School Psychologist of the Year Award

***Call for Nominations***

Do **YOU** know a school psychologist who is outstanding in the field? Does he/she do the job in an exemplary manner? Has this person earned the respect of fellow workers, students, and parents?

Every year, the South Dakota Association of School Psychologists acknowledges one individual, nominated by peers or colleagues, who stands out as a shining example of the best of the profession. This person is recognized as the *School Psychologist of the Year* at SDASP’s annual conference in the fall.

You can nominate a deserving colleague for the 2014 School Psychologist of the Year Award! Candidates must be practicing school psychologists who spend the majority of their time providing direct services to students, teachers, and parents. Selection criteria include:

* *Provides a full range of school psychological services*
* *Performs job in an exemplary manner*
* *Earns respect of fellow workers, students, and parents*
* *Displays pride in SDASP and NASP and represents school psychology well*
* *Well informed about NASP standards and goals*

To submit a nomination, simply type up a description of why the candidate should be considered for this award. Be sure to give specific examples of exemplary services to children and describe the candidate in terms of the selection criteria. *Nominations should be submitted to a SDASP Regional Representative by* ***Wednesday August 20st, 2014.***

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