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| **Georgia Association of Nursing Students**  ***Emily McNelly Scholarship***  **Award Application** | |
| Emily McNelley was responsible for establishing the Student Nurses Association in Georgia (SNAG), now known as the Georgia Association of Nursing Students (GANS). The Member of the Year award was established in her name. This award gives recognition to the GANS member who best exhibits leadership, scholarship, advocacy, and a passion for the art of nursing. To receive this award is a great honor; the winning applicant must demonstrate his/her commitment to nursing, clinical practice, and professional development. **​*Each school chapter may only*** ***submit ONE candidate.*** | |
| **Chapter Name:** |  |
| **School Name:** |  |
| **Chapter President/Contact Person Name:** |  |
| **Chapter President Contact Phone #:** |  |
| **Email Address of Chapter President/Contact Person** |  |
| **Nominee’s Name** |  |
| **Nominee’s NSNA Member Number** |  |
| Designated Chapter Number (to be determined by awards chair). | |
| The document MAY also include:   * A list of any organization elected offices held by the nominee. * A list of any committees the nominee has served on with details on their role. * A list of any accomplishments while in nursing school. * A list of any community involvement or volunteer activities of the nominee. * A list of any scholarships or awards the nominee has received. * A list of any chapter, GANS, or NSNA events that the nominee has attended.   Separately:   * A letter of recommendation from an instructor, school chapter advisor, or the Dean/Director of the nominee’s nursing program emailed to GANS [Awards Coordinator at](mailto:GANS.eastdistrict@gmail.com) [eastdd@ganursingstudents.com](mailto:eastdd@ganursingstudents.com) . | |
| **AWARD SUBMISSIONS MUST BE E­MAILED OR SUBMITTED VIA THE GOOGLE FORM ON WEBSITE.**  **PLEASE CREATE A DOCUMENT HIGHLIGHTING YOUR CHAPTER’S EFFORTS IN AN ORGANIZED MANNER.** | |
| Contact GANS Awards Coordinator at [eastdd@ganursingstudents.com](mailto:eastdd@ganursingstudents.com)  if you have any questions regarding this competition | |

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| **Georgia Association of Nursing Students**  ***Emily McNelly Scholarship***  **Award Rubric** | | | |
| **Directions: Attach a document addressing each of the following. Points will be allocated based on the criteria indicated.** | | | |
| This application will be evaluated | | | |
| **Criteria** | **Possible Points** | **Points earned** | **Comments by evaluator** |
| Nominee’s name: |  |  |  |
| Nominated By: |  |  |  |
| Nominee Contact Information:  Email-  Phone Number- |  |  |  |
| Nominee’s Expected Graduation Date |  |  |  |
| Nursing Association: |  |  |  |
| Chapter Name: |  |  |  |
| Resume attached to application.  Resume is:  Up to date, Thorough, neat | 10 |  |  |
| How the student exhibits professionalism/Professional Organization and committee membership: | 5 |  |  |
| Leadership roles in professional organizations as well as details of the nominee’s role | 10 |  |  |
| Sustaining member in NSNA | 5 |  |  |
| Attendance at GANS or NSNA during the past academic year | 10 |  |  |
| List of scholarships or awards received | 5 |  |  |
| Accomplishments while in nursing school | 5 |  |  |
| A list of any chapter, GANS, or NSNA events that the nominee has attended. | 5 |  |  |
| Service to the Community and/or college community (over the past two years): | 10 |  |  |
| Statement from the nominee discussing their beliefs about the role of professional organizations in the future of nursing. | 10 |  |  |
| Letter of nomination from an instructor, school chapter advisor, or the Dean/Director of the nominee’s nursing program: | 20 |  |  |
| How the student displays a positive image of nursing | 5 |  |  |
| **Total:** | 100 |  |  |