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ESSAY COMPETITION

2016

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PRIZE 賞金

(for several pieces)

Effort Award \ \ \ \ 50,000

for several pieces)

Ten applicants will have a chance to receive a ¥5,000 bookstore gift certificate.

DEADLINE 締切

2016/9/30

The essays must be sent by email to **essay@falia.jp** along with the application forms which are available from our website.

THEME 論文テーマ

Any topics that are relevant to life insurance.

We expect that many students who study insurance schemes or even those who are unfamiliar with insurance will challenge themselves to enter this competition with their rich imaginations and free ideas. We accept a wide variety of viewpoints and methodological approaches when it comes to the essays.

APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY 応募資格等

- 1. Must be an undergraduate or a graduate international student living in Japan whose status of residence is "College Student" (留学).
- 2. As a general rule, must be a national of a country that sends participants to FALIA seminars.
 - (Countries which have sent participants to FALIA include China, Cambodia, India, Indonesia, South Korea, Malaysia, Myanmar, the Philippines, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkey, Uzbekistan, and Vietnam, For more details, please refer to the FALIA website or inquire directly.)
- 3. Must still be a student when we hold the award ceremony and must be able to attend it.

(The award ceremony is scheduled in the beginning of 2017, we will announce the fixed schedule later on our website.)

GUIDELINES 原稿規定

- 1. Essays must be written in English or Japanese.
- 2. Essays must be original and unpublished.
- 3. Co-authored essays will be accepted, but each member must satisfy the applicant eligibility requirements explained above.
- 4. Essay could be 4000 words to 5000 words in English, or 4000 to 12000 characters in Japanese.
- 5. A registration form must be sent with the essay.
- 6. When quoting others, please properly indicate the source.
- 7. The copyright for all essays entered will be assigned to our foundation.
- 8. We may introduce winning essays, including details about the authors (name, nationality, university) on our homepage or by some other method.

ANNOUNCEMENT 発表

Prize winners will be informed directly in December 2016 and publicly announced on our website after the award ceremony in the beginning of 2017.

JUDGES 審查委員

Chair Professor Takau Yoneyama Hitotsubashi University

Committee members Professor Souichiro Moridaira Waseda University

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SELECTION CRITERIA 審查基準

Objectivity, originality, logicality, creativity

*We may interview the candidates.

OTHER INSTRUCTIONS その他注意事項

- 1. We may use personal information received via this competition solely for our foundation's use.
- 2. For the awards ceremony, we will cover the transportation expenses and accommodation expenses in Japan.

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