

INDO-GRENADIAN HERITAGE FOUNDATION (IGHF)

ESSAY-WRITING COMPETITION

Introducing our inaugural youth essay competition proudly hosted by the Indo-Grenadian Heritage Foundation (IGHF)! This contest offers young persons a space to showcase their talent and passion for creative writing. Participants aged 13 to 17 will have the opportunity to exhibit their prowess in the written arts. This contest presents an ideal avenue for budding writers to express unique perspectives and histories.

At the end of the competition, all participants will be recognized for their contributions, with the top three persons receiving awards and gifts, in cash and kind. This will encourage participants on the journey.

IGHF, known for its commitment to fostering national unity and emerging talent through Indo-Grenadian culture, invites young writers to seize this amazing opportunity. The contest will not only showcase their literary skills but also allow them to connect with fellow writers, literature and historical enthusiasts, and industry professionals, thereby expanding their network and inspiring future collaborations.

This Essay-Writing Competition promises to be an enriching experience for all participants, as they embark on a journey of self-expression and artistic exploration. So, if you're a talented young writer between the ages of 13 and 17, don't miss out on this extraordinary opportunity!

Submit your essays to the IGHF Essay Competition and let your creativity shine.

THE IGHF ESSAY-WRITING COMPETITION REQUIREMENTS

The Indo-Grenadian Heritage Foundation is pleased to announce our inaugural Essay-Writing Competition.

Participants will choose ONE of the following themes to write an essay of 1000-1500 words:

1. **Celebrating Different Cultures:** How do Indo-Grenadian traditions add to the unique culture of Grenada?
2. **Amazing People:** How has the Indo-Grenadian community assisted in the advancement of Grenada?
3. **Storytelling:** Interview an Indo-Grenadian family in Grenada. Write a report detailing the origin story, the Indo-Grenadian traditions they have maintained over the years and ways they have kept the Indo-Grenadian culture and identity strong.

Entry Deadline: June 30, 2024

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. All Participants must be aged 13 to 17 and must attend either a secondary or tertiary institution within Grenada, Carriacou and Petite Martinique.
2. Only individual works will be allowed, no collaborations.
3. The essay should be the original work and it should not be copied from anywhere.
4. There must be a list of references. Omission or illegibility may result in disqualification.
5. Essays must be typed, double-spaced in Times New Roman in 12-point font, titled appropriately and saved as a document or PDF before being submitted to ighf1857@gmail.com.
6. Submissions must be sent in NO LATER 11:59 pm on June 30, 2024, with the title of the email stated "PARTICIPANT'S NAME - IGHF ESSAY COMPETITION" with full name, address, contact number, name of school and which option chosen in the body.
7. The Announcement of the winners, as well as the Award Ceremony will be held on August 15, 2024.

AWARDS:

All participants will receive a certificate of participation and a pen or book.

Third Place will receive a certificate for third place, one novel, a small basket of stationery, and either \$200 cash or in the form of a gift certificate.

Second Place will receive a certificate for second place, two novels, a medium basket of stationery, and either \$400 cash or in the form of a gift certificate.

First Place will receive a certificate for first place, a plaque or trophy, three novels, a large basket of stationery, and either \$600 cash or in the form of a gift certificate.

JUDGING:

The writing contest will be judged by a panel of guest judges assembled by IGHF based on how the theme is addressed in the essay, skill, and originality.

GRANT OF RIGHTS:

Eligible participants grant the IGHF the rights to display and/or use the original work. This consent applies in all forms known now or in the future, in all media and in all manners, including, but not limited to, advertising, writing editorial, online and exhibition. Submission of the essay grants the IGHF a non-exclusive, irrevocable, royalty free license to publish the essay. All published essays will be credited with a copyright notice in the following form: "© Writer's first and last Name." Eligible Participants also release the IGHF, their affiliates, respective directors, officers, agents, and employees from any and all claims of any kind on account of any such use.

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No liability or responsibility is assumed by IGHF or resulting from any eligible participant's participation in or attempt to participate in the Essay Contest. The IGHF is not responsible for any typographical errors in any announcement related to the Essay Contest or these Contest Rules. By participating in the exhibition/contest, eligible participants agree to release and hold the IGHF harmless from any and all claims, damages, or liabilities arising from or relating to participation in the contest.

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Participation in the Essay Contest and/or acceptance of a prize, constitutes permission for the IGHF to use, without notice or further compensation, worldwide and in perpetuity, any eligible participant's submission and related information for any purpose, including without limitation, advertising and promotional purposes as well as in, on or in connection with the website or the exhibition/contest or other promotions, and each eligible participant hereby releases the IGHF from any liability with respect thereto.

