Doctoral Student Dissemination Award
Counsellor Educator Chapter

Purpose
The Counsellor Educator (CE) Chapter wishes to encourage who are CCPA members who are doctoral students to consider a career as a counsellor educator. The CE Chapter Dissemination Award for Doctoral Students is intended to assist these members achieve this goal by providing funding to assist students present their work at the CCPA annual conference.

Eligibility
Applicants must be (a) CCPA members in good standing, (b) a current doctoral student at an accredited university or a recent graduate of a doctoral program (i.e., no more than 12 months from the date of the conference), and (c) the first author on a session that has been accepted for presentation at the CCPA annual conference. The session may be in any format accepted by the conference (e.g., Education Session, Poster Session, Roundtable Session).

Applicants do not need to be members of the Counsellor Educator chapter. The work that the applicant will be presenting at the conference does not need to be their dissertation research.

Application Procedures
Applicants must submit the following documents:
1. A letter of acceptance from CCPA, confirming that the applicant has been accepted to present a session at the CCPA annual conference
2. A 250-word abstract of the session they will be presenting
3. A short letter (max. 1 page) outlining (a) the applicant’s career goals and the relevance of their session to the counselling profession in Canada
4. A current curriculum vitae
5. A letter from a counsellor educator, confirming the applicant’s status as a current or recently graduated doctoral student and recommending the applicant for this award

Application deadline: 15th January

Evaluation Criteria
Applications will be evaluated on their overall merit including:
1. The scholarly merit of the session being presented
2. The relevance of their session to the counselling profession in Canada.
3. The strength of the applicant’s interest and potential to pursue an academic career in counsellor education

Value
The award is valued at $500. The award is presented to the winning applicant at the annual meeting of the Counsellor Educator Chapter, which is held at the CCPA conference. The award winner is encouraged to present an overview of their award-winning session at the annual meeting.

Applicants must submit their documents by email to the Counsellor Educator Chapter President. For the 2017 award, this is Jeffrey Landine, jlandine@unb.ca.