submissions will be accepted. June 1st deadline

Family and Community Education Section	<i>Student Proposal Award – (ND)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Three \$200 travel awards • Up to \$95 for NCFR Conference registration 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduate or undergraduate student • Top three proposals submitted to section • Member of NCFR and EE Section 	All student members of NCFR who submit proposals as first authors to the EE Section will be considered. June 1 st deadline. July 31: The winner is notified by this date
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Racial and Ethnic Diversity In Families Section	<i>John L. and Harriette P. McAdoo Dissertation Award (Even Years) – (D)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$450 for dissertation completion (\$225 in even year/\$225 in odd year) • Plaque 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Doctoral candidates who have completed the requirements to begin the dissertation process • Candidate’s work should use familial relationships as the primary focus • Present dissertation implications at an EM concurrent session (odd years) • Member of NCFR and EM Section 	<p>Applicants must submit a dissertation proposal summary that includes the research focus, research hypotheses and/or questions, and relevance to ethnic minority issues and other materials. May 1 deadline</p> <p>July 31: Winner notified</p>
	<i>SNP Best Paper Award – (ND)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One student award & one NP Award • \$150 cash award • Certificate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student and new professional (SNP) proposals that are accepted for conference presentation • Proposal must relate to ethnic minority families • Member of NCFR and EM Section 	<p>All SNP proposals that are accepted for conference presentation in the EM Section will be considered for the award. June 1st deadline.</p> <p>July 31: Winner notified</p>
Families and Health Section	<i>Outstanding SNP Paper Award – (ND)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$200 cash award • Plaque 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student seeking a degree in human development, family studies, family sciences, nursing, public health, psychology, sociology, or related field • New professional who has graduated in a field of study related to NCFR’s mission and working in the field less than five years • Membership in NCFR and FH Section 	<p>Only scholarly papers will be considered. Scholarly papers are considered research, professional review, theoretical development or critique, or presentation of new methodology papers. June 1st deadline.</p> <p>August 15: Winner notified</p>
	<i>Outstanding SNP Poster Award – (ND)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$200 cash award • One Year of Section Membership • Plaque 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Undergraduate or master’s degree student who is seeking a degree in family studies, family sciences, human development, public health, nursing, psychology, sociology, or related field, or • Ph.D. student or new professional who is seeking a degree or has graduated in a field of study related to NCFR’s mission and worked in the field for less than five years • Membership in NCFR and FH Section 	<p>Only first authors on posters are considered. October 1 deadline.</p>

	<p><i>Outstanding SNP Poster Award – (ND)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$200 cash award • One year of section membership • Plaque 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • an undergraduate or master’s student who is seeking a degree in Family Science, family sciences, human development, public health, nursing, psychology, sociology, or related field; and • a current member of NCFR and the FH Section. Not a section member yet? Joining is easy! Login to my.ncfr.org and click <i>Join Additional Sections</i>. • 	<p>October 2nd Deadline</p>
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Family Policy Section Family Policy Section	Harold and Margaret Feldman – (D) <i>Feldman Internship Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$250 award Certificate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students or new professionals NCFR and FP Section member Designed for individuals currently enrolled in or accepted for an internship Preference given to applicants who are completing masters’ or doctors’ degrees, and to those whose activities have the potential for impacting research and practice in family policy 	Applicants must submit a letter of interest and supporting materials. Also, a letter of verification from the internship site. May 1 st deadline. July 31 Winner is notified
	Harold and Margaret Feldman – (D) <i>Feldman Best Conference Proposal Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$250 Award Certificate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students or new professionals who have had posters or papers accepted by the FP Section for the NCFR Annual Conference NCFR and section member 	These awards are available only if there are no qualified applicants for the internship award. Applicants must submit a letter of interest and supporting materials. May 1 st deadline.
	Harold and Margaret Feldman Award – (D) <i>Feldman Outstanding Research Proposal for Research in Family Policy</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$250 Award A plaque 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Graduate students or new professionals who plan on conducting research on family policy issues or that have family policy implications. Member of NCFR and FP Section 	An abstract of 100 words or less describing the proposed research project. May 1 st Deadline July 31 winner notified
Family Therapy Section	<i>Best Poster Award – (ND)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One \$125 cash award – student One \$125 cash award – new professional Certificates 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students or new professionals within three years of graduation Member of NCFR and FT Section First author on poster submitted Must present poster at the conference 	Upon acceptance of posters for presentation, students and new professionals will be contacted by a section representative and invited to apply for the award. Applicants’ posters are judged at the conference. October 1 st deadline
	<i>Best Paper Award – (ND)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One \$250 cash award – student One \$250 cash award – new professional Certificates 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students or new professionals within three years of graduation Member of NCFR and FT Section First author on paper submitted Must present paper at the conference 	Upon acceptance of paper for presentation, students are contacted by a section representative and invited to submit full papers for award consideration. October 1 st deadline
Feminism and Family Studies Section	<i>Jessie Bernard Outstanding Research Proposal from a Feminist Perspective Award – (D)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$750 to fund feminist research 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Graduate students or new professionals with up to five years post-doctoral work Proposal must contribute to feminist scholarship about families and use feminist 	Applicants must submit proposal and other supporting materials. Proposals undergo a blind peer-review process. May 15 deadline

