Call for Applications: The Richard Drake Award for Student Writing in the Humanities

The Humanities Institute at the University of Montana invites applications for the Richard Drake Writing Award for student essays in the humanities.

The Richard Drake Writing Award honors excellence in writing in the humanities in the College of Humanities and Sciences, and is typically awarded to one undergraduate and one graduate student per year. Papers focusing on history, literature, philosophy, religion, politics and the classics will be considered. Papers will be judged on the basis of excellence in writing, imagination in research, and force of argument.

Application Deadline: April 15, 2018

To apply for the Drake Writing Award students must first complete, sign and submit the general UM Scholarships application on UM’s Scholarship Portal (go to: umt.academicworks.com). The Richard Drake Award for Writing will then appear in the recommended list of scholarships. Students may then submit a paper dealing with any theme based on a humanistic discipline to the Richard Drake Award opportunity (umt.academicworks.com/opportunities/8602). Entries must be submitted by April 15 and must include a written endorsement from a College of Humanities and Sciences professor.

Student papers and faculty endorsements must both be submitted by the deadline using UM’s Scholarship Portal at umt.academicworks.com.