**EXCELLENCE IN ACCOUNTING ETHICS EDUCATION AWARD**

The intent of this award is to recognize new pedagogy for teaching ethics to accounting students. A monetary award of $1,000 and a plaque will be presented at the annual Ethics Symposium to an individual (or individuals) who has (have) developed and implemented an innovative technique/method for incorporating ethics into undergraduate or graduate accounting courses.

**AWARD CRITERIA**

**Examples of innovative techniques/methods include, but are not limited to:**

* Developing a case, video, audio, or other teaching techniques that can be used to integrate ethics into the accounting curriculum.
* Developing a new course in accounting ethics including learning objectives and assessment techniques.
* Application of technology to teach ethics to accounting students including digital learning tools, or
* Application of E-Learning activities to enhance interaction with students in the classroom on ethics issues and the benefits therefrom.

**Applicants should explain how they shared their pedagogical innovation with the public, which may include one or more of the following:**

* Presentation at a seminar, workshop, or other form of public appearance.
* Publication (or acceptance for publication) in a refereed journal, or
* Other form of communication.

**Electronic submissions only should include the following items (as applicable):**

* Identification and description of the course, seminar, or workshop in which the innovation is (was) used.
* Submission of the case, video, audio, or other innovation, along with teaching notes.
* Copies of instructional materials used in E-Learning activities.
* Detailed explanation of how digital learning tools support teaching and learning.
* Assessment results on the new pedagogy (i.e., efficacy survey, student performance, improvement in student performance), or
* Copy of the refereed journal article that was published or accepted for publication along with the official notification from the editor of the journal indicating acceptance.

**In addition, all applicants should submit:**

* A 500-word statement describing the contribution to accounting ethics education and
* Two letters of recommendation from educators in support of the nominee for the award and elaborating on the contribution of the technique to accounting ethics education.

**Important Dates:**

* Initial mailing about award (December 1).
* Reminder and announcement about the award and deadlines (Public Interest Section Midyear Meeting), AAA communications, and external partners.
* Deadline to submit nomination and supporting materials (March 1).
* Selection Committee chooses and notifies recipient(s) (April 15).
* Announcement of Winner: Ethics Symposium (August).