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## 2014 Student Paper Competition

The Archeological Society of Virginia (ASV) provides cash prizes to the best student papers presented at the Annual Meetings each year. This year's conference will be held **October 10-12**, **2014** at the Hilton Hotel 1921 Kroger Boulevard Richmond Virginia

The competition is open to current undergraduate students and graduate students.

Three official award categories exist, recognizing student research contributions:

- Prehistoric Archeology (The McCary Award)
- **Historical Archeology** (The Williams Award)
- Collections-Based Research (The Virginia Museum of Natural History Award)

Awards for will be presented at the ASV Banquet on the evening of Saturday October 11, 2014 The cash prize of \$100.00 is provided to contest winners once their winning paper is submitted to the ASV's *Quarterly Bulletin*. In addition, award recipients will receive a *free* one-year membership in the Archeological Society of Virginia.

## Requirements:

You must notify Stephanie A.T Jacobe, Ph.D., Education Committee Chair, of your intent to participate by email [stephaniea.t.jacobe@gmail.com]. Competition participants must **register** for the ASV annual meetings and be **members** of the ASV.

## All students presenting papers will have their registration and banquet ticket fees waived in 2014

Students should prepare a **written** version of their presentation, to be submitted by Friday October 3<sup>rd</sup> to Stephanie Jacobe via email (drafts are acceptable). Participants also should prepare an **oral presentation** to be presented during their session at the Annual Meeting. The oral presentation should be **no more than 20 minutes in length** and visual accompaniment in the form of a PowerPoint presentation is strongly encouraged.

Presentations will be evaluated by two judges based upon the content, effectiveness of presentation, professionalism shown, contribution made to the field, and enthusiasm.

Participants are responsible for **attending** the ASV Annual Meetings in October and for **presenting** their paper at their assigned time.