



# WRITING EXCELLENCE AWARDS for papers written in 2024

(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 7th, 2025.**

## 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 2024, Summer 2024, or Fall 2024** will be considered.

## Paper categories

### ARTS & HUMANITIES

Art & Art History  
Asian Languages & Cultures  
Asian Studies  
Greek, Latin, and Ancient  
Mediterranean Studies  
English  
Env. Arts & Humanities  
French & Francophone Studies  
Gender & Queer Studies  
German Studies  
Hispanic Studies  
Humanities  
Latin American Studies  
Latina/o Studies  
Music  
Philosophy  
Religion, Spirituality, &  
Society  
Theatre Arts

### NATURAL SCIENCES & MATHEMATICS

Biology  
Chemistry  
Computer Science  
Exercise Science  
Earth and Environmental  
Sciences  
Mathematics  
Neuroscience  
Physics

### SOCIAL SCIENCES & HISTORY

African American Studies  
Business & Leadership  
Communication Studies  
Crime, Law, and Justice  
Economics  
Economics  
Education  
Environmental Policy and  
Decision Making  
History  
Intl. Political Economy  
Politics & Government  
Psychology  
Science, Technology, Health,  
and Society  
Sociology & Anthropology

### CONNECTIONS

Courses that fulfill the  
Connections core  
requirement

### KNOW

Courses that fulfill the  
KNOW core requirement  
and address issues of  
Knowledge, Identity, Power,  
and/or Race. Papers  
submitted in this category  
may also be submitted in  
another category.

### GRADUATE PROGRAMS

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

### FIRST-YEAR SEMINARS

Any paper written by a  
first-year student for a  
CONN 1XX or a 2024 SSI  
course.

Submission details can be found at:

[www.pugetsound.edu/center-writing-learning/writing-excellence-awards](http://www.pugetsound.edu/center-writing-learning/writing-excellence-awards)

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