Hello Honors Students,

**TONIGHT: 8pm – 10pm** in the Honors Coffee Forum (Lampasas 407); Join us for a late-night study break. Enjoy some breakfast food and a space to breathe for a few minutes in the middle of finals preparation.

Are you interested in art or poetry? The 35th Annual MLK Commemoration Committee is including a competition with a $300.00 scholarship and this is where you come in! The Office of Student Diversity and Inclusion is looking for contestants to participate in two different categories: poetry and art. First place winners will receive a SCHOLARSHIP and have an opportunity to perform/display their work at the MLK Program on January 22, 2019 in front of your peers, Texas State faculty/staff and President Trauth. Please see attachment for more information.

Have a great week!

Best,

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To: Texas State Students

This year’s Texas State University 35th Annual Martin Luther King Jr. Commemoration Celebration is quickly approaching, and our theme is “This is Our Time”. We chose this theme to help uplift and encourage the new generation of leaders and movements in our country. “This is Our Time,” acknowledges the revolutionary social change leaders of the past, while simultaneously taking control of our future.

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The parameters for poetry are as follows:

- Must be 4 minutes or less
- Must include leaders/activists in various communities such as: LGBTQIA, Latinx, Black, Asian, Native American, Persons with Disabilities, Veterans, Immigrants, People who have International status
- PROFANITY and explicit and offensive language, any form of bigotry, (ism) prejudice, promotion of lewd or inappropriate behavior related to drug or alcohol, will automatically LEAD to disqualification.
- Must submit a video to Ms. Jonnie Wilson via email (jonnie@txstate.edu) by January 3, 2019, 5:00pm. You will receive a confirmation e-mail that your video is readable and received.
- Must incorporate the theme "This is Our Time"
- Must be present at the MLK program on Jan 22 and must attend the dress rehearsal on Jan 21.

The parameters for art are as follows:

- Must be on canvas or poster
- Must submit to Ms. Jonnie Wilson, Office of Student Diversity and Inclusion by January 3, 2019, 5:00pm.
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- No larger than 26x24.
- Must be present at the MLK program on Jan 22.

Thank you,

35th Annual MLK Commemoration Celebration Committee