

Kentucky Association of Teachers of History

2015 George C. Herring Graduate Student Writing Award

KATH is pleased to announce its competition for the best graduate research paper on any topic completed during the 2014-15 academic year at a Kentucky college or university. The winner will receive a \$100 prize and a certificate. The award will be presented at the 2015 KATH Conference, to be held at Owensboro Community & Technical College on Saturday, October 3.

Competition Guidelines:

1. A student may not submit more than one paper for the Herring Writing Award.

2. The manuscript should be article length, typed, double-spaced, 12 point type, and should conform to the rules of The Chicago Manual of Style regarding footnotes/endnotes, bibliography, and other stylistic matters.

3. All personal identification information should be removed from the body of the paper (e.g., writer's name or university in page numbers, endnotes, title page or first page). The paper title along with the author's university, permanent address and current contact information should appear in a title page that can easily be removed for judging purposes.

4. The paper should be submitted as an email attachment in one of the following formats (.doc, .docx, or .pdf) to Dr. Melanie Goan at the University of Kentucky, melanie.goan@uky.edu, on or before the deadline: Midnight, Friday, September 11, 2015.

5. The submission must be accompanied by an email message from the student's supervising history professor (or the department chair), recommending the paper and certifying that it was written for a graduate course and completed in the 2014-15 academic year.

Please direct any questions to Melanie Goan at melanie.goan@uky.edu.