**The Center for Gender in Global Context invites submissions for the**

**Rita S. Gallin Award for the Best Graduate Paper on Women and Gender in Global Perspective**

The Center for Gender in Global Context invites MSU graduate students to submit a paper for its annual competition, named for Rita S. Gallin in honor of her 13 years as director of the Women and International Development Program and her scholarship in the area of women, gender, international development, and globalization. The paper should be approximately 20 double-spaced pages in length, and have been completed within the past year and should focus on issues related to women, gender, international development, and globalization.

Papers will be reviewed by a faculty committee, and the award will be presented at the GenCen Annual Reception on February 2, 2018. The winning paper may be peer reviewed for publication in the GPID Working Paper Series or on the GenCen website. Authors will receive a $250.00 prize.

Submissions are to be made to the GenCen office via email at gencen@msu.edu *(in Microsoft Word)*. Please indicate that you are submitting to the competition and be sure to include a contact phone number and email address.

A list of previous winners can be found on the GenCen website at [www.gencen.msu.edu/graduate-students/funding/#StudentComps](http://www.gencen.msu.edu/graduate-students/funding/#StudentComps).

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE:**

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15**