

International Studies and Programs, Michigan State University

## **Gill-Chin Lim Award for Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation in Global Studies**

### Nomination Solicitation

Nominations are invited from MSU faculty, as well as from deans, directors, chairpersons, and academic advisors, for the Gill-Chin Lim Award for Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation in Global Studies.

The award, named for the late Dr. Gill-Chin Lim, MSU Professor of Geography and Urban Planning and former Dean of International Studies and Programs, recognizes one graduate each year for her/his outstanding MSU doctoral dissertation, completed the preceding year, focusing on global studies. The award is funded through an endowment and carries a cash stipend.

#### Requirements and Procedures:

**Status:** The award recipient must be a Michigan State University graduate, domestic or international, majoring in any discipline and completing his/her doctoral degree between Fall 2013 and Summer 2014.

**Dissertation Focus:** In order to qualify for this award, the dissertation should have a substantial international dimension; the focus of the research should be a region/country outside of the United States. Although a GPA above 3.5 is preferred, more weight will be given to the intellectual contribution of the dissertation and the innovative methodology used to carry out the research.

The nomination packet must include:

- » Letter from the MSU academic advisor, faculty member, department chair, or dean making the nomination. The letter of nomination of no more than two pages should provide evidence of the dissertation's contribution to global studies.
- » Copy of the dissertation (to be returned). If the dissertation is written in a language other than English, an English translation of the abstract and research hypotheses must be forwarded with the dissertation.
- » A completed nomination form

# Nomination Form

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### Nominee

Dr. \_\_\_\_\_  
Last name First name M.I.

Home address

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Academic department/specialization GPA (doctoral studies)

Title of Ph.D dissertation

### Nominator

Dr. ☐  
Mr. ☐  
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Title Last Name First Name M.I.

MSU department MSU college

Campus address Email address

Campus phone Cell/home phone

If a paper copy of the dissertation is supplied, please return to:

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