

IIT First-Year Students and Graduating Students (Seniors)



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TAKE THE SURVEY!

IIT is participating in the National Survey of Student Engagement (NSSE). You will receive your survey by email from NSSE soon.

Respond by May 3 for a chance to win one of 12 Best Buy® gift cards!

We want to hear your feedback about IIT!

Your opinions count and will help IIT to improve academic and social programming at the university.

HAVE QUESTIONS?

Contact the Office of Assessment and HEA Compliance at emmons@iit.edu.



March Forum
Waste System
Revitalization



Friday, March 7
12:30-2pm
Armour Dining Room

RSVP: tinyurl.com/IITWasteUpdate

Full-time IIT Undergraduate Students:
Enter the 49th Annual IIT Writing Contest

All full-time undergraduate students are encouraged to enter the 49th Annual IIT Writing Contest, sponsored by the Humanities Department. You must be enrolled for at least 12 credit hours in Spring 2014 to enter.

Prizes in four categories*	First	Second	Third
Edwin H. Lewis Prize for Fiction	\$300	\$200	\$100
Edwin H. Lewis Prize for Nonfiction	\$300	\$200	\$100
Freshman Essay Prize	\$300	\$200	\$100
Mollie Cohen Prize for Poetry	\$300	\$200	\$100

*Prizes will be awarded as Amazon.com gift cards.

Deadline for all submissions: 5:00 p.m. on Monday, March 31, 2014.

Winners announced on the Humanities Website: Wednesday, April 16th.
Reception for all entrants, with awarding of prizes: Wednesday, April 23rd.

For more information, contact us: iitwritingcontest@gmail.com

CONTEST RULES

- Entries may include fiction, poetry, plays, nonfiction (such as essays, reviews, and technical or scientific papers), and essays by freshman. Nonfiction (including essays by freshman) should be readable by an educated person with no special training in the subject of the essay.
- All entries must include an entry form as a cover sheet attached to each entry. Forms are available in 218 Siegel Hall, or you can download the form from: bit.ly/1gDIXvw
- All entries must be submitted in duplicate. One should be keyboarded, double-spaced, on 8.5 x 11 paper. Do not put your name on the paper copy itself or any of its pages. Deliver paper submissions to Susan Mallgrave at the Lewis Department of Humanities, 218 Siegel Hall. The second copy should be submitted as an MS Word .DOC or .DOCX file to iitwritingcontest@gmail.com. The file name should be Lastname.Nonfiction.doc, Lastname.Poetry.doc, Lastname.Fiction.doc, or Lastname.Freshman.doc, depending on the category it is to be entered into.
- You may enter several categories, and you may submit more than one entry in a category. Limit of one prize per category to any one student.
- Entries will not be returned, so keep a copy.
- You are encouraged to submit work that has been the subject of a class assignment, but be sure to send a clean copy, free of any comments, marks, or grades.
- All submitted short stories and plays will be considered for the Edwin H. Lewis Prize for Fiction. Submissions must be limited to no more than 25 double-spaced pages.
- All submitted poems or groups of poems will be considered for the Mollie Cohen Poetry Prize, which seeks to honor the effort to master the art of poetry rather than the exhibition of emotions. You may submit all the poems you wish; however, multiple poems by the same student will be judged as a single entry.
- All submitted nonfiction will be considered for the Edwin H. Lewis Prize for Nonfiction.
- All submitted freshman essays will be considered for the Freshman Essay Prize. Freshman is defined as any student who is in their first year of full-time college enrollment in Spring 2014.
- Authors retain all rights to their works, however the authors grant IIT, the Humanities Department, and TechNews the rights to publish their works for one calendar year, from April 4, 2014 - April 4, 2015.

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