The Division of Educational Studies welcomes submissions for the Inaugural Jackie Jordan Irvine Prize for an Exemplary Paper in Multicultural Education

**Goals**

1. To encourage journal submission by DES students.
2. To encourage continuing attention to multicultural education, as was embodied in the scholarship of Professor Irvine.
3. To contribute to the creation of a community of scholars.

**Eligibility**

DES graduate students who have completed a paper of publishable quality (but not yet accepted for publication) and length (app. 25-40 pages) in multicultural education are eligible to submit. A multicultural paper should focus on issues of relevance to public schools that serve substantial numbers of students from poverty and/or ethnic minority groups. Submissions may be refined from class papers, conference papers, empirical studies, or reviews of literature.

**Selection Process**

One paper will be awarded the *Jackie Jordan Irvine Prize for Multicultural Education*. The selection committee will be composed of former Irvine students and current DES faculty.

**Recognition Details**

The recipient’s name will be engraved on a plaque in the Division, and the award will be presented at the annual Dora Helen Skypek Lecture or another public event. A small gift certificate will accompany the award.

**Submission Details**

For this, the first year of the award, the paper must be submitted to the DES secretary by March 3, 2008. It should be printed in Times New Roman 12 and follow the guidelines of the American Psychological Association or Chicago Manual of Style, dependent on requirements of the journal to which the paper is to be submitted. An application cover sheet should be attached to the front of the paper. This sheet must include the student’s name, title of the paper, abstract, journal to which paper is to be submitted, advisor’s name, and advisor’s signature. The submitter’s name should not appear on the paper itself.