

DEPARTMENT OF ANTHROPOLOGY HEAD'S AWARD

The Department of Anthropology Head's Award recognizes an outstanding graduating senior for accomplishments in at least one of the following areas: classroom, research or service. A student is nominated for the award by a member of the faculty; a faculty member may nominate more than one student. The award is competitive and final selection is made by the departmental awards committee.

The award consists of a year-long membership to the American Anthropological Association, as well as the listing of the student's name on the office awards plaque.

THE NOMINATION DEADLINE IS THE FIRST FRIDAY IN FEBRUARY BY 5:00 P.M.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- A student must be a graduating senior with an expected graduation date during the fall, spring or a summer semester of the academic year in which she or he is nominated.
- The student must be a full-time student majoring in anthropology at the University of Georgia.
- Previous recipients of the award are not eligible.

NOMINATION FORMAT

- Application Cover Sheet
- A one- to two-page cover letter in which the faculty member nominating a student verifies the student's eligibility for the award and provides a synthesis of his or her outstanding accomplishments in at least one of the following areas: classroom, research or service.
- A copy of the student's unofficial transcript. Each student may print out an unofficial transcript copy from Athena, and submit it with the rest of the application packet.
- Please do not supply more than five pages of supporting materials in evidence of a student's contributions, such as abstracts of presented papers or posters, copies of a publication, media coverage of service events, website addresses, etc.
- Submit an original application. You may give your application either to or place it in her mailbox in the main office.
- You may ask the nominating professor to put her/his letter of support in mailbox, or to give the letter of support to you directly.
- No electronic copies will be accepted. The award-winning student will be notified during the department's annual Recognition Gathering, usually held in late April.

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