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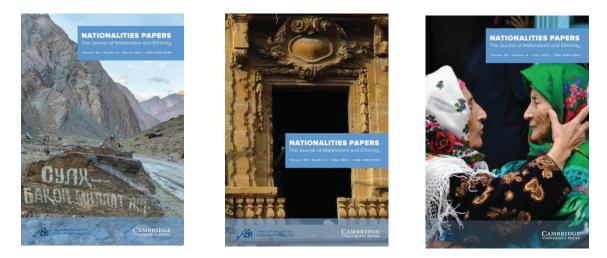
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The contest is judged by a jury comprised of scholars from the editorial board of the journal and past awardees. The membership of the jury changes every year, and is led by the editor-in-chief and supported by the managing editor. The 6 prize-winning photographs will be featured on the cover of *Nationalities Papers*. The photographer will be acknowledged in *Nationalities Papers*.

Timeline

- April 30, 2022: Contest closes for entries and nominees notified.
- May 2022: The winners will be announced.

2022 Nationalities Papers Photo Contest Committee

The winners will be chosen by the following scholars:

Ana Ljubojević - University of Graz, Austria Harris Mylonas - George Washington University, USA Hélène Thibault - Nazarbayev University, Kazakhstan

Submit your photos and brief descriptions electronically by emailing them to the Managing Editor of *Nationalities Papers*: <u>np.managingeditor@gmail.com</u>

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On the Cover. Photo taken by Paul Goode: "Military cadets parading after the ceremonial laying of wreaths at the Memorial to Heroes of War and the Home Front in Perm, Russia. Since coming to power in 2000, Vladimir Putin rebuilt the memory of victory in the Great Patriotic War as a means of unifying the nation. Beyond the well-known military parade in Moscow on Victory Day (May 9th), regional governments organize commemorative displays that bring together the resources and participation of church, state, business, and civil society actors. While the government appeals to patriotism through public displays of readiness to defend the motherland, most Russians are unmoved by official patriotism. By contrast, the more authentic, everyday practices associated with patriotism are apolitical and bound to family and friendship. This picture captures this contrast between official and everyday patriotism in a shared moment of levity between a pair of military cadets during a somber patriotic ritual in the run-up to the Victory Day parade. Photo taken in Perm', Russia, May, 2016."

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