GENERAL RULES

By participating in the IGHF's Essay Competition, eligible participants agree to these Contest Rules. If for any reason the essay Contest is not capable of running as planned, IGHF reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to cancel, modify, or suspend the event.

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ART COMPETITION

Introducing our inaugural youth art contest proudly hosted by IGHF! This contest will allow young artists to showcase their artistic talent and passion for creativity. Each participant aged 13 to 17 will be granted the chance to explore their prowess and aim to achieve the title of the first IGHF Art Competition winner. This contest is the ideal avenue for budding local talent to express unique perspectives and visions.

At the end of the competition, all participants will be recognized for their contributions, with the top three persons receiving awards and gifts, in cash and kind. They will also be granted the opportunity to showcase their artwork at the Awards Ceremony live. This will boost their morale and desire to commit to the creative arts.

IGHF, known for its commitment to fostering national unity and emerging talent through Indo-Grenadian culture, invites young artists to seize this amazing opportunity. The contest will not only showcase their artwork but also allow them to connect with fellow artists, art enthusiasts, and industry professionals, thereby expanding their network and inspiring future collaborations.

This Art Competition promises to be an enriching experience for all participants, as they embark on a journey of self-expression and artistic exploration. So, if you're a talented young artist between the ages of 13 and 17, don't miss out on this extraordinary opportunity!

Submit your artwork to the IGHF Art Competition and let your creativity shine.

THE IGHF ART COMPETITION REQUIREMENTS

The Indo-Grenadian Heritage Foundation is pleased to announce our inaugural Art Competition.

Participants will choose ONE of the following themes to create one piece of artwork:

1. **Portrait of Impact:** Create a portrait or artistic rendition of one influential Indo-Grenadian that has contributed significantly to Grenada.
2. **Artistic Narratives:** Tell a visual story, whether through Painting and Mixed Media or Digital Art, of the journey of East Indians that led to the 1857 arrival of the Indo-Grenadian community.
3. **Symbolism of Heritage:** Create an allegoric work of art symbolizing the Indo-Grenadian heritage and its significance, using symbols, colours and imagery that represents the community.

The Media that can be chosen from includes Ink, Watercolour, Acrylic, Mixed-Media, Collage and Digital.

Entry Deadline: June 30, 2024

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. All Participants must be aged 13 to 17 and must attend either a secondary or tertiary institution within Grenada, Carriacou and Petite Martinique.
2. Only individual works will be allowed, no collaborations.
3. The size of the canvas must be 12 x 12 inches.
4. All entries must be original and free of copyright restrictions. Computer-generated images and traced images will not be judged. Submitted artwork may not be overly derivative of images found on the Internet, in print media, or elsewhere.
5. Submit a high-quality representation (scan or photograph) of the artwork to ighf1857@gmail.com no later than June 30, 2024. The title of the email should read "PARTICIPANT'S NAME - IGHF ART COMPETITION" and the body should include the participant's full name, address, contact number, name of school, option of choice, and a short summary of 200 words, describing the piece.
6. Avoid handholding the art or showing the background.

7. Do not sign the artwork on the front, or it will be ineligible.
8. Orient the image in the direction the artwork should be viewed.
9. Please note: IGHF cannot accept physical artworks – online submissions only. Physical artworks will be brought to the Awards Ceremony by the eligible participants for display.
10. The Announcement of the winners, as well as the Award Ceremony will be held on August 15, 2024.

JUDGING:

The art contest will be judged by a panel of guest judges assembled by IGHF based on how the theme is addressed in the artwork, skill, and originality.

AWARDS

All participants will receive a certificate of participation and a sketchbook.

Third Place will receive a certificate for third place, a small basket of art supplies, and either \$200 cash or in the form of a gift certificate.

Second Place will receive a certificate for second place, a medium basket of art supplies, and either \$400 cash or in the form of a gift certificate.

First Place will receive a certificate for first place, a plaque or trophy, a large basket of art supplies, and either \$600 cash or in the form of a gift certificate.

GRANT OF RIGHTS

Eligible participants grant the IGHF the rights to display and/or use images of their original artwork. This consent applies in all forms known now or in the future, in all media and in all manners, including, but not limited to, advertising, art editorial, online and exhibition. Submission of the artwork grants the IGHF a non-exclusive, irrevocable, royalty free license to publish the artwork. All published artworks will be credited with a copyright notice in the following form: “© Artist’s first and last Name.” Eligible Participants also release the IGHF, their affiliates, respective directors, officers, agents, and employees from any and all claims of any kind on account of any such use.

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