



Western

Centre for Research
in Social Inequality

GRADUATE STUDENT ACADEMIC PROJECT COMPETITION

Extended Deadline: 4/14/2025 at 5pm EST

The Western Centre for Research on Social Inequality (CRSI) is proud to support a student academic competition for projects focusing on social inequality.

a. Eligibility

- a. A graduate student or graduate students in the Faculty of Social Science at Western University **and**
- b. A graduate student affiliate of the Western Centre for Research on Social Inequality.
 - i. If you are not a graduate student affiliate of CRSI, you can e-mail Leha Huffman (lhuffma@uwo.ca) to sign up.

b. Fund

- a. Prize: \$1250 gift (split into two if there are co-winners).

c. Application details

- a. Proposal: Please submit a 1-page proposal (12 font; Times New Roman; 1.5 space; 1-inch margins) with the following information:
 - i. Title of project
 - ii. Author(s) of the project
 - iii. Description of the project
 - iv. Data and methods being used
 - v. How your findings will contribute insights to the broad literature on social inequality
- b. The application should be submitted to lhuffma@uwo.ca
- c. The project can be co-authored by other students and faculty at Western, but co-authorship with faculty must be indicated.

d. Adjudication

- a. A committee comprised of a select group of faculty associates of CRSI.

Frequently asked questions

- Can I submit a paper co-authored by a faculty member?
Yes, but you need to specify that a faculty member co-authored your work.
Preference will be given to student authored papers.
- Can I submit a proposal for a paper co-authored by graduate students?
Yes.
- Can you guess what my chances of winning this award are?
NO.
- Can you please read my application in advance and give me feedback?
NO.