



AMERICAN PSYCHOLOGICAL FOUNDATION

PSYCHOLOGY PHILANTHROPY

**CALL FOR NOMINATIONS**  
**APF CUMMINGS PSYCHE PRIZE**

The American Psychological Foundation (APF) provides financial support for innovative research and programs that enhance the power of psychology to elevate the human condition and advance human potential both now and in generations to come.

In 2004, The Nicholas and Dorothy Cummings Foundation established the Prize to recognize a psychologist whose career has expanded the role of the psychologist as a primary care provider working side-by-side with primary care physicians in the setting of organized systems of healthcare delivery.

**Goals:**

- To create a centrifugal force that will encourage the ascendance of leadership by psychology in establishing innovative healthcare delivery systems;
- To spur training of future psychologists to become such leaders.

**Amount:** \$50,000

**Eligibility Criteria:** Nominees must

- Be licensed practicing psychologists with a minimum of 10 years of experience;
- Work in an integrated primary care setting rather than in a collaborative practice;
- Be involved in a comprehensive medical setting rather than in a specialized program dealing with one disease or one issue (e.g., diabetes, cancer, heart, obesity);
- Demonstrate a record of past accomplishments as well as future plans to expand the acceptance of psychologists as behavioral care providers working alongside and co-located with physicians in the primary care settings of healthcare systems.

*APF encourages applications from individuals who represent diversity in race, ethnicity, gender, age, disability, and sexual orientation.*

**To Apply:**

Submit the following materials online at <http://forms.apa.org/apf/grants/> by **December 1, 2009**.

- Letter of nomination, including the individual's mentoring experience, training and development of other psychologists in this field;
- 1-2 page statement of accomplishments to date
- A letter, written by the nominee, outlining their plans for the next five years; and
- A current curriculum vitae.

Self-nominations will be accepted.

Questions about this program should be directed to Kim Rowsome, Program Officer, at [krowsome@apa.org](mailto:krowsome@apa.org).

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