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 JANUARY 23RD 2023 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 obtain 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 email your application to anthro@uga.edu.
• You may ask the nominating professor to email his/her letter of support to anthro@uga.edu, or give the letter of support to you directly.
• The award-winning student will be notified during the department’s annual Recognition Gathering, held in late April.

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