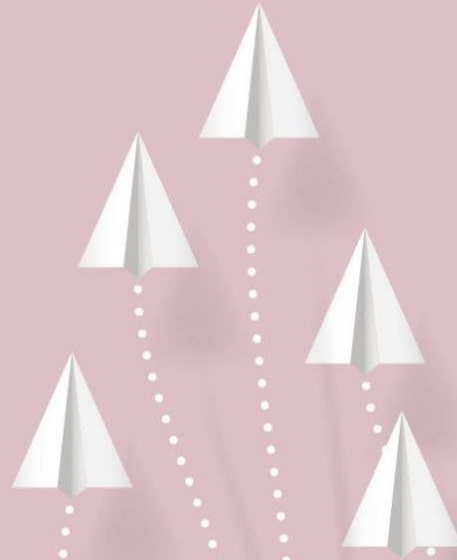

HISTORY/HSHM SENIOR ESSAY PRIZE DAY

MAY 21, 2021



NOMINATIONS FOR SENIOR ESSAY PRIZES ADMINISTERED BY THE HISTORY DEPARTMENT

Donald C. Ahrens III

American Trierarchy:

Henry L. Stimson, Henry P. Davison, and the Making of the First Yale Aviation Unit in the Great War

Advised by Michael Brenes

Ameera Billings

Second-Class Patients in the Second City:

Chicago as a Case Study of Racial Discrimination in Health, 1950-1980

Advised by Naomi Rogers

Andrew Bilodeau

Fire at the Castle: The Re-Imagination of Punishment in 1950s Connecticut

Advised by Brendan Shanahan

Natalie Boyer

Behind the Bottle:

Women's Drinking Spaces and Class-Stratified Drink Preferences in Late-Victorian Britain

Advised by Paul Freedman

Timothy Bradley

The Carter Administration, Argentina, and Human Rights: 1977-1981

Advised by Samuel Moyn

Nathalie Jasmijn Bussemaker

Imperialism's Stepchild:

Dura-Europos and the Political Uses of Archaeology in the French Mandate of Syria, 1920-1939

Advised by Jonathan Wrytzen

Aleksandr Butovetskiy

The Medieval Inquisition of Cathar Heresy

Advised by Carlos Eire

Grace Chen

Power, Politics, and Pluralism

in the Establishment of Community-Based Care in San Francisco's Chinatown, 1850-1925

Advised by John Harley Warner

Dayle Chung

Jew v. University of Iowa:

Confronting Racialized Sexual Harassment in the Courts and the Academy, 1979-1990

Advised by Mary Lui

Alexander K. DiMeglio

Challenging the Rhetoric of Assimilation: Federal Indian Policy and the Creek Treaty of 1832

Advised by Joanne Freeman

Arthur Donald

From Liverpool to Queens, New York: A Social History of a British Musical Journey, 1942-1965

Advised by Jay Gitlin

Tomeka Frieson

Breakfast Is the Most Important Fight of the Day: A Historical Examination of the Public Health Implications of the Black Panther Party's Free Breakfast Program

Advised by Maria Trumpler

Lena Gallagher

"Exceptionally Vulnerable to Abuse": Native Hawaiian Women, Sexual Violence, and Settler Colonialism in Hawai'i's Mainland Prisons, 1995-2009

Advised by Crystal Feimster

Grant Halliday

"Liberate Us from Such Bread":

An Institutional Analysis of Grain Distribution in Late Merovingian Society (ca. 650-751 CE)

Advised by Joseph Manning

NOMINATIONS FOR SENIOR ESSAY PRIZES ADMINISTERED BY THE HISTORY DEPARTMENT

Christopher Irsfeld

Unmaking a Movement: Radical Rhetoric in the Minnesota Farmer-Labor Movement, 1918–1944

Advised by Terence Renaud

Henry Maxwell Jacob

The Ballad of Ambrose W. Thompson:

Chiriquí, a Site of American Expansion and Reconstruction, 1850-1975

Advised by Jay Gitlin

Gregory Jany

Imperial Crossings: Chinese Indentured Migration to Sumatra's East Coast, 1865-1911

Advised by Denise Ho

Julian D. Johnson

"High Stakes & High Standards":

Black Club Women's Community Health Work and the Burden of Respectability, 1890-1920

Advised by Miriam Rich

Harry Kahn

Simultaneous Subjectivity: A Social History of Temporal Consciousness and Experience in Late Modernity

Explored through the Medium of Pablo Picasso's Collage

Advised by Terence Renaud

Trent Kannegieter

The Cuban Connection: SNCC's Encounters with the Cuban Revolution During Freedom Summer 1964

Advised by Terence Renaud

Tat Wei Lee

Perpetual Searching, Perpetual Guilt:

Jan Patočka and Jacques Derrida on European Responsibility in the 20th Century

Advised by Marci Shore

Weston Lowry

Sticking Points: The Emergence of American Needle Exchange in the Urban Northeast, 1986-1995

Advised by Miriam Rich

Zev Mayer

Permanently Temporary: The Making of the Indian Migrant in Colonial Rangoon

Advised by Sunil Amrith & Rohit De

Vivian Mayers

Musical Rhetoric:

A Stylistic Paradigm Shift in the 1980s Historically Informed Performance Movement

Advised by Jennifer Allen

Alexandra McCraven

Liberty and Literacy:

A Comparative Study of Slave Literacy in the Greco-Roman World and the United States

Advised by Noel Lenski

Jacob Mezey

Frozen Conflict on the Dniester River:

