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2009 JOHN L. PROVAN EDUCATIONAL AWARD

TERMS OF REFERENCE

ELIGIBILITY- The John L. Provan Educational Award is presented to any member of the Canadian Society for Vascular Surgery for any deserving project pertaining to medical education.

PROPOSAL MECHANISM- One (1) blinded copy and one (1) authored copy should be submitted to the Chair of the Education Committee. The manuscript should be no longer than 4 pages (references excluded) double spaced, justified, in Garamond or Times New Roman. A maximum of two tables and 1 figure may also be added. The manuscript should include:

- I. Covering letter
- II. Project with the following headings:
 - a. Proposal Summary
 - b. Research Question and Objectives
 - c. Backgrounds
 - d. Methods
 - i. Study Design/Participants/bench model
 - ii. Primary and Secondary outcomes
 - iii. Data analysis
 - e. Relevance to Clinical Practice
 - f. Relevance to future research
- III. Budget

DEADLINE- Submissions are to be received by April 1, 2009

SELECTION PROCESS- Review, prioritization and ratification of the candidates will be made by the CSVS Education Committee.

AWARD AND PRESENTATION- The winner is announced at the annual meeting and a cheque in the amount of \$5,000.00 will be forwarded to the recipient following the annual meeting. The winner must present his/her project at the 2009 research forum at the annual meeting and provide an update at the subsequent meeting.

**All Submissions should be sent to the Chair of the Research Committee:
Dr. Ravi Sidhu
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