Francis Hoffman Award for Excellence in Writing

Nominations are now being accepted for the Francis Hoffman Award for Excellence in Writing. Faculty and/or students may nominate any paper written by any Health and Human Development undergraduate student in the prior Semesters (Summer, Fall or Spring) for the award. Papers can include any paper written for a class, a chapter of a thesis, article submitted for publication, or other forms of professional writing. Self-nominations are accepted.

Each department will have $375 to award, departments may nominate 1 to 3 papers to the College for recognition. Departments may have their awardees selected by their scholarship or awards committee, their undergraduate program committee, or by separate committee for the Hoffman award. Departments should notify the college of their award decisions by end of April.

Individuals submitting a nomination should attach a copy of the form on the reverse side to the paper to be submitted. Nominations should be submitted to the individuals indicated below for each department.

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Student Name: _________________________________________________________________

Nominator Name (if not a self-nomination): __________________________________________

Student Email: _________________________________________________________________

Type of paper submitted (check one):

_____ Class paper (list semester paper was or will be submitted): ______________________

_____ Thesis Chapter (list semester thesis was or will be submitted): ____________________

_____ Article for publication (list journal submitted to and date submitted): _______________

_____ Other (briefly describe the paper and provide information indicating that the student
completed the paper in the prior semesters (Summer, Fall or Spring) for the award.

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