Explaining the Involvement of the 14th Guards Army in the Transnistria War

Advised by Timothy Snyder

Clara Molot

West African Print Culture and Pan-African Consciousness: The Case of Ere Roosevelt Came

Advised by Stephanie Newell

Emma Mueller

Victory of Tonnage: The Legislative, Bureaucratic, and Financial Mechanisms that Enabled the Rapid

Expansion of the United States Navy from 1938 to 1946

Advised by Paul Kennedy

Marisa Peryer

Trust Me, I'm a Doctor: 'Experts,' Fox News, and its Politicization of Scientific and Medical Reporting

Advised by John Harley Warner

Kaley Pillinger

This Land Is Our Land: New York City's 1999 Community Garden Auctions, a Study in Urban Recovery

Advised by Mary Lui

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Tereza Podhajska

Questions of Autonomy and Identity: Precursors to Cultural Nationalism in Post-Josephinian Prague

Advised by Ivan Marcus

Carolina Porcile

The Condor and The Eagle:

School of Americas and the History of Counterinsurgency in the Southern Cone, 1960-1980.

Advised by Michael Brenes

Caroline Pryor

Killing Obeah:

Moral Authority, Race, and Police Professionalization in Late Nineteenth-Century Jamaica

Advised by Anne Eller

Keshav A. Raghavan

"A War by Other Means": Allied Political Interventions in Vichy North Africa, 1940-1943

Advised John Merriman

Brian Reyes

Dreams Deferred: New York's Second Fiscal Crisis in the Era of Permanent Urban Austerity

Advised by Jennifer Klein

Kobe Rizk

A New Oil Weapon? Wrestling with the Meaning of China's 2005 Bid for Unocal

Advised by Paul Sabin

Mariko Rooks

When Healing is Home: Sansei Development of Japanese American Identity and Community Through

Healthcare Practice in the Late Twentieth Century

Advised by Sakena Abedin

Gabriel Roy

The Didi-Bahar Affair (1901):

France's Civilizing Mission, Jews' Legal Status, and the Emergence of Antisemitism in French Tunisia

Advised by David Sorkin

Neelam Sandhu

Rediscovering the Lost Era of Russian Fashion:

An Examination of Soviet Anti-Fashion Culture Between 1917 And 1952

Advised by Sergei Antonov

Talia Soglin

"Strike, Fire, and Guns: Exploring Public Memory in 20th Century U.S. Labor History Through the Lens of the Triangle Shirtwaist Factory Fire and the Massacre at Honea Path"

Advised by Jennifer Klein

Nancy Kathryn Walecki

The Space Between the Notes:

Craftsmen, Marxists, and Three Generations of a Family Music Store, 1866-2010

Advised by Jay L. Gitlin

Gwendolyn Wallace

"...Stories That Save Our Lives":

Black Feminist Articulations of Sickness and Health in 1980s Fiction and Nonfiction Literature

Advised by Sakena Abedin

Candice Wang

China's Barefoot Doctors and the Black Panther Party's Maoist Health Activism

Advised by Valerie Hansen

Henry Suckow Ziemer

From Insurrection to Inferno: The Ideological and Operational Evolution of Guatemala's Security Forces in the 1960s, Roots of a Genocide

Advised by Marcela Echeverri Muñoz

NOMINATIONS FOR SENIOR ESSAY PRIZES ADMINISTERED BY THE PROGRAM IN THE HISTORY OF SCIENCE AND MEDICINE

Ameera Billings

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Advisor: John Warner

Mari Chiles

“The Danger and the Endangered: Black Women’s Institutional Fight with Infertility and Reproductive Healthcare, 1800-2021”
Advisor: Jennifer Klein

Tomeka Frieson

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Advisor: Miriam Rich

Tasnia Khan

“Maternity Care’s New ‘Magic Word’: An Analysis of The Development of the Nurse-Midwifery Profession in New Haven, 1950-1985”
Advisor: Rebecca Tannenbaum

Paige Lawrence

“Society and Disability in Ancient Egypt: De-medicalizing Egyptian and Greek Views on Persons with Disabilities and Bodily Perfection”
Advisor: Joseph Manning

Weston Lowry

“Sticking Points: The Emergence of American Needle Exchange in the Urban Northeast, 1986-1995”
Advisor: Miriam Rich

Marisa Peryer

“Trust Me, I’m a Doctor: ‘Experts,’ Fox News, and the Politicization of Science and Medicine Reporting”
Advisor: John Warner

Jasmine Rios

“Pathologizing the Poor: The Role of Public Hospitals in the Coerced Sterilization of Mexican Women in Los Angeles, 1960s-1970s”
Advisor: Rene Almeling

Mariko Rooks

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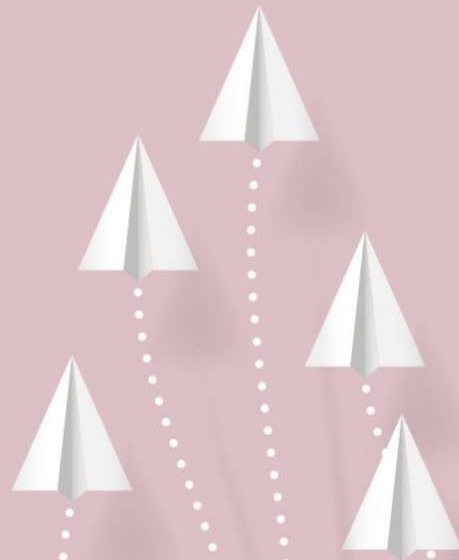
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PRIZES AWARDED BY THE HSHM PRIZE COMMITTEE





MARTIN KLEIN AND GEORGE ROSEN PRIZE

Established by the program in the History of Science and Medicine in 2006, the prize honors two distinguished former members of the faculty: Klein, a historian of physics, and Rosen, a historian of medicine and public health. Awarded to the senior who has written the most outstanding senior essay in history of science and/or medicine. Essays submitted by seniors majoring in History and History of Science, Medicine, and Public Health in fulfillment of the respective major requirements are considered as entered in competition.

