Canadian Neurosurgical Society (CNSS)



CNSS LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD (the Charles Drake Medal) TERMS OF REFERENCE

Award Information	Details
Purpose of Award	To recognize a senior neurosurgeon for their internationally recognized work in the field of neurosurgery and participation in the development of neurosurgery research and education in Canada
Number of Awards	One
How to Submit	All materials to be submitted as PDF files to Donna Irvin < Donna-Irvin@cnsf.org >
Application Deadline	January 31 st of each year
Award Notification	At least 6 weeks prior to Annual Scientific Meeting
Award Presentation	At CNSS Annual Dinner
Award Amount	Up to \$1500 in travel expenses to attend Annual CNSF Scientific Meeting; Drake Medal with Desk Clock with recipient's name on both; Recipient's name posted on CNSS & CNSF websites.
Award Criteria	Excellence in any area(s) of Canadian neurosurgery
Eligibility Criteria:	
CNSS Membership Required	Yes, current or prior membership at the Full, Associate or Retired level.
Canadian Medical License Required	No
Canadian Residence Required	No
Academic Rank Required	No
Application Required	No, but must agree to be nominated
Nomination Required	Yes
Letter of Support Required	Yes
Curriculum Vitae Required	Yes, in any Format
Brief Bio Required	Yes, outlining career contributions and achievements in the field
Previous Winners Excluded	Yes
Queries	Donna Irvin < <u>Donna-Irvin@cnsf.org</u> >

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