



Stanley Cohen Distinguished Research Award

The **Stanley Cohen Distinguished Research Award** is sponsored by the Oregon Family Institute. The award was created to recognize outstanding research and/or research achievements in the field of family and divorce. The award is named for the late Dr. Stanley Cohen, founding member of AFCC who served as executive director and co-editor of the *Review*.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

The award recognizes any combination of the following outstanding achievements:

- The recipient's proven exceptional research skills in the field/profession;
- The recipient's contribution to the field/profession;
- The recipient's contribution to research in the community and other projects or initiatives;
- The recipient's leadership in the field or profession.

ELIGIBILITY

Open to all members of AFCC as well as those outside of the association.

NOMINATIONS

Nominations shall be solicited from the AFCC membership. Any member of AFCC may nominate an individual for the award. To nominate an individual, a nomination must be completed and submitted by the posted deadline. Each nomination must include a letter of no more than 600 words describing how the nominee meets the criteria set forth above. The AFCC Nomination Committee will recommend at least one candidate for consideration for the award.

DECISION

The recipient of the award shall be chosen from the submitted candidates by a majority vote of the AFCC Awards Committee.

PRESENTATION

The award will be presented at the AFCC Annual Awards Luncheon at AFCC's 47th Annual Conference, June 2-5, 2010, in Denver, Colorado.

TO MAKE A NOMINATION

To make a nomination, please email the following information to AFCC, care of Erin Sommerfeld, at esommerfeld@afcnet.org. **The nomination deadline is March 15, 2010.** Electronic submissions in Word or WordPerfect are preferred. You may also send a hard copy of your nomination to:

AFCC Awards Committee
Attn: Erin Sommerfeld
6525 Grand Teton Plaza
Madison, WI 53719
Fax: (608) 664-3751

1. Information about the Nominee

Name
Address
Phone, Fax, Email

2. Letter of Nomination

Please describe, in 600 words or less, how the individual you are nominating meets the award criteria as stated above.

3. Contact Information for the Person Submitting the Nomination

(You must be an AFCC member to submit award nominations.)

Name
Address
Phone, Fax, Email

4. Reference

Please provide the name, telephone number and email address of one reference for the individual you have nominated.

**Questions? Contact AFCC at (608) 664-3750 or email
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