And the winner is...

WESTON LOWRY

“STICKING POINTS:
THE EMERGENCE OF AMERICAN
NEEDLE EXCHANGE IN THE URBAN
NORTHEAST, 1986-1995”

ADVISOR: MIRIAM RICH





ELIAS E. MANUELIDIS PRIZE

The Manuelidis Prize, established in 2017, is presented for an outstanding senior essay in the field of the history of medicine, with preference for topics related to social justice.

And the winner is...

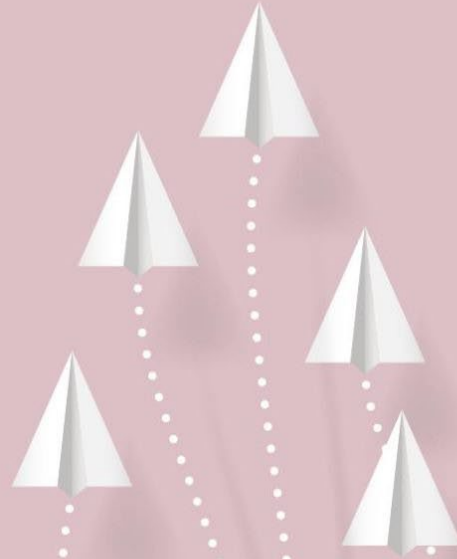
GRACE CHEN

“POWER, POLITICS, AND
PLURALISM IN THE
ESTABLISHMENT OF
COMMUNITY-BASED CARE IN
SAN FRANCISCO’S CHINATOWN,
1850-1925”

ADVISOR: JOHN WARNER



PRIZES AWARDED BY THE THREE HISTORY PRIZE COMMITTEES





PERCIVAL CLEMENT PRIZE

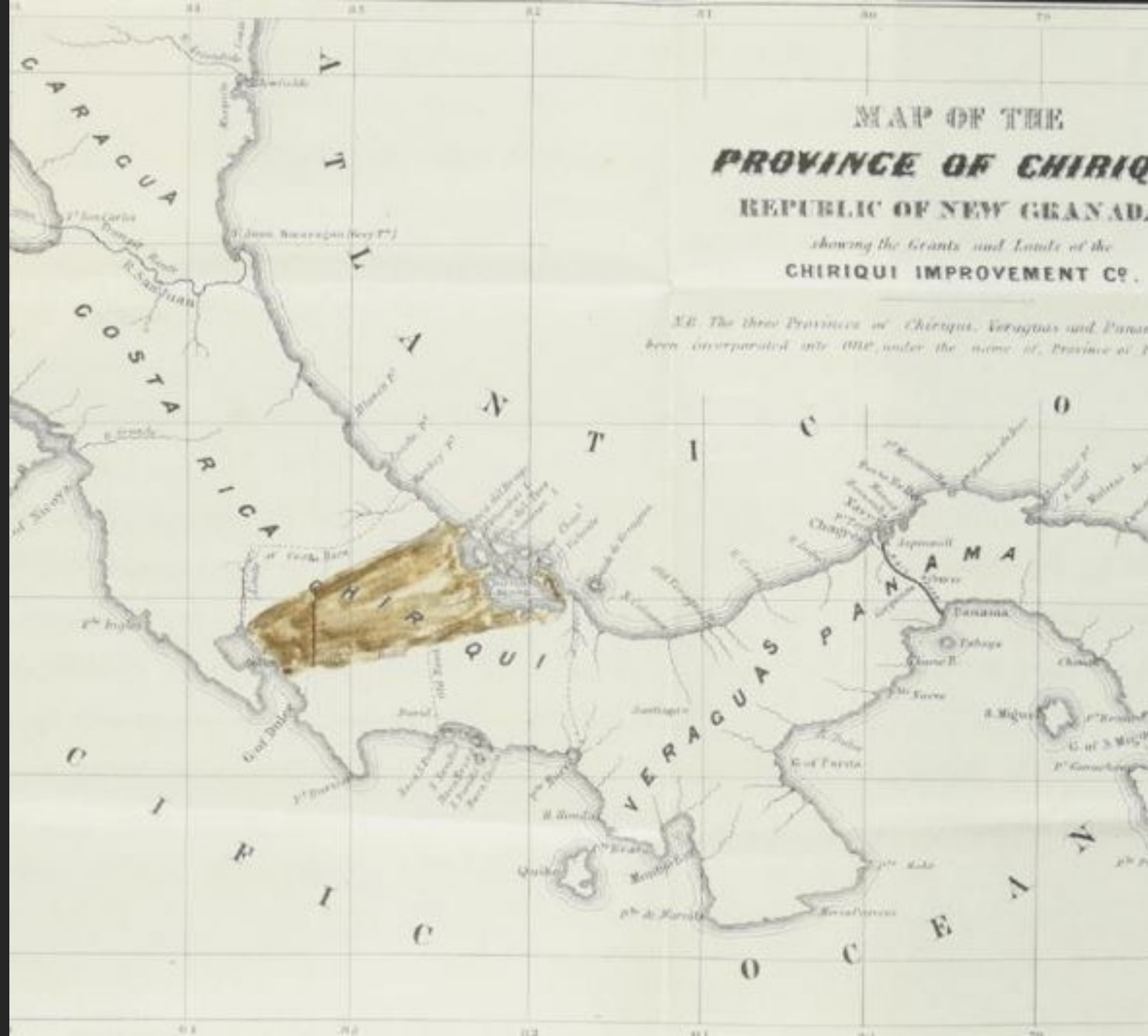
Established in 1994 for the best essay by a junior or senior in American studies (embracing history) that supports the U.S. Constitution.

