

Fall 2017 Neil Lubow Prize

Through the generosity of the Riger Potash Family Fund and with the sponsorship of the Cornell Program on Ethics and Public Life, this prize is given in memory of Neil Lubow '66, who was a distinguished professor of philosophy at the University of New Hampshire. It is awarded for an outstanding essay in ethics, including moral philosophy and ethical issues in public policy, science, business and personal life.

An award of \$300 is made for the best essay submitted from a First-Year Writing Seminar, English 2880/90 (Expository Writing), Writing in the Majors, or classes participating in the University Courses Initiative. Publication of winning essays in *Discoveries* is also possible.

To be eligible for an award, an essay must have been written in response to a teacher's assignment and must address ethical issues. The essay should, of course, be fully intelligible to a reader not familiar with the assignment or the course, and it must include all appropriate documentation.

Please note:

- Any student in a First-Year Writing Seminar, ENGL 2880/2890, Writing in the Majors, or a class participating in the University Course Initiative is eligible to enter, at the invitation of his or her instructor.
- No more than two entries may be submitted from each class or section.
- Each paper should be word-processed and should include the author's name and local address, and the name of the instructor and course.
- **A complete and accurate list of all sources, in an accepted documentation format, must be included.**
- The essay should be accompanied by a copy of the assignment that elicited it. **Please do not staple.**

Submissions are due in 101 McGraw Hall by Thursday, December 14. No exceptions can be made.
Undergraduate writers may not submit the same essay for more than one prize.

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~Please Print Clearly. Do **not** staple. Use paper clips only.~

Instr name _____ Instr e-mail _____

Department _____ Course # and title _____

Student's name _____ College _____

Local address _____ Class of _____

Local telephone _____ Email (Cornell) _____

Home address (street, city, state, zip) _____

Home telephone _____ Student ID Number _____

I understand that I may submit this essay for only one prize for the current semester. Should I win a prize, I give the John S. Knight Institute permission to publish, quote from, and/or distribute copies of my essay, and to distribute publicity to newspapers and other publications, local and/or national, about my winning the prize. I am prepared to send electronic versions of my text (not a PDF, but an editable text document) to Donna Newton (dlo1@cornell.edu) in the Knight Institute. I understand that I will receive the award for my prize winning essay upon submission of the electronic text.

Title of Essay

Student's signature _____ Date _____

Instructor's signature _____ Date _____