



Oris Glisson Fellowship: Outstanding Beginning Masters Student Award \$1000

This fellowship is named in honor of Oris Glisson, former professor at Virginia Tech and Instrumental in the development of ITAA-Eastern Region in the mid 20th century. Criteria for selection include:

1. Applied, Accepted, and Confirmed in a masters' program in an ITAA member program at time of submission;
2. ITAA graduate student member, professional experience in an contributions to the textiles and apparel professional including but not limited to involvement and leadership in professional organizations;
3. Statement of professional goals;
4. Academically sound background and high level of scholarship, with a balance of study in textiles and apparel and supporting disciplines;
5. Potential for future contributions to and leadership in the textiles and apparel profession; and
6. Potential for successful completion of an advanced degree.

Application Procedure

Follow guidelines as outlined on the "Preparing Student Award Applications for Online Submission" webpage.

1. Completed application form
2. Statement of professional goals and a description of the research problem for dissertation. Not to exceed 2-pages.
3. Two recommendations from people acquainted with your academic work.
4. A copy of your transcripts (Bachelor's degree and graduate work).

The Student Fellowship and Awards Committee will review the completed applications and select the recipients and alternates after July 1. All applicants will be notified of the committee's decisions as soon as possible. The awardees must notify the ITAA office of acceptance and supply the ITAA office with a digital photograph (72 dpi) by September 1.

Awards will not be made on the basis of race, creed, gender, national origin, or age. All information submitted by applicants will be held in confidence. All award amounts are dependent on availability of funds from interest bearing accounts. Individuals will not be awarded the same scholarship more than one (1) time.