And the winner is...

HENRY MAXWELL JACOB

*THE BALLAD OF AMBROSE W.
THOMPSON: CHIRIQUÍ, A SITE
OF AMERICAN EXPANSION AND
RECONSTRUCTION, 1850-1975*

ADVISED BY JAY GITLIN





GEORGE WASHINGTON EGLESTON PRIZE

GEORGE WASHINGTON EGLESTON (1901). George Washington Egleston of Eardisley, Herefordshire, England, brother of Thomas Egleston, B.A. 1854, and William C. Egleston, B.A. 1861. For the best essay on American history completed by a resident student during the current academic year.

And the winner is...

NANCY KATHRYN WALECKI

*THE SPACE BETWEEN THE NOTES:
CRAFTSMEN, MARXISTS, AND
THREE GENERATIONS OF A FAMILY
MUSIC STORE, 1866-2010*

ADVISED BY JAY L. GITLIN





THE JOHN ADDISON PORTER AMERICAN HISTORY PRIZE

Mrs. Porter established the prize in 1901 in memory of her husband, John A. Porter, B.A. 1878. It goes to a junior or senior for the best original essay completed during the current academic year on a subject bearing on U.S. political, constitutional, or economic history, or on the condition or future of the United States.

And the winners are...



KALEY PILLINGER

THIS LAND IS OUR LAND: NEW YORK CITY'S 1999 COMMUNITY GARDEN AUCTIONS, A STUDY IN URBAN RECOVERY
ADVISED BY MARY LUI

KESHAV A. RAGHAVAN

"A WAR BY OTHER MEANS": ALLIED POLITICAL INTERVENTIONS IN VICHY NORTH AFRICA, 1940-1943
ADVISED JOHN MERRIMAN



EDWIN W. SMALL PRIZE

Carmel R. Small established the prize in 1990 in memory of Edwin W. Small, B.A. 1934, for recognition of outstanding work in the field of American History.

And the winners are...

LENA GALLAGER

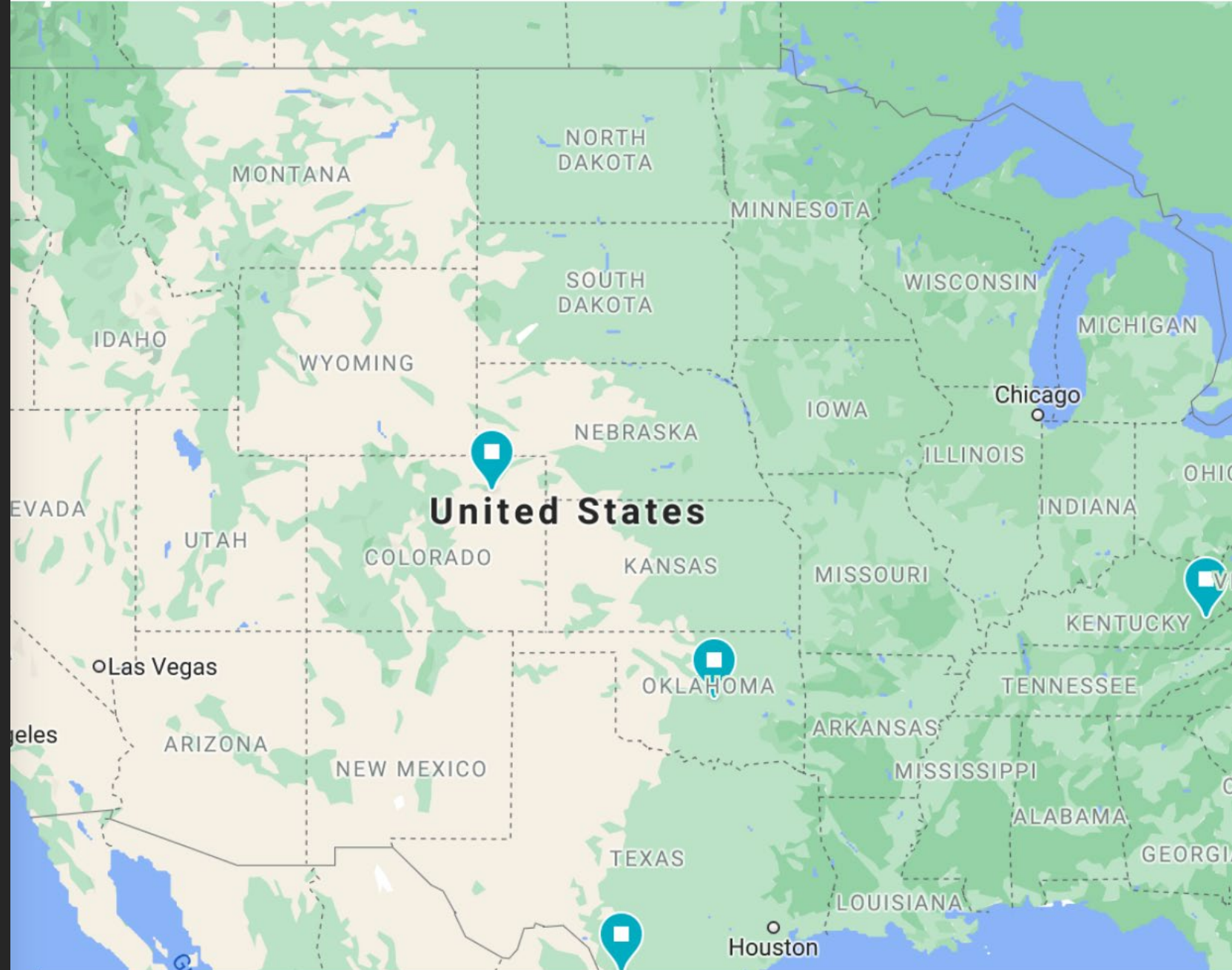
"EXCEPTIONALLY VULNERABLE TO ABUSE": NATIVE HAWAIIAN WOMEN, SEXUAL VIOLENCE, AND SETTLER COLONIALISM IN HAWAII'S MAINLAND PRISONS, 1995-2009

