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WHO CAN APPLY?

Students and graduates from any faculty who completed their Master's, State Examination, or Law degree at the **University of Regensburg** in the **past two calendar years** with a final paper (thesis) relevant to area studies

Advisors or examiners of such theses are welcome to submit applications on behalf of their (former) students

Area studies explores cultures, languages, politics, history, religion and environmental issues, as well as economic, social, media and legal systems and practices, in large-scale regions of the world or in smaller-scale locations and communities

We encourage applications from students who have explored **relations, transfers, entanglements and interconnections** of different regions; drawn **comparisons** between different spaces; or have adopted **inter- or multidisciplinary approaches** to studying globality, a particular issue, or a specific area, community or space – including virtual spaces

Up to **three prizes** will be awarded each year:

- one first prize of **€ 400**
- two equal second prizes of **€ 200** each

The winners have the chance to publish their work with the **peer-reviewed blog:journal Frictions**

HOW TO APPLY

Applications must be submitted electronically in German or English, preferably as a single PDF file, to **campus@europeamerica.de** by **31 December**

The **following documents** should be included:

- final version of the submitted thesis, including an abstract
- all available examiners' reviews of the thesis
- statement outlining the outstanding quality of the nominated work and its significance for area studies (max. 2 pages), authored either by the student (in case of self-nomination) or by the advisor or examiner
- transcript of grades, including the Bachelor's (undergraduate) degree, if applicable
- CV of the nominated student

Applications will be assessed by a committee formed of members of the University of Regensburg and the Leibniz ScienceCampus