

M. Powell Lawton Distinguished Contribution Award for Applied Gerontology
(Information disponible seulement en Anglais)

The Distinguished Contribution Award in Applied Gerontology is presented in honor of the memory of M. Powell Lawton to recognize those whose contributions have improved the quality of life of older persons. The contributions being honored include developing or implementing a program, practice, policy, or treatment that has, had, or will have the great potential to improve the lives of older adults.

Deadline: March 15th, 2019;

Amount: \$1,500;

Eligibility Criteria:

- Nominees need not be members of Div. 20, but they **must be nominated** and endorsed by a division member;

Application Process:

- Nomination materials should be sent to one email **to the chair of the Awards Committee**, with “D20 Lawton Award Nomination” noted as the subject of the email by March 15 annually. The nomination materials will include the following:
 - A letter of nomination (by a Div.20 member) describing the nominee’s nature and significance of the nominee’s research accomplishments;
 - A current CV of the nominee;
 - Evidence of the positive impact of the contribution(s) on older persons;
 - A brief statement by the nominee of his or her current work and future plans;
 - At least two additional letters of support (one must be from a Div. 20 member).

For more information pertaining to this scholarship, the application process, and to access the email address of the chair of the Awards Committee, please refer to the link below:

<https://www.apadivisions.org/division-20/awards/lawton?tab=3>