

Center for International Education
Trish Ighile Award Guidelines

In memory of doctoral student Trish Ighile, the Center for International Education has established an award in her name. This award recognizes a student who has shown exemplary service and involvement with the Center for International Education. Trish was specializing in International Education and ESL. She also worked in international schools, especially in Nigeria, where she led schools for many years. This award honors her commitment to her education and her career as an international educator. We are seeking nominees for the 2019-2020 award. Faculty can nominate a student they believe meets the criteria outlined below. Students can also self-nominate or nominate a peer. All nominees must fill out the application for consideration.

Nominations are being sought currently. Completed applications must be sent to the Center for International Education by March 15th, 2021.

Nominations and completed nominee applications can be sent to bshaklee@gmu.edu

To be considered, nominees must:

- Be a Ph.D. student whose primary or secondary specialization is International Education;
- Have completed at least Portfolio 1 at the time of application;
- Provide the names of their advisory and/or dissertation committee members and permission for reviewers to speak with said committee members;
- Show a commitment to International Education as evidenced in their application; and finally,
- **Show active commitment and engagement with the Center for International Education (activities can include among others: involvement/assistance in the annual student research conference, involvement with the Collaborative International Data Education Project (CIDEP), assistance with data collection with international grants (IREX among others), involvement with other CIE funded grants). Presence at CIE meetings is a not criterion that is required for this award.**
- Willingness to serve as a reviewer in subsequent years if awarded.

Award Announcements will be made in April.

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Name _____

Address _____

Telephone/Email _____

GNumber _____

Primary and Secondary Specialization _____

Advisory or Dissertation Committee members _____

Portfolio Completion Dates – P1 (reqd.) _____ P2 _____ P3 _____

Mark a check next to the following items if you are in agreement:

____ I am willing to allow members of the review committee to speak with my committee about this application if needed.

Please list your contributions to the Center for International Education.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Using another sheet, please tell us how your contributions to CIE connect to your goals, your academic experiences and your overall commitment to the field of International Education (please limit your statements to 250 words).

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