

**Stanford Human Rights Education Initiative (SHREI)
Outstanding Student Project Award
Application Deadline: April 30, 2012**

The Stanford Human Rights Education Initiative (SHREI) is a collaborative effort between the Division of International, Comparative and Area Studies (ICA) and the Program on Human Rights at Stanford University, and California community college faculty. The primary goal of this collaboration is to integrate human rights education into the community college curriculum.

The SHREI Outstanding Student Project Award aims to recognize, reward, and advance the exceptional work of individual community college student(s) and/or a community college student organizations dedicated to raising awareness of human rights, with special consideration for projects that reference the broader international context.

Awardee(s) will receive \$250 (subject to federal law) and the opportunity to present their project at a symposium for community college educators hosted at Stanford University on June 9, 2012. To be eligible, students must be currently enrolled at a California community college, or the student organization must be institutionally recognized by the Student Services Division of a California community college. Award recipients will be students or student organizations demonstrating commitment and success in educating others about human rights on their home campuses.

2012 Award Criteria

The 2012 SHREI Outstanding Student Project Award will be granted to a project dedicated to educating others about human rights and/or human rights violations. Projects (academic papers, newspaper articles, short films, organized sit-ins, posters, etc.) must have been created and/or organized by a student or group of students currently enrolled at a California community college. Nominated individuals and organizations will be graded in five categories:

1. Extent to which the individual/organization has designed and implemented an innovative educational program or project;
2. Ability to demonstrate and communicate through the project a clear understanding of human rights and/or the specific human rights topic featured in the project;
3. Demonstration of impact or potential impact on the local campus;
4. The project's connection to international human rights and/or how it reflects the global context of Human Rights, and/or the UN Declaration of Human Rights;

5. Extent to which the individual/organization has employed creative partnerships to ensure coordination with other human rights actors.

How to apply

Students should submit their projects to a community college faculty member for nomination (maximum word count: 400-500 words). Additional materials (video, newspaper clippings, etc.) can be included.

Faculty members should email, mail or fax the submission form and project description/materials to be received by April 30, 2012 to:

ICA - Stanford Human Rights Education Initiative
Outstanding Student Project Award
Encina Hall West, Room 216
417 Galvez Mall
Stanford, CA 94305
Email: jstahl2@stanford.edu
Fax: 650-723-3010

Applications will be reviewed by SHREI affiliates. Awardee(s) will be announced in late May, 2012.

Questions?
Contact Bobby Hutchison
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Faculty Name:

Faculty Email:

Faculty Phone:

Community College:

Student Name(s) and/or Student Organization:

Title of Project:

Date(s) of Project:

Description of Project:

What makes this project worthy of an award (please reference five award criteria):

I certify that this project was completed by the above named student(s) while they were attending _____ College.

Faculty member signature:

Date:

Please attach additional pages as necessary.