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Up to \$350 travel funds • Up to \$95 towards NCFR Annual Conference registration • Plaque • Expected to present at NCFR Annual Conference 	frameworks and methods	July 31 winner notified
Feminism and Family Studies Section	<p><i>Jessie Bernard Outstanding Contribution to Feminist Scholarship Paper Award – (D)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complimentary books • Up to \$350 travel funds • Up to \$95 towards NCFR Annual Conference registration • Plaque • Summary of the recipient’s research results will be published in the FF Section newsletter 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduate students or new professionals with up to five years post-doctoral work • Must be sole or first author • Paper must contribute to feminist scholarship about families and the use of feminist frameworks and methods • Published and unpublished papers are considered, but papers should be at near-submission status 	<p>Applicants must submit paper and abstract. Papers undergo a peer-review process. May 15 deadline</p> <p>July 31 Winner notified</p>
International Section	<p><i>SNP Travel Scholarships – (ND)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two scholarships of \$250 each • Award is offered only if funds are available 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be an international student, new professional, or faculty member/researcher attendee at the NCFR Annual Conference. • International is defined as NOT being a current resident of the United States or Canada 	<p>Contact International Section chair before applying. June 15 deadline</p> <p>July 31 Winner notified</p>
Religion, Spirituality, and Family Section	<p><i>Student/New Professional Outstanding Paper Award – (ND)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$200 Cash award • Plaque 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A student who is seeking a degree in human development, family studies, family sciences, health, psychology, sociology or related field • A new professional working in the field for less than 5 years 	Selection of the outstanding paper is based on the ratings that emerge as a result of the peer review process of paper submissions to the NCFR Annual Conference through the RF Section. June 1st deadline
Research and Theory	<p><i>Best Abstract by a SNP Award – (ND)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$200 cash award • Plaque 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students or new professionals • Highest rated proposal submitted to section • Member of NCFR and RT Section 	June 1 st deadline
Issues in Aging Focus Group	<p><i>Issues in Aging Focus Group Award-SNP – (ND)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certificate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognizes and promotes exceptional scholarly work related to issues in aging 	June 1 st deadline

		among family scholars	
Latino(a) Research Focus Group	<i>Best Student Paper Award – (ND)</i> • Certificate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognizes work done by students as it relates to Latino research 	June 15 th deadline
Latino(a) Research Focus Group	<i>Best Student Poster Award – (ND)</i> • Certificate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognizes work done by students as it relates to Latino research 	June 15 th deadline
Men in Families Focus Group	<i>Best New Professional Research Article Award – (ND)</i> • Plaque	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Intended to honor a peer-reviewed journal publication on men in families that is innovative and that advances the field. One author must be member of NCFR 	June 1 st deadline
Military Families and Children Focus Group	<i>Outstanding SNP Proposal Award (ND)</i> • Certificate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The first author must be a Student or New Professional The first author must be a member of NCFR 	All proposals with a military family focus accepted into the NCFR Annual Conference will be reviewed for this award.
TCRM	<i>Best Student/Early Career Presentation Award (ND)</i> • \$250 cash award • Certificate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students or new professionals within five years of receiving their Ph.D.s First authors on TCRM presentations 	All papers submitted for presentation at the annual TCRM workshop by a student or early career professional as a first author will be considered June 1 st deadline
Korean Families Focus Group	<i>Outstanding Student Proposal Award/Outstanding Professional Proposal Award</i> • Certificate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> the first author must be a master or doctoral student at the time of proposal submission. For the outstanding professional proposal award, the first author must have a doctoral degree at the time of proposal submission. 	August 31: The winner of each award will be notified by this date.
Family Financial Well-Being FG	<i>Best Student Paper Award</i> • Certificate	The student or new professional must be a member of NCFR. • The scholarship must have started while the award recipient was enrolled as an undergraduate or graduate student. • Consideration should be given to the number of publications, research quality, and order of authorship. In situations where peer-reviewed publications cannot be used to make an award, consideration may be made for other types of scholarship that are expected to contribute to future publications such as grant activity, NCFR presentations, significant data collection, or exceptional work in student honors papers, theses, or	June 1: Nomination Deadline July 31: Winner notified

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*NCFR defines *students* as individuals enrolled full-time in an institution of higher learning and *new professionals* as individuals who are no more than three years beyond their most recent degree.

D – Designated Award

ND – Non-Designated Award
