

Hacettepe University Department of English Language and Literature

The Fifth Research Essay Contest in Science-Fiction and Fantasy Literature

In Memoriam Can Abanazır

"H. G. Wells 150 Year Anniversary"

Deadline for submissions: February 20, 2017

- The contest is open to **all 3rd and 4th year undergraduate students** currently enrolled in English Language and Literature American Culture and Literature programmes in Turkey.
- Each graduate student may submit only one research essay.
- Each essay must represent original research.
- A well-composed and substantially illustrated research paper is expected.
- Essays should be not more than 2500 words, including the works cited.
- Essays must be written in English, on A4 size paper, double-spaced, in twelve point font, and in Times New Roman style. Two cm. margins on both sides are required.
- References must be written in accordance with the MLA Handbook for Writers of Research Papers, 7th edition.
- All entries must be unpublished work. A chapter of the entrants' thesis/dissertation will not be accepted.
- Submissions should be sent as Microsoft Word (97-2003) attachment by e-mail to Res. Assist. Dr. Merve Sarı and Res. Assist. E. Seda Çağlayan Mazanoğlu at the following addresses: merve@hacettepe.edu.tr, caqlayan seda@hotmail.com.
- E-mail body texts (but not the essays) must include the following information: Essay Title, Name, Affiliation, and Contact information (i.e. mailing address, phone number etc)
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Evaluation Committee:

Prof. Dr. Burçin Erol (Head of the Department)

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- Evaluation Results will be announced by e-mail: Monday, March 06, 2017.
- Oral Presentation and the Certificate Ceremony: <u>Friday, March 13, 2017</u>, (15-minute presentations of 3 short-listed essays by the contestants for final evaluation and vote by all present).
- The winner essays will be published in the Department's website. The Department reserves the right to ask for editing prior to publishing the essays.
- There will be surprise prizes.

Oral Presentation and the Certificate Ceremony

• **Date**: March 13, 2017

• Venue: Hacettepe University, Faculty of Letters, Prof.Dr. Tuğrul İnal Hall

• Time : 10:00-13:00