



WRITING EXCELLENCE AWARDS for papers written in 2023

(Sponsored by the Center for Writing & Learning)

Ten prizes of \$250 each will be given for the best papers!

Submission deadline: 5 pm on Friday, February 9th, 2024.

Purpose

To encourage and reward good writing in all disciplines at the University of Puget Sound.

Eligibility

Any paper (but no outlines or notes) submitted as part of the requirements for courses at Puget Sound is eligible. Shorter papers are as likely to win as longer ones. Papers from courses taken in **Spring 2023, Summer 2023, or Fall 2023** will be considered.

Paper categories

ARTS & HUMANITIES

(Two Prizes)

Art & Art History
Asian Languages & Cultures
Classics & Ancient
Mediterranean Studies
Communication Studies:
170, 171, 180, 190, 240, 321,
322, 343, 344, 346, 347, 348,
370, 372, 373, 422, 444
English
French & Francophone Studies
German Studies
Hispanic Studies
History Humanities
Music
Philosophy
Religion, Spirituality, & Society
Theatre Arts

CONNECTIONS

(One Prize)

Courses that fulfill the
Connections core requirement

NATURAL SCIENCES & MATHEMATICS

(Two Prizes)

Biology
Chemistry
Computer Science
Exercise Science
Geology
Mathematics
Neuroscience
Physics

RACE & PEDAGOGY

(One Prize)

Papers written on a topic
related to race or to race &
pedagogy, regardless of the
course for which it was
written. Papers submitted
in this category may also
be submitted in another
category.

SOCIAL SCIENCES

(Two Prizes)

Business & Leadership
Communication Studies:
156, 160, 181, 230, 308, 330,
331, 350, 351, 352, 353, 360,
361, 368, 381, 450, 460, 482
Economics
Education (200-400 level)
Intl. Political Economy
Politics & Government
Psychology
Sociology & Anthropology

GRADUATE PROGRAMS

(One Prize)

500 and 600 level courses
Education
Occupational Therapy
Physical Therapy
Public Health

FIRST-YEAR SEMINARS (One Prize)

Any paper written by a first-year student for a Seminar in Scholarly Inquiry I or II course.

Papers written in African American Studies, Asian Studies, Gender & Queer Studies, Latin American Studies, and Latina/o Studies; in Environmental Policy & Decision Making; in Honors; in Science, Technology, and Society, or in any other subject not listed above should be submitted in the category for which they seem most appropriate.

Submission details at:

www.pugetsound.edu/center-writing-learning/writing-excellence-awards

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