International Meaning Conference 2012 Student Submission Competition

This contest is intended to encourage active student participation in the conference. Student submissions can be based on a literature review, clinical case study, or empirical research. A variety of topics are welcome, as long as they are related to positive psychology, such as well-being, meaning, purpose, health psychology, or spirituality. Students may approach their topics from different therapeutic perspectives, such as contemporary positive psychology, humanistic/existential psychology or constructivist psychology. Accepted submissions will be presented as posters, papers, or part of a symposium, depending on the topics. Students may include their professors or thesis supervisors as co-authors.

Deadline for submission: May 15th, 2012 Notification of results: June 15, 2012

First Prize: \$200 plus a plaque **Second Prize:** \$150 plus a plaque **Third Prize:** \$100 plus a plaque

All students will receive a 40% discount for conference registration, if their submissions are accepted. Winners will be given a waiver on conference registration (the all inclusive package). For conference pricing, please see www.meaning.ca/conference/

Students will be notified about their acceptance or non-acceptance by June 15; winners will also be informed of the prize they have been awarded.

Submit your proposal to Dr. Ken Hart (<u>kenhart@uwindsor.ca</u>) or Dr. Paul Wong (<u>drpaulwong@gmail.com</u>) no later than 11:59pm May 15th. The submission should include an abstract of 500 words, stating the topic, objective, method, main findings and contributions of your presentation. Your submission will be judged by a panel of experts including Dr. Hart, Dr. Wong and other professors.