

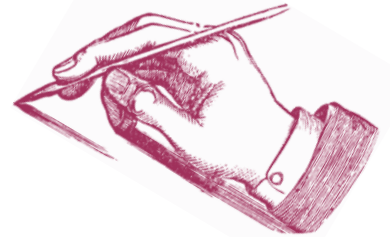
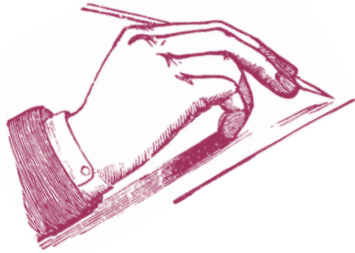
# *JONATHAN ORR ESSAY CONTEST*

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**First Prize: \$400**

**Second Prize: \$300**

**Third Prize: \$200**



**ENTRY DEADLINE: March 13, 2016**

(WINNERS WILL BE NOTIFIED BY March 30th)

Winners will be invited to the Friends Dinner on April 8th

This contest is open to all Eastern University Undergraduate Students

## Essay Topic:

The poet William Wordsworth said, "The child is father of the man," meaning our early experiences shape our mature lives and thoughts. Children's books or even adult books which we encountered in childhood, alter our imaginations, thinking, and worldview. Describe and expand on the meaning of such an experience and its effect on your life as a student.

## Essay guidelines:

- We will be looking for well-crafted, grammatically correct essays with proper spelling.
- Essay length must be at least 400 words and must not exceed 700 words.
- Essays must be the original work of the applicant. Plagiarism in any form will result in disqualification. Please cite any and all resources.

**Submit your entry electronically** - to Andrea Reed at [areed@eastern.edu](mailto:areed@eastern.edu)

Please include your **name, year, major** and **contact information**. Entries will be judged by a panel from Friends of the Library. Winners will be contacted by email.

