

**Sara Douglas Fellowship for Professional
Promise
(2 Masters and 2 Doctoral Students) \$500**



This fellowship fund is named in honor of Sara Douglas, former professor at the University of Illinois. Dr. Douglas served many positions in ITAA, including President during 2002/2003. She cherished her role as a mentor to graduate students and young faculty. This award is intended to recognize graduate students who demonstrate outstanding potential and commitment to the field of textiles and apparel through support for travel to the ITAA annual meeting. Criteria for selection include:

1. Nomination/recommendations from an ITAA member or member emeritus;
2. Nominee must be enrolled in a masters or doctoral program in an ITAA member program at time of nomination;
3. Nominee must be a student member of ITAA at time of nomination;
4. Awardee must be registered for and attend the ITAA annual meeting to receive the award.

Application Procedure

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

1. Completed application form
2. Two Nomination/Recommendation letters from ITAA professional or emeritus members addressing quality of academic work of the student, professional goals, contribution to his/her own academic program, and anticipated contributions to the field of textiles and apparel.
3. Awardee must be registered for and attend the ITAA annual meeting to receive the award.

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 (300 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.