Irwin Weil Award for the
Outstanding Slavic Essay 2020/2021

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The Slavic Department is inviting submissions for our annual Essay Award! Any student who took a Slavic course this year at Northwestern may submit an original essay or research paper written for such a course during the Spring Quarter 2020, Fall 2020, or Winter 2021. It is also possible to submit papers that have been already graded from Spring 2021. (Other papers from Spring 2021 may be considered next year.)

The paper should be at least 4 pages and it must include relevant footnotes/in-text notes and bibliography. It will be judged anonymously, so please remove any identifying information from the header and footer space. Please include this information on the cover page instead, as indicated below.

With your submission, include a coversheet with the following information:

- Your name, address, phone number, e-mail address, and NetID
- The name of the course for which the paper was submitted, the quarter it was taught, and the name of the professor
- Information on your course of study: Please list your school, your major(s) and minor(s), as well as your year of study (First year, Sophomore, Junior, Senior), and expected graduation date.

The submission deadline is Wednesday, May 19, 2021 at 5 PM.

If you have any questions, please email Prof. Martina Kerlova at: m-kerlova@northwestern.edu

Please use IW Award in the subject line and submit your paper and coversheet to our Department’s Program Assistant, Phil Hoskins: philip.hoskins@northwestern.edu