

# Student Professionalism Award

To be awarded at the Hooding Ceremony

Deadline for receipt of nominations: End of June

## Description

The Student Professionalism Award is presented annually by the Lebanese American University School of Pharmacy to a P3 and a P4 student in a form of a recognition plaque.

## Objective

The Student Professionalism Award recognizes a P3 and P4 student who have shown outstanding professionalism in character and behavior during the P3 or P4 clerkship rotations.

## Eligibility and Qualifications

In order to be considered for the Student Professionalism Award, the nominee must:

1. Be a current student in the P3 or P4 year.
2. Have not received the award (as a P3 student) within the last year (for a P4 student).
3. Meet a combination of the following professional and personal qualifications, but not necessarily in all categories:
  - Responsibility and Sense of Duty:** has a sense of responsibility to patients, duty to health care delivery, and service to the profession.
  - Commitment to Excellence:** demonstrates distinct dedication for quality work and personal and professional growth.
  - Respect:** appreciates others' opinions, values, feelings, differences, and qualities,
  - Honesty and Integrity:** displays honesty, trustworthiness, and integrity and adheres to high ethical and moral standards.
  - Care and Compassion:** recognizes and attends to patients' needs and attends to their well-being.
  - Communication:** communicates clearly, accurately and appropriately with healthcare professionals and caregivers,
  - Teamwork:** works harmoniously in collaboration with healthcare professionals using effective and efficient means to achieve common goals and resolve problems constructively.
  - Appearance/Attire:** dresses professionally and appropriately in accordance to the culture of the institution and the profession
  - Timeliness:** shows consistent punctuality and preparedness.

### **Nomination Process**

1. Current preceptors of P3 and P4 students nominate one P3 and P4 student per academic year for the award.
2. The preceptor should also provide a checklist of the professional and personal qualifications of the student as per #3 above, along with any other supportive evidence or information (share a story) deemed necessary for the nomination.
3. All nominations and supportive information must be submitted confidentially to the Director of Experiential Education.

### **Selection Process**

All nominations will be reviewed by the Experiential Education Subcommittee. One P3 and one P4 student will be selected to receive the award. The Director of Experiential Education will submit the Subcommittee's decision to the School Academic Council for review and final approval. The decision of the School Academic Council is final.