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Call for Nominations: 2020 Boyd McCandless Award

Posted on behalf of the American Psychological Association Division 7 - Developmental Psychology

The Boyd McCandless Award recognizes a young scientist who has made a distinguished theoretical contribution to developmental psychology, has conducted programmatic research of distinction, or has made a distinguished contribution to the dissemination of developmental science. The award is for continued efforts rather than a single outstanding work.

Eligibility:
Scientists who are within seven years of completing their doctoral degree are eligible. When the scientist has taken an extended leave of absence (e.g., for his/her own serious health condition, for the birth or care of his/her child, to care for an immediate family member who has a serious health condition, etc.), one extra year of eligibility may be granted. Any scientist wishing to be considered for an extra year of eligibility should submit a letter explaining the circumstances to the Chairs of the Award Committee, along with official documentation of the leave.

Application:
The annual deadline is March 15, 2020.

Nominations should include:

- A letter of nomination,
- The nominees curriculum vitae,

- Up to four representative publications, and
- Suggestions for potential referees

Please email nomination materials to the chairs of the selection committee:

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