



FLOYD G. HUDSON OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD

Purpose and Nature of Award

The Floyd G. Hudson Outstanding Service Award is granted by the Council for Learning Disabilities (CLD) for outstanding performance and commitment to individuals with learning disabilities demonstrated by professionals who are not necessarily special education classroom teachers. **One professional is selected from nominees submitted from local chapters.** The winner will receive a certificate presented at the annual International Conference on Learning Disabilities, a complimentary one-year membership as well as a complimentary conference registration and stipend.

Selection Criteria

Nominees are judged based on the following criteria:

1. Extent and quality of professional service to the field of learning disabilities.
2. Exemplary service to the field of learning disabilities for a minimum of 5 years.

Review Process

Chapter nominations are submitted to the Leadership Development Committee Chair.

Submit to:

Dr. Martha Larkin
University of West Georgia
Department of SED/SLP
1601 Maple Street
Carrollton, GA 30118

Final approval of nominations rests with the Leadership Development Committee with assistance from the Executive Committee of CLD. The Leadership Development Committee selects the final award winner.

Application Procedure

All nominations must include:

1. A completed application form and related materials. Applicants may download nomination forms from the CLD website (www.cldinternational.org) or may contact the national CLD office, the Conference Director of CLD, or the President of their state/region chapter for application materials.
2. A letter of nomination outlining the extent and quality of the nominee's professional contributions to the field of learning disabilities as based on letters of support from colleagues, parents, students, etc.
3. A two-page vita.

Deadline: Chapter submission deadline to be determined by individual chapters. The names of nominees must be submitted to the Leadership Development Committee Chair of CLD by **May 15, 2010** by the Chapter President of the local/regional chapter of CLD.