

Writing Award

Submission Guidelines

View term deadlines here: <https://lsa.umich.edu/soc/undergraduates/writing-awards>

Eita Krom Prize

\$500

Submission Requirements: An essay 10 to 25 pages in length on a sociological topic written by an LSA junior or senior. The essay must have a unique title and not bear the name of a class assignment. A submission with a title like *Paper 1*, for example, will not be considered.

Submission Restrictions: Entries cannot be group-authored papers nor excerpts from Honors theses. Please do not submit response papers or project proposals.

Submission Process & Guidelines: Submit your entry via email in PDF format to socadvisor@umich.edu. Make the name of the document as close to the title of your paper as possible. The body of your email must include:

- The name of the award for which you are submitting your paper
- Your UM-ID number
- The semester in which the paper was written
- The class for which the paper was written
- The name and email address of the instructor (and GSI, if applicable)

DO NOT include your name or any other identifying information on the document you submit. Be sure to delete headers or footers that include your UM-ID or name. Remove any instances of the title of the class, instructors, and semester dates.

Mark Chesler Student Research Award

\$250

Submission requirements: An essay 10 to 35 pages in length that contributes to the sociological understanding of diversity, social justice, participatory action research, intergroup relations, or service learning. The essay must have a unique title and not bear the name of a class assignment. A submission with a title like *Paper 1*, for example, will not be considered.

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Financial Aid Considerations

Students receiving federal financial aid, please note: Financial assistance from all sources during the academic year factors into the ongoing review of your financial aid eligibility now and in the future. If your total financial aid, including any newly awarded funding, exceeds your eligibility for financial assistance this academic year, your aid may be limited or reduced from previously received assistance. You can learn more about [financial aid terms and conditions](#) on the Office of Financial Aid's website. You can also work with the Office of Financial Aid to identify additional expenses you may have incurred that can be factored into your overall aid eligibility.

We will notify writing award winners in early June! Thank you for your participation.