ADVISED BY CRYSTAL FEIMSTER

TRENT KANNEGIETER

THE CUBAN CONNECTION: SNCC'S ENCOUNTERS WITH THE CUBAN REVOLUTION DURING FREEDOM SUMMER 1964

ADVISED BY TERENCE RENAUD



Locations of Hawaii Mainland Facilities for Female Inmates, Compiled in Google Maps



ANDREW D. WHITE SENIOR ESSAY PRIZE (US)

Established in 1902 and first awarded in 1907, the White prize was the gift of Professor Guy Stanton Ford of the University of Illinois in honor of Andrew D. White, B.A. 1853, and endowed by a bequest from Mr. White for the best essay in English, European, or non-western history.

And the winners are...

TIMOTHY BRADLEY

*THE CARTER ADMINISTRATION,
ARGENTINA, AND HUMAN
RIGHTS: 1977-1981*

ADVISED BY SAMUEL MOYN

BRIAN REYES

*DREAMS DEFERRED: NEW
YORK'S SECOND FISCAL CRISIS
IN THE ERA OF PERMANENT
URBAN AUSTERITY*

ADVISED BY JENNIFER KLEIN





WINIFRED STURLEY PRIZE

Richard A. Sturley '49, M. Eng. '50, and Michael F. Sturley '77, J.D. '81 established the prize in honor of Winifred Sturley, Hon. 55. It is awarded to the student in the History Department who submits the best senior essay on a topic in English history.

And the winners are...

NATALIE BOYER

*BEHIND THE BOTTLE:
WOMEN'S DRINKING SPACES
AND CLASS-STRATIFIED DRINK
PREFERENCES IN LATE-
VICTORIAN BRITAIN*

ADVISED BY PAUL FREEDMAN

CAROLINE PRYOR

*KILLING OBEAH:
MORAL AUTHORITY, RACE, AND
POLICE PROFESSIONALIZATION
IN LATE NINETEENTH-CENTURY
JAMAICA*

ADVISED BY ANNE ELLER





ANDREW D. WHITE SENIOR ESSAY PRIZE (EUROPE)

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And the winner is...

GRANT HALLIDAY

*“LIBERATE US FROM SUCH
BREAD”:*

*AN INSTITUTIONAL ANALYSIS OF
GRAIN DISTRIBUTION IN LATE
MEROVINGIAN SOCIETY (CA.
650-751 CE)*
ADVISED BY JOSEPH MANNING





MAX BILDNER PRIZE

The Bildner Prize is presented for the best senior essay in Latin American history.

And the winner is...



CAROLINA PORCILE

THE CONDOR AND THE EAGLE:

*SCHOOL OF AMERICAS AND THE HISTORY OF COUNTERINSURGENCY
IN THE SOUTHERN CONE, 1960-1980.*

ADVISED BY MICHAEL BRENES





ROBERT D. GRIES PRIZE

This prize is for the best essay in a field in history other than American or European. Robert Gries established it in 1981.

And the winner is...

GREGORY JANY

*IMPERIAL CROSSINGS: CHINESE
INDENTURED MIGRATION TO
SUMATRA'S EAST COAST, 1865-
1911*

ADVISED BY DENISE HO





ANDREW D. WHITE SENIOR ESSAY PRIZE (LAAA)

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And the winner is...



GABRIEL ROY

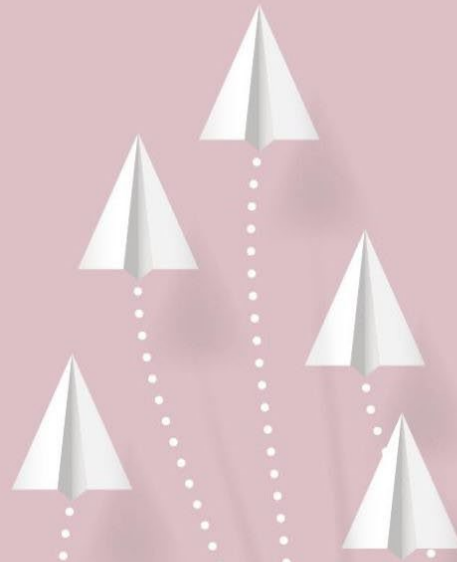
THE DIDI-BAHAR AFFAIR (1901):

