

**ISHS GRADUATE STUDENT AWARDS (GSA)
THE DON AND ALLEEN NILSEN YOUNG-SCHOLARS AWARD (DANYS)**

GSA and DANYS Award applicants must:

- Be an ISHS student member working toward a masters or doctoral degree
- Attend the annual ISHS Conference
- Propose an independently written conference paper (papers coauthored by an advisor are ineligible)

To apply for a GSA or the DANYS Award, graduate students must submit:

- a letter of intent, indicating the award for which they intend to compete
- a description of their research program within humor studies
- a curriculum vita
- a conference paper abstract by March 31, 2018
- all required conference registration materials and fees

DANYS Award applicants must also submit their completed Conference paper no later than April 21, 2018.

The ISHS Awards Committee will review each applicant's materials and, based on merit, make one recommendation for the DANYS Award and up to three recommendations for GSAs. The Committee will present its recommendations to the ISHS Executive Board for final approval, and the Board will notify the DANYS Award and GSA recipients of their awards in advance of the Society's annual Conference.

The GSA and DANYS Award recipients will present their work at a special session of the ISHS annual conference and will receive certificates of achievement. The DANYS recipient will receive a stipend of \$500 and each GSA recipient will receive a stipend of \$250.

For additional information, contact the ISHS Executive Secretary, Martin Lampert, at ishs@hnu.edu or click [HERE](#).