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President's Message

by Tammy Kinley, University of North Texas



Greetings!
As I reflect back on an ITAA year I enjoyed very much, I am happy to report a number of accomplishments:

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Meet ITAA's 2017 Graduate Student Liaison



Rachel LoMonaco-Benzing has been elected Graduate Student Liaison to the ITAA Council for 2017.

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Call for 2017 Faculty Awards

Deadline for Submissions: February 1, 2017

Nominate an ITAA member for a Distinguished Faculty Award. Nomination and application procedures and evaluation criteria are at the links below:

[ITAA Fellow](#)

[ITAA Distinguished Scholar](#)

[ITAA Rising Star](#)

[ITAA Mid-Career Excellence Award](#)

[ITAA Teaching Excellence Award](#)

[ITAA Service Award](#)

Call for 2017 Visiting Scholar/Practitioner

Deadline for Submissions: February 1, 2017

Nominate an individual scholar or practitioner from an emerging economy for the 2017 Janet Else Visiting Scholar or Practitioner Award. [Full Call](#)

Call for 2017 Special Topic Session and Workshop Proposals

Deadline for Submissions: February 1, 2017

Nominate evaluation criteria are at the links below:

[Special Topic Session](#)

[Workshop](#)

Call for 2017 Seminar Session Proposals

Deadline for Submissions: January 25, 2017

Seminar Sessions allow members to self-organize a session which may cross disciplinary and methodological boundaries in the field, and is organized around a specific topic. [Full Call](#)

Book Review

[Fashion Studies: Research Methods, Sites and Practices](#)

Reviewed by Elaine L. Pedersen, Oregon State University

Vancouver Spotlight

2016 Award Winners

Congratulations to ITAA 2016 award winners! See the full list of winners [here](#).

Notes of Appreciation from Faculty Award Winners

Faculty Award winners reflect on receiving their awards.

[Susan Ashdown](#)

[Marsha Dickson](#)

[Karen LaBat & Missy Bye](#)

[Jiyun Kang](#)

[Young-A Lee](#)

Mr. Jin Wen, 2016 Janet Else Visiting Scholar

This Year's visiting scholar, Mr. Jin Wen from Nanjing, China, presented "The Inheritance and Innovation Research of Yun Brocade" [Read More](#)

Graduate Liaison Conference Photo Report

by So Young Song, University of Tennessee

A visual report on Graduate Student participation at the 2016 Annual Conference [View](#)

Changes to Student Awards

Student Best Paper Competition Deadline Changes in 2017

New Submission Deadline: April 1

See [Full Call](#)

Hillestad Fellowship Increased to \$3,000

The Robert C. Hillestad Fellowship: Outstanding Continuing Doctoral Student in the Study of Historic Textiles or Costume has increased to \$3,000. This fellowship is intended for students with the dissertation research area in historic textiles or costume history. [Read More](#)

Since the Last Newsletter – Positions, Special Calls, Announcements

Positions

Twenty positions have been posted since the October Newsletter for these institutions:

Textile and Apparel Accreditation Commission (TAPAC), [Executive Director](#)

Radford University, [Assistant/Associate Professor – Fashion Design](#)

The Ohio State University, [Assistant/Associate Professor – Fashion and Retail Studies](#)

Virginia Commonwealth University, [Assistant Professor - Fashion Design & Merchandising](#)

Mount Mary University, [Associate Professor/Chair of Fashion Department](#)

St. Catherine University, [Ranked Faculty - Apparel, Merchandising and Design](#)

University of Cincinnati, [Assistant/Associate Professor of Fashion Design](#)

Auburn University, [Professor and Head, Consumer and Design Sciences](#)

Auburn University, [Assistant/Associate Professor in Apparel Merchandising](#)

Iowa State University, [Professor and Chair, Apparel, Events, and Hospitality Management](#)

State University of New York College at Oneonta, [Lecturer - Fashion and Textiles](#)

Massachusetts College of Art and Design, [Studio Manager, Fashion Design/Staff Assistant](#)

West Virginia University, [Visiting Professor in Apparel Design](#)

West Virginia University, [Two Tenure-Track Positions in Apparel Design](#)

Old Dominion University, [Assistant or Associate Professor in Fashion Merchandising](#)

Virginia Tech, [Assistant Professor in Fashion Merchandising and Design](#)

University of Monterrey, Mexico, [Assistant Professor in Fashion Design](#)

Tennessee Technological University, [Assistant Professor in Merchandising and Design](#)

East Tennessee State University, [Assistant Professor in Merchandising/Marketing](#)

Special Calls

Active calls posted since the October Newsletter:

Call for Papers: [Special Article Collection of Fashion and Textiles](#)

Call for Papers: [International Federation for Home Economics](#)

Call for Papers: [Special Issue of IJRDM, The Rise of Retail Consumers: Understanding Omnichannel Shopper Experience](#)

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