*FRANCE'S CIVILIZING MISSION, JEWS' LEGAL STATUS, AND THE
EMERGENCE OF ANTISEMITISM IN FRENCH TUNISIA*

ADVISED BY DAVID SORKIN



PRIZES AWARDED BY THE LIBRARY AND MANUSCRIPTS AND ARCHIVES

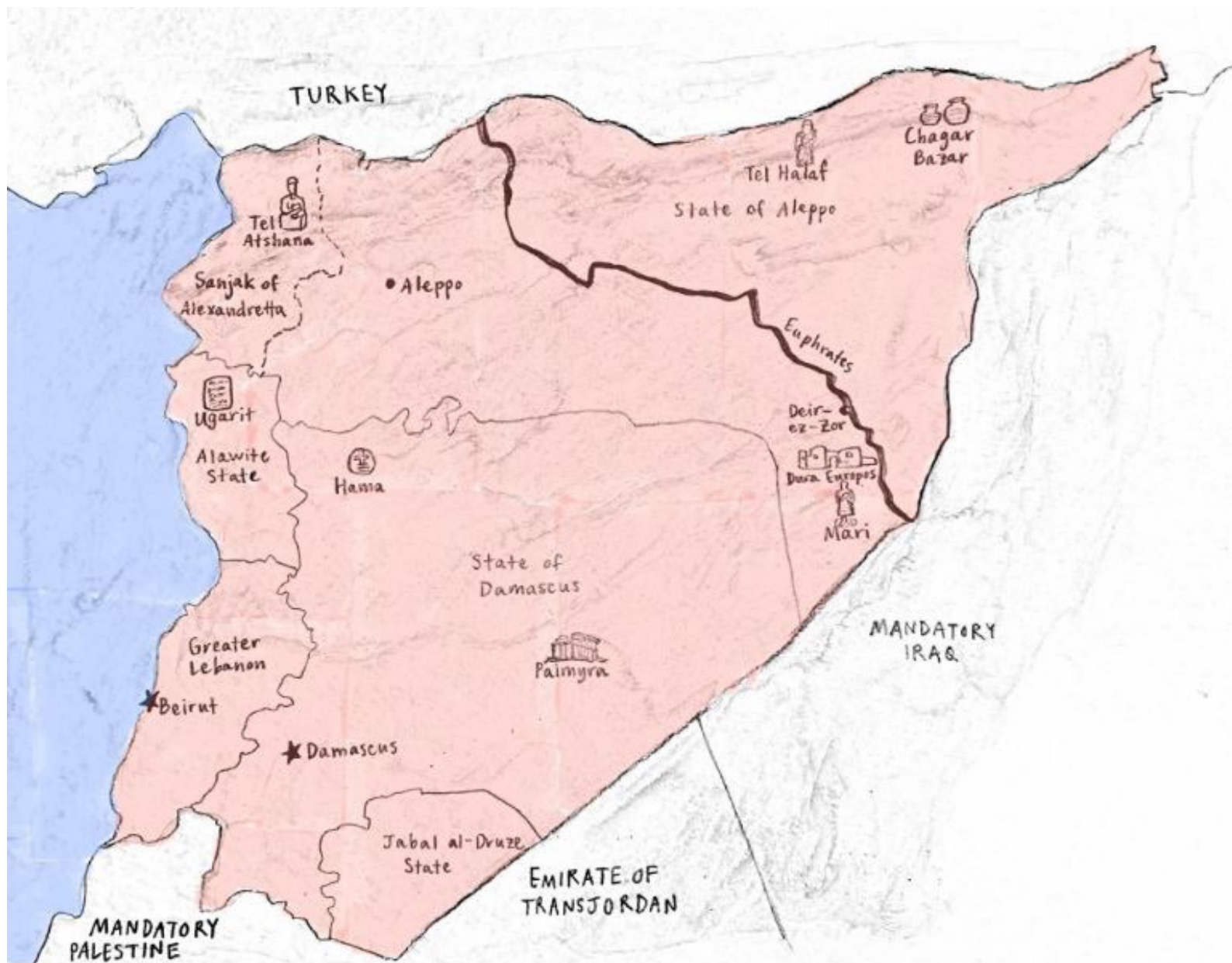




MANUSCRIPTS AND ARCHIVES DIANE KAPLAN MEMORIAL SENIOR ESSAY PRIZE

Manuscripts and Archives offers up to two undergraduate student prizes each year, in memory of our colleague Diane E. Kaplan, who was instrumental in making these prizes available to Yale College seniors. The prizes are for an outstanding senior essay, on any topic (including Yale), based substantially on research done in Manuscripts and Archives. Students must submit these prize nominations themselves.

And the winner is...



NATHALIE JASMIJN
BUSSEMAKER
*IMPERIALISM'S STEPCHILD:
DURA-EUROPOS AND THE
POLITICAL USES OF
ARCHAEOLOGY IN THE
FRENCH
MANDATE OF SYRIA, 1920–
1939*
ADVISED BY JONATHAN
WYRTZEN

