

Kuwait Program at Sciences Po Student Paper Award Fall 2020 & Spring 2021

The **Kuwait Program at Sciences Po** is a partnership between Sciences Po and the Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Sciences (KFAS). Working together, the two institutions support research and teaching of excellence in social sciences and humanities, with a special emphasis on the Middle East and Gulf Region.

The **Kuwait Program Student Paper Award** distinguishes outstanding papers written by Master students at Sciences Po, and Master students / fourth year Bachelor students in Kuwait on a topic related to the study of the Middle East or Gulf Region.

CALL FOR PAPERS

The Kuwait Program at Sciences Po invites Sciences Po Professors and university-level Professors teaching in Kuwait during either the Fall 2020 or Spring 2021 semester to nominate their students' outstanding papers for this competition.

Eligibility

- Student nominee must hold current enrollment at either:
 - Sciences Po, Paris, or;
 - Any university in Kuwait at either the Master's level or fourth year of a Bachelor's program.
- Professors may nominate candidates of all nationalities.

Requirements

- Paper nominations in all social sciences or humanities related subjects with a regional focus on the Middle East are accepted. Other subjects, such as engineering, chemistry, math, marketing, are ineligible for this award. Papers must be written in English.
- Proposed papers must have been written as a requirement for validating a university-level class in either the Fall 2020 or Spring 2021 semester. Papers written outside of the class (ad-hoc) or a paper written during previous semesters will not be considered. **Papers may not exceed 25 pages in total.**
- There must be one sole student author, papers may not be jointly-written in collaboration with a professor, teaching assistant, researcher or another student.
- Students must be enrolled either at Sciences Po, a Master's program in Kuwait, or the fourth year of their Bachelor's program in Kuwait.

Paper Submission

- Deadline for Professor-nominated outstanding student papers to be submitted by no later than June 15th, 2021 and sent by email to program.kuwait@sciencespo.fr with the subject "Kuwait Program Student Paper Award Fall 2020 and Spring 2021"
- Please indicate the university name, class title and student name.
- Please note that professors may submit up to 2 papers per course maximum.
- A joint KFAS-Sciences Po committee will review the papers. Results will be announced by September 2021.

Award

The authors of the selected papers will receive a prize of **1000 Euros**. Their work will be published on the Kuwait Program website.