**2016/17 MUNSS Leadership Award (1 x $500)**

The recipient of this award has demonstrated **leadership abilities** that reflect responsibility and dedication to **positive change** within the McMaster Nursing Community. The award recipient has acted as a **role model** for their fellow students. This award is open to all students in **all sites** (McMaster, Mohawk and Conestoga)**, all levels** (1, 2, 3, 4) **and all streams** (Basic, Accelerated, RPN-BScN).

To nominate yourself for this award, please complete the following form. In addition, **one (1) letter of support** from a member of the community, faculty, or student body (peer) detailing your leadership capabilities and experience must accompany your application.

Please submit your documents in **pdf format** with the following title format (Award name) + (First 5 digits of your student #) to **awards@munss.ca****. Please, DO NOT include your name**.

**Deadline: Friday, February 10th, 2017 by 2359 (Late applications will not be considered)**

**Please note: Maximum 500 words per question**

The award winner will be announced in late February and will be presented their award at the School of Nursing Undergraduate Awards Ceremony in March. If you have any questions or concerns, please don’t hesitate to contact the MUNSS Awards Chairperson, Mary Attalla at **awards@munss.ca****.**

**Applicant Information**

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| **Student # (First 5 digits)**  |
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| **Site (McMaster, Conestoga, Mohawk)** | **Level/Stream (1,2, 3,4; Basic, Accelerated, RPN-BScN)** |
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| **Contact Information: 1. Email** **2. Alternate (e.g. Cell Phone)** |
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| **Please describe the qualities that a successful leader should possess. (max 500 words)** |
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| **Describe an experience where you demonstrated your leadership skills. What challenges did you encounter? How did you respond and what did you learn about leadership from this experience? (max 500 words)** |
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| **How has your leadership benefited the McMaster Nursing Community? (max 500 words)** |
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| **Please describe a situation where you acted as a role model for your fellow students. (max 500 words)** |
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| **What impact have your leadership roles had on your development as a nurse, and how might this influence your future potential in nursing? (max 500 words)** |
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**Supportive Reference**

Please share the name and affiliation of the individual who will be submitting a letter of support for your application. All letters of reference can be emailed to awards@munss.ca

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| **Name** | **Affiliation (e.g. School of Nursing faculty member)**  | **Relationship to You** |
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