PRIZES AWARDED TO HISTORY AND HSHM BY OTHER CENTERS

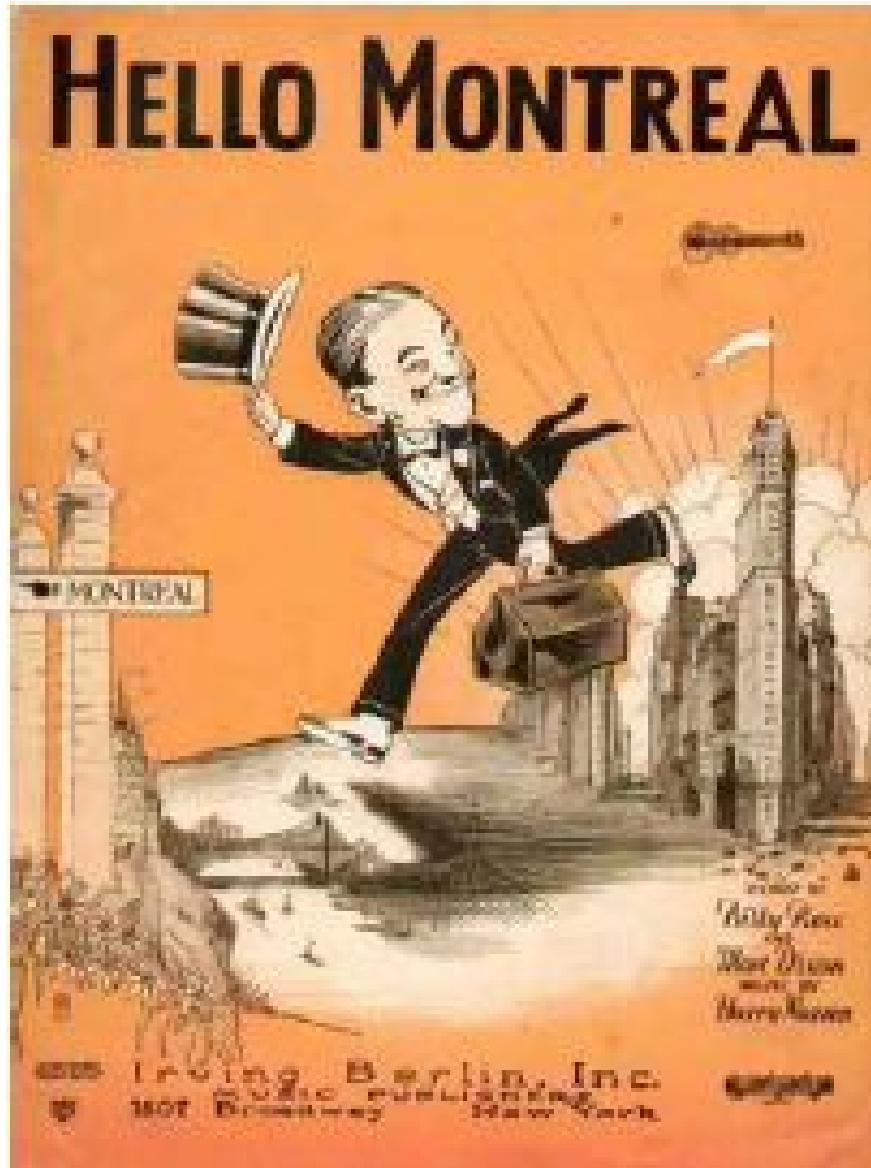




CANADIAN STUDIES PRIZE

The Canadian Studies Prize is for the best essay on a Canadian topic, awarded by the Canadian Studies Council.

And the winner is...



ALEX REEDY

"FROM DORCHESTER STREET TO
BOULEVARD RÉNE-LÉVESQUE:
REMAPPING AND REBRANDING
MONTREAL AS A QUARTIER DES
SPECTACLES"

ADVISOR: JAY GITLIN



AMERICAN JEWISH CONGRESS PRIZE

The Department of Religious Studies, in conjunction with the Program in Judaic Studies, awards a prize annually honoring academic excellence in a senior essay. The American Jewish Congress prize is awarded to a senior in Yale College for an essay in any field of Judaic Studies.

