

**HAWAII PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION 2009 RESEARCH AWARD COMPETITION**

**TO ALL PSYCHOLOGY DEPARTMENT FACULTY AND STUDENTS**

The Hawaii Psychological Association (HPA) is pleased to announce its annual Graduate Research Award competition. Each year HPA hopes to encourage research excellence at the graduate level by acknowledging students who demonstrate such excellence.

The rules of this year's competition are as follows:

1. Students enrolled in graduate psychology programs in Hawaii are eligible to participate and present at the HPA annual convention, November 9 & 10, 2009.
2. Interested students should submit an HPA Convention Presentation Application and a 1000 word abstract of their research along with a copy of the submission form below. Both abstract and submission form are to be cosigned by the supervising/sponsoring faculty member.
3. Submissions received by **June 15, 2009** will be blindly reviewed by a committee of the HPA with awards announced at the HPA annual convention.
4. Award recipients receive a perpetual trophy to display at their academic institution as well as a certificate and a cash award.

Should there be any questions, they may be directed to the HPA office at (808) 521-8995.

Yours truly,

Jill M. Oliveira Gray, Ph.D.  
President-Elect

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Submission: \_\_\_\_\_

Please have your supervising/sponsoring faculty member at your university sign the following:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed (Faculty member)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed (Student)

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Name & Title (Faculty member)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (Student)

Submit this form, an HPA convention presentation application and a 1000 word abstract of the research by **June 15, 2009.**

**Research Awards Competition  
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