

# RCGV Paper Award

*Best Undergraduate Paper  
on Gender-based Violence*



Center for Gender in  
Global Context (GenCen)  
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

The Research Consortium on Gender-based Violence (RCGV) and Center for Gender in Global Context (GenCen) invite MSU **undergraduate students** to submit a paper for their annual RCGV Paper Award competition. Gender-based violence includes any form of harm that is both a consequence and cause of gender power inequities. It can be physical, psychological, sexual, economic, or sociocultural, and includes but is not limited to sexual abuse, rape, intimate partner abuse, incest, sexual harassment, stalking, femicide, trafficking, gendered hate crimes and dowry abuse.

#### Paper Requirements:

- 15-20 pages, not including bibliography
- 12-point, Times New Roman, double-spaced
- Completed within the last calendar year prior to submission
- Focus on any issue related to gender-based violence
- Submitted in .doc or .docx format to tinyurl link below
- EXTENDED Deadline: 11:59p.m. Friday, December 14, 2018

Papers will be reviewed by a faculty/grad student committee, and the award will be presented at the GenCen Annual Reception in early 2019. Winning author(s) will receive a **\$250.00** prize. The winning paper may also be peer-reviewed for publication in the GPID Working Papers and/or on the GenCen website.

A list of previous winners can be found on the GenCen website at:  
<https://gencen.msu.edu/about/student-paper-competitions/>

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