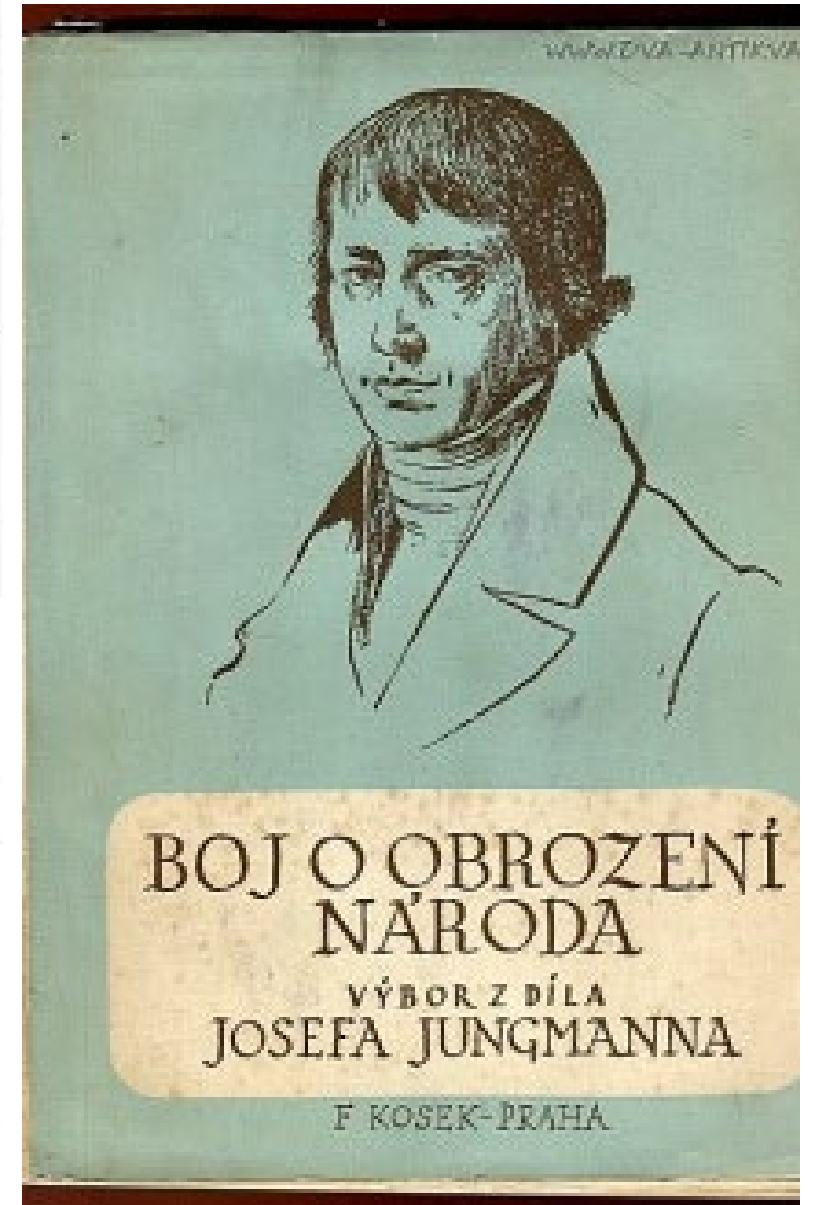
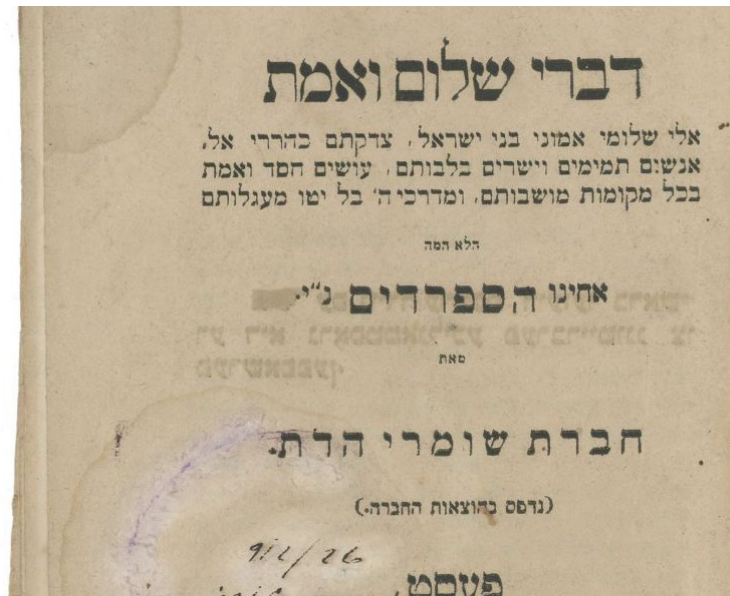
And the winners are...

TEREZA PODHAJSKA

"QUESTIONS OF AUTONOMY
AND IDENTITY: PRECURSORS
TO CULTURAL
NATIONALISM IN POST-
JOSEPHINIAN PRAGUE"
ADVISED BY IVAN MARCUS

GABRIEL ROY

"THE DIDI-BAHAR AFFAIR
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LILY ROSEN PRIZE IN WOMEN'S HEALTH

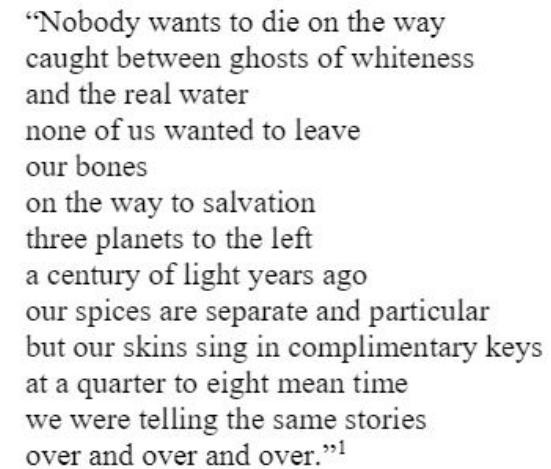
Awarded annually to an undergraduate in Yale College for the best essay that contributes to knowledge about women's health. Essays may be in any field of the humanities or social, physical or natural sciences and may deal with any aspect of women's physical or mental health.

And the winners are...

“EXCEPTIONALLY VULNERABLE TO ABUSE”: NATIVE HAWAIIAN WOMEN, SEXUAL VIOLENCE, AND SETTLER COLONIALISM IN HAWAI‘I’S MAINLAND PRISONS, 1995-2009

GWENDOLYN WALLACE

*"...STORIES THAT SAVE OUR LIVES":
BLACK FEMINIST ARTICULATIONS OF
SICKNESS AND HEALTH IN 1980S
FICTION AND NONFICTION LITERATURE
ADVISED BY SAKENA ABEDIN*



-Audre Lorde



WILLIAMS PRIZE IN EAST ASIAN STUDIES

This prize is awarded by faculty nomination only to a senior in any department at Yale University for an outstanding paper completed during the current academic year on a Chinese, Japanese, or Korean subject. Papers are nominated and must be signed by an East Asian Studies faculty member as an endorsement of quality.

And the winner is...



GREGORY JANY
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ON BEHALF OF YOUR
DEPARTMENT AND PROGRAM
REGISTRARS,
ESSIE LUCKY-BARROS (HISTORY)
AND ERICA LEE (HSHM),
CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE
NOMINEES AND WINNERS!
BEST WISHES FOR BRIGHT DAYS
AHEAD!

