

Department of African and African American Studies, Harvard University
Kathryn Ann Huggins Prize
2024 Application

For the most outstanding thesis relating to African American life, history, or culture

Eligibility: All Senior Thesis Writers in Harvard College
Application deadline: Friday, April 4, 2025

This prize was established in 1987 by Kathryn Huggins's brother, the late Professor Nathan I. Huggins, W. E. B. Du Bois Professor of History and of Afro-American Studies, to remember Kathryn by bringing attention to the values she held most dear: personal commitment and dedication to study, humanism through the study of other peoples and cultures, and respect for the marginalized and dispossessed. A prize of up to one thousand dollars is awarded for one or more outstanding senior theses from any department on a topic relating to African American life, history, or culture.

All African and African American Studies concentrators are automatically eligible for this prize and do not need to submit additional copies of their theses for consideration.

All other seniors must submit the application form, a copy of the thesis, a letter of recommendation from their thesis advisor, thesis reader comments, a one-page abstract of the thesis and a C.V. to our AAAS Undergraduate and Graduate Studies Coordinator, by e-mail: Keirsten_Melbourne@fas.harvard.edu

First Name

Middle Name

Last Name

Harvard ID
Number

Concentration

Thesis Title

Name of Thesis
Advisor(s)

Phone

Email

Permanent Legal
Address

Harvard Address

Estimated
Graduation Date

Application Checklist:

Application Form

Copy of Thesis

Recommendation
Letter from Thesis
Advisor

Thesis Reader
Comments

One Page Abstract
of Thesis

Resume or C.V.

All application materials must be submitted by the **Friday,
April 4, 2025** deadline to:

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