SLANZA Award of Excellence: Promotion of the School Library

Description of the award.

Recipients will demonstrate success in significantly raising the profile of the library in their school by providing innovative programmes.

Recipient Eligibility

- May be awarded to more than one member each year.
- Nominees must have been members of SLANZA for at least two consecutive years.
- May be awarded more than once to the same member for different achievements.
- The achievement being recognised must have taken place within the previous three years.

Criteria

The successful recipient will:

- Provide evidence of how they use new ideas and innovative approaches to raise the profile of their library within their school.
- Provide evidence of how their school library successfully contributes to the teaching and learning in the school.
- Provide evidence of how they share their new ideas or innovative approaches with the wider school library community.

Process

- The closing date for nominations is Monday 4th September 2023
- The nominee's suitability will be assessed by the SLANZA Awards Committee in terms of the above criteria
- Supporting evidence must be supplied by the nominator and/or the applicant.
- Written referees' reports from at least two persons one of whom must be a senior staff member from within the school, (but not including current members of the SLANZA Awards Committee), must be provided.
- Supporting statements from a variety of people (not necessarily SLANZA members) are encouraged to provide the Awards Committee with useful additional information.
- Nominations do not need to be confidential.
- The SLANZA Awards Committee may seek further information if required to reach a decision.
- A copy of the application and nomination forms follow.
- Successful recipients will be presented with a Certificate at the SLANZA AGM or at a Branch function.
- No fee is required.

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APPLICATION FORM

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SLANZA Administration Officer PO Box 27321 Marion Square Wellington 6141

Nominee:

Full name:

Address:

Email:

Phone:

School postal address:

Principal's name (if relevant):

Period of SLANZA membership:

Names and contact details of two persons to whom reference may be made:

1. Name:

Address:

Phone:

Email:

2. Name:

Address:

Phone:

Email:

Note: nominations close on Monday 4th September 2023

Please attach a statement in support of your application. The statement should outline clearly the basis of your application in terms of the criteria for the award.

Signature:

Date:

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The following statement is supplied in support of the nomination.

(The statement should outline clearly the grounds for proposing the nomination in terms of the criteria for the award, with supporting evidence of the nominees achievements.)