

## 2015 Call for Nominations for CPTSC Award for Excellence in Program Assessment

The Council for Programs in Technical and Scientific Communication (CPTSC) seeks nominations for the

### **CPTSC Award for Excellence in Program Assessment**

This award recognizes outstanding contributions that individuals, collaborators, or teams have made to program assessment in technical and scientific communication. Nominees will be evaluated for the contributions they have made to one or more of the following areas and according to the following criteria:

**Area 1: *Research*** (Individual or collaborative)

- *Evaluation Criteria:* Significant publication(s) of an article/articles or a book/books that focus on assessment and assessment practices

**Area 2: *Implementation*** (Individual or collaborative)

- *Evaluation Criteria:* Successful development and implementation of a programmatic assessment model or method

**Area 3: *Service*** (Individual or collaborative)

- *Evaluation Criteria:* Significant contribution to assessment practice/research on a local, regional, or national level

Please see [CPTSC Award for Excellence in Program Assessment Committee Criteria](#). Individuals, collaborative teams, and/or the faculty of an overall program are eligible for nomination; self-nominations are also welcomed. The nominee does not have to be a current CPTSC member, but the award winner is required to join CPTSC prior to the award reception at the annual CPTSC conference at Utah State University, Logan, UT (see <http://cptsc.org/annual.html>).

Please email letters of nomination to the CPTSC Program Review and Assessment Committee at [coppola@njit.edu](mailto:coppola@njit.edu) by **July 24, 2015**. Nomination letters should include the following information:

- Name, contact information, and institutional affiliation of the individual, team, or program being nominated.
- A brief statement of how the contributor's work has yielded positive consequences to one or more of the areas noted above

The CPTSC Program Review and Assessment Committee will contact the nominee for copies of supporting documentation that represent the nature of the contributions to program assessment in the field (e.g., copies of publications on assessment, completed assessment plans with corresponding review and evaluation materials, other awards given in recognition of the candidate's contributions to or support of assessment-related service or practice) and a statement showing how the related supporting materials exemplify this contribution. Previous awards at <http://www.cptsc.org/resources.html>