

**NCFR Awards for Students/New Professionals (S/NPs)\***  
 For more information, contact the section S/NP representative.

<b>SPONSOR</b>	<b>AWARD</b>	<b>CRITERIA</b>	<b>PROCESS</b>
NCFR	<i>Cindy Winter Scholarship Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$1,000 cash award</li> <li>• Free conference registration</li> <li>• Plaque</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Student or new professional</li> <li>• NCFR member at least 1 full year</li> <li>• Demonstrate outstanding leadership or service in a family-related field</li> </ul>	Applicants can self-nominate or be nominated & must provide supporting materials. Awarded in the odd years. (April deadline)
	<i>NCFR Student Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$1,000 cash award</li> <li>• \$750 travel allowance to conference</li> <li>• A plaque</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Graduate student</li> <li>• NCFR member at least 1 year</li> <li>• Work shows promise of significant contribution to family studies</li> </ul>	Applicants must be nominated by their professor(s) & provide supporting materials. (April deadline)
	<i>Ruth Hathaway Jewson Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$2,500 for dissertation support</li> <li>• \$750 travel allowance to conference</li> <li>• A plaque</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Doctoral candidate</li> <li>• NCFR member at least 6 months</li> <li>• Best family studies dissertation proposal</li> </ul>	Applicants must submit proposal & supporting materials. (April deadline)
	<i>NCFR Honor Student Recognition</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Stole/Honor Cord</li> <li>• Certificate of Recognition</li> <li>• Recognition in the <i>Report</i> and at the NCFR Annual Conference</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Awarded to graduate and undergraduate students</li> <li>• Outstanding and enduring contributions to the field of family science in the areas of Scholarship (3.5 GPA), Leadership, and Community Service.</li> <li>• Must be a member of NCFR</li> </ul>	Application form and \$30 application fee. Copy of current resume/vita and recommendation form from a faculty member, department chair, or employer. Deadlines: February 1, April 1 or September 15.
Affiliate Councils	<i>Outstanding Student Research Paper (Graduate)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$500 cash award</li> <li>• A plaque</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Graduate student</li> <li>• Member of an affiliate council</li> <li>• Expected to present paper at NCFR</li> </ul>	Graduate & undergraduate applicants are nominated by active affiliates. (April deadline)
	<i>Outstanding Student Research Paper (Undergrad)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$100 cash award</li> <li>• Certificate</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Undergraduate student</li> <li>• Member of an affiliate council</li> </ul>	
Education & Enrichment Section	<i>Student Proposal Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Three \$200 travel awards</li> <li>• Registration to Annual Conference</li> <li>• Certificates</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Graduate or undergraduate student</li> <li>• Top 3 proposals submitted to section</li> </ul>	S/NP Selects 3 winners from proposal ratings. Reports to Executive Board
Ethnic Minorities Section	<i>John L. McAdoo Dissertation Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$1,000 for dissertation completion</li> <li>• A plaque</li> <li>• Must present at next NCFR</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dissertation must focus on issues related to ethnic minority families</li> </ul>	Applicants must submit packet of supporting materials. (April deadline)

Ethnic Minorities Section	<i>S/NP Best Paper Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$300.00</li> <li>Certificate</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Student or new professional</li> <li>Active NCFR &amp; section member</li> <li>Paper submitted to &amp; accepted by section</li> </ul>	
Family & Health Section	<i>Outstanding S/NP Paper Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$200 cash award</li> <li>Certificate</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Student or new professional</li> <li>Active NCFR &amp; section member</li> <li>Paper submitted to &amp; accepted by section</li> </ul>	Applicants must submit paper & supporting materials. (October deadline)
Family Policy Section	Harold & Margaret Feldman <i>Internship Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$500 award</li> <li>Certificate</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Student or new professional</li> <li>NCFR &amp; section member</li> <li>Involved in policy-oriented intern/research</li> <li>Preference given to those who have secured a policy-oriented internship that lasts for at least one academic semester</li> </ul>	Applicants must submit a letter of interest & supporting materials. (September deadline)
	<i>S/NP Travel Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$500 Award</li> <li>Certificate</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Student or new professional</li> <li>NCFR &amp; section member</li> <li>Have poster/paper accepted by section</li> <li>Preference given to those nearing the completion of their graduate program &amp; displaying a genuine research interest in family policy</li> </ul>	These awards are available only if there are no qualified applicants for the internship award. Applicants must submit a letter of interest & supporting materials. (September deadline)
	Harold & Margaret Feldman Award <i>Outstanding Research Proposal for Research in Family Policy</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>\$500 Award</li> <li>A plaque</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>	
Family Science Section	<i>Wesley Burr Student Paper Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cash award (amount varies)</li> <li>Plaque</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Student</li> <li>First author on paper/poster submitted to section</li> <li>Paper submitted to and accepted by section</li> </ul>	Upon acceptance of paper/poster for presentation, students will be invited to submit a completed paper and supporting documents which will undergo a blind judging process.
Family Therapy Section	<i>Best Poster Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One \$125 cash award – Student</li> <li>One \$125 cash award – NP</li> <li>Certificates</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Student</li> <li>NCFR member</li> <li>First author on poster submitted to section</li> <li>Must present poster at the conference</li> </ul>	Upon acceptance of poster for presentation, students will be reviewed onsite at the conference by the selection committee.
	<i>Best Paper Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One \$500 cash award – Student</li> <li>One \$500 cash award – NP</li> <li>Certificates</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Student</li> <li>NCFR member when proposal is submitted</li> <li>First author on paper submitted to section</li> <li>Must present paper at the conference</li> <li>NP within two years of graduation</li> </ul>	Upon acceptance of paper for presentation, students will be contacted by a section rep & invited to submit full papers for award consideration. (September deadline)

Feminism & Family Studies Section	<i>Jessie Bernard Outstanding Research Proposal from a Feminist Perspective Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$750 to fund feminist research</li> <li>• \$350 travel funds</li> <li>• A plaque</li> <li>• Summary published in newsletter</li> <li>• Asked to present at next NCFR</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Graduate student or new professional</li> <li>• Proposal must contribute to feminist scholarship about families &amp; use feminist frameworks &amp; methods</li> </ul>	Applicants must submit proposal & other supporting materials. Proposals undergo a blind peer-review process. (April deadline)
	<i>Jessie Bernard Outstanding Contribution to Feminist Scholarship Paper Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$250 cash award</li> <li>• Complimentary books</li> <li>• \$350 travel funds</li> <li>• A plaque</li> <li>• Summary published in newsletter</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Graduate student or new professional</li> <li>• Must be sole or first author</li> <li>• Paper must contribute to feminist scholarship about families &amp; the use of feminist frameworks &amp; methods</li> <li>• Published &amp; unpublished papers are considered, but papers should be at near-submission status</li> </ul>	Applicants must submit paper & abstract. Papers undergo a peer-review process. (April deadline)
International Section	No awards given at this time.		
Religion & Family Life Section	<i>Best Paper Award – Not S/NP Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$250 cash award</li> <li>• A plaque</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Contact the Section for details.</li> </ul>	
	<i>Student/New Professional Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$250 cash award</li> <li>• A plaque</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Contact the Section for details.</li> </ul>	
Research & Theory	<i>Best Abstract by a S/NP Award</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$200 cash award</li> <li>• A plaque</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Student or new professional</li> <li>• Highest rated proposal submitted to section</li> </ul>	

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

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