

## **OUTSTANDING EARLY CAREER SCHOLAR AWARD**

**Description:** The SSMA recognizes outstanding early career contributions to the scholarship of science and/or mathematics education with the Outstanding Early Career Scholar Award. The nominee should be a person, within five years of receiving a doctoral degree, with an exemplary and productive program of research related to science and/or mathematics education. The nominee must have been an SSMA member in good standing for at least one year prior to the submission of the application.

**What is required:** To nominate a person for this award, send:

1. Current Vita
2. Three exemplary scholarly works (Works need to relate to common mathematics/science education themes such as Integration; Technology; Constructivism/Inquiry; Professional development; and so forth)
3. A two-page maximum (double-spaced; 12 font) summary addressing: Research interests; A description of how the submitted scholarly works have impacted research area
4. Two support letters sent separately (One support letter must be from a non-dissertation committee member)

**Awardee:** The Awardee will receive \$500, a one-year membership to SSMA, a convention fee waiver to the annual SSMA Convention where the award will be presented, and an invitation to present a session at the Annual Convention about their work. Additional funds may be available to support awardee(s) travel to the annual convention. This award may be given annually.