To: All Eta Pi Members of Sigma International Honor Society of Nursing

Re: **Call for Applications: 2019 Eta Pi Research Award**

The Eta Pi Chapter of Sigma International Honor Society of Nursing invites its members to apply for the 2019 Eta Pi Research Award. The 2019 award amount will be $500.

Eligibility for application includes: (a) active membership in the Eta Pi chapter of STTI (b) research that contributes to the advancement of nursing science, and (c) research that is in progress (in progress is defined as having institutional review board or institution approval for research through project completion).

If you accept the award, you are required to present your findings at an Eta Pi Scholarship Day in person or by video conference in Fall, 2019 (date TBD). Award will be granted following presentation. We also encourage all recipients to submit their work for publication. If accepted for publication, please remember to recognize Eta Pi Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau International for the financial support and send a copy of the manuscript to the Eta Pi chapter via email.

**Research Award Application Instructions**:

The application must include the following information:

1. Title Page that contains:
	1. the title of the project
	2. the principle investigator
	3. any collaborating researchers
	4. department and/or school contact information (full address of department/school; phone number and e-mail address of principal investigator)
2. Abstract (250-word limit)
3. Description of the Project (5-page limit, 2000-2500 words, 1.5 spaced, 1” margins, Times New Roman 12-point font)
	1. Statement of the problem
	2. Purpose statement
	3. Significance of the research and advancement of nursing science
	4. Brief background of the literature
	5. Hypotheses/research questions
	6. Conceptual/theoretical framework *(cont’d. next page)*
	7. Research design, methods including: recruitment process, ethics approval, data collection, research procedures, and analysis plan
	8. Findings and implications for nursing
4. Appendices (not included in the 5-page limit)
	1. Reference list (APA style, 6th version)
	2. Ethics approval letter
	3. Timeline
	4. Curriculum vitae/resume of the Principal Investigator

We will announce the award winner during the April 26, 2019 induction ceremony in Oshkosh, Wisconsin. Will you be able to attend the induction ceremony (in person OR via video conference)? Attendance is not required.

 ◻ Yes ◻ No

Oral presentation of your research is required. Will you be able to attend the Fall Eta Pi 2019 Scholarship Day (in person OR via video conference) to present the research (date to be determined)?

 ◻ Yes ◻ No

All submissions must be received by **March 15, 2019**

**Submit application to**:

Research Committee

Attention:

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