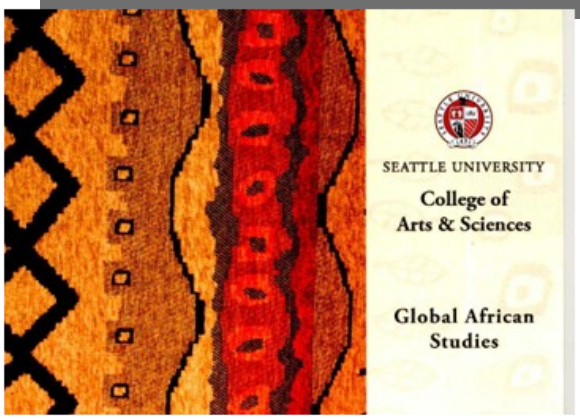

In commemoration of Africa Day 2013 The Global African Studies Program at Seattle University Presents an essay competition

PURPOSE: **To deepen students' understanding of the Global African World.**

DUE DATE: **Monday, April 29th, 2013**

ELIGIBILITY: Any student who is currently enrolled in a high school in the King County School Districts (Includes Seattle Public Schools).

PRIZE: **$100 First Place Prize**
$ 75 Second Place Prize
$ 50 Third Place Prize

HIGH SCHOOL ESSAY COMPETITION:
Write an essay that is between 400 and 500 words in response to the following question: How has technology influenced the image the rest of the world has about Africa or the African diaspora? Be sure to use specific examples.

FORMAT REQUIREMENTS:

A completed Africa Day Contest Entry Form must accompany **each** submission.
Essays much be written in English.
Essays typed on a computer must be in a 12-point font and size that is easy to read.
Handwritten essays must be legible, on plain white or lined paper, either printed or in cursive.
The title of the essay must be written at the top of the first page.

DIRECTIONS FOR ENTERING:
Electronic entry is preferred. If students have limited access to the Internet, entries may be hand delivered or mailed. Entries must be received electronically, by mail or hand-delivered by April 29th with the attached 2013 Africa Day Essay Contest Entry Form. Late entries will not be accepted:

To enter electronically:
Email your essay as a Word file attached to reynoldk@seattleu.edu

EVALUATION:
The essays will be read and reviewed by a committee of Global African Studies faculty at Seattle University. Winners will be announced at the May 31st Africa Day Celebration at Seattle University.

To enter by mail/delivery:
Send or deliver your essay to:
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