



CCMTS Awards and Recognition

The CCMTS receives a great deal of support from its member schools, educators and administrators in the many areas in which the organization operates. Without these valuable contributions, the CCMTS would not be able to offer the services that it does, nor would it be able to have as much influence within the profession and the massage therapy education community. The CCMTS Awards and Recognition program is designed to recognize the many RMTs, educators, administrators and future RMT's that make outstanding contributions to the profession and the CCMTS. Whom of which remain committed to the best possible education for massage therapy students in Canada, volunteering their time, and demonstrating leadership in the MT education community

For 2022 we are pleased to announce the following nominations from our member schools. An independent panel will judge the nominations and winners will be announced at our AGM on

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Distinguished Service Award

The Distinguished Service Award is presented to a member school participant in recognition of service to the profession through strong leadership that goes above and beyond in the areas of integrity, professionalism, innovation, advocacy, accountability and communication.

Research Award

The Research Award is given to a Massage Therapist in Canada who demonstrates leadership and encourages and participates in research, which has a positive impact on the profession.

Educator of the Year

The Educator of the Year Award recognizes an individual with a history of academic excellence. The award acknowledges Registered Massage Therapists who are academic or clinical educators (teaching/supervising) in Canada. The nominees of this award should promote professionalism, excellence in learning, provide innovative teaching techniques, go over and above the normal

requirements of an educator in their community and celebrate in the successes of their students.

Honorary Membership Award

An Honorary Membership is awarded to individuals who have made distinctive and exceptional and direct contributions to the objectives of the CCMTS for a period of more than 15 years. For example, member of the board, volunteer etc.

Founders Award

The award is to recognize their leadership and personal commitment in the evolution of massage therapy education across Canada and within the CCMTS as a longstanding member.

Board Member Recognition Letters

Recognition letters are awarded to members who have made distinctive and exceptional service in that year as a board member, a subcommittee or volunteer member.

Student Research Competition

A research competition is held yearly for all students of member schools to further research competency and to encourage participation in research. 1st, 2nd and third place awards may be given.

Note: A subcommittee will decide who has met criteria for each nomination category and rank them. Member schools who have members or volunteers will not be allowed to participate in evaluation for the awards if they have a nominee entered. With the exception of recognition letters. Additionally Board members reserve the right to nominate where appropriate for the awards below based on the criteria set out for each.