

**SOUTH CAROLINA SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION (SCSA)**  
**EXCELLENCE IN SCHOLARSHIP AWARD**

**PURPOSE:** To recognize a SCSA member who has made outstanding scholarly and creative contributions to sociology.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Candidates must be current SCSA members but need not reside in South Carolina. Self-nominations are welcome and encouraged. Registration for the 2023 annual meeting grants membership into SCSA. Please visit the SCSA website at <https://southcarolinasociology.org/annual-meeting> for online registration. Applicants must register before 11:59PM EST on Monday, January 16, 2023.

**SELECTION PROCESS:** Applications will be reviewed by the SCSA Awards Committee.

**To apply,** please submit the following items:

- Brief cover letter that introduces the applicant to the committee and describes research, scholarship, or creative endeavors conducted within the last three years only.
- Curriculum Vitae.
- One letter of recommendation from a colleague familiar with the research.
- Supporting documentation such as a PDF of no more than one published article or book chapter, or other visual material that demonstrates excellence.

Please scan all documents into a single PDF file in the order listed above and email the attachment to SCSA Past President, Dr. Rusty Ward ([rward@fmarion.edu](mailto:rward@fmarion.edu)). Submissions must be received by 11:59PM EST on **Monday, January 16, 2023**. Include the term “SCSA” in the subject line of your e-mail.

**AWARD RECIPIENT:** The winner will be announced at the 2023 SCSA meeting and receive recognition in the organization’s newsletter and on the website. The recipient will also receive a cash award and plaque. It is expected that the winner will attend the 2023 meeting.