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The Allen F. Isaacman Prize in African Studies Application

Description: The Allen F. Isaacman Prize offers \$5000 to a junior or senior to encourage the person to pursue a Ph.D in African Studies, with a strong preference for History. A 1964 graduate of The City College of New York, Allen F. Isaacman is Regents Professor of History and the Director of the Interdisciplinary Center for the Study of Global Change at the University of Minnesota. He is the author of numerous books on African history and the recipient of the 2013 Distinguished Africanist Award from the African Studies Association. Applications must be submitted to the Chair of the History Department or the Director of the Black Studies Program in **NAC 5/144 or NAC 4/149**, or email your completed application to blackstudies@ccny.cuny.edu. All submissions are due by **April 14, 2022**.

Name _____.

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Please list below (or on a separate sheet) the courses you have taken at City College (or elsewhere) related to African Studies, as well as the instructor for each course.

Transcripts: All applicants must provide a current CCNY transcript with their application.

Reference: Please provide the name and email of one faculty member who would be willing to submit a letter of recommendation on your behalf.

Short Essay: In 1-2 pages, please explain your interest in African Studies and your plans for graduate study.

Research Paper: A copy of a research paper written on any topic preferably in African Studies

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