

Bryan LaPointe

“A Quick and Feverish Circulation”: Southeast Michigan Newspaper Perceptions of Slavery, Emancipation, and Blacks during the American Civil War, 1860-1863
(Advisor: Maris Vinovskis)

Christopher Kline

The Promises We Keep: President Gerald R. Ford’s Leadership at the Helsinki Conference
(Advisor: Maris Vinovskis)

Julia Jacovides

A House Divided: Partition in Cyprus and Ireland
(Advisor: Melanie Tanielian)

Brianna Wilson

Perseverance in the Midst of Resistance: Building a Jewish Community Around Growing Anti-Semitism in Mexico, 1920s – 1940s
(Advisor: Lenny Ureña)

Emily Riippa

Place of Hope and Misery: Women’s Experiences in Michigan’s Copper Country, 1880-1930
(Advisor: Gabrielle Hecht)

12:00 AWARDING OF PRIZES and HONORS CORDS

- Stephen J. Tonsor Best Oral Presentation of Thesis Award
- James A. Knight Scholarship in History
- Elizabeth Sargent Lee History of Medicine Award
- Stephen J. Tonsor History of Ideas Undergraduate Honors Award
- John A. Williams History Award
- The Arthur Fondiler History Awards

Lunch will be provided for the Honors students, their guests and faculty advisors immediately following the Symposium



Lunch provided in memory of Anne E. Kovach & Stephen J. Tonsor

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**30th Annual
Honors Symposium**



**Senior Honors Thesis
Research Presentations**

Friday, May 2, 2014
9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Michigan Union Anderson Room
530 S State Street
Ann Arbor, MI

30th Annual History Honors Symposium

9:00 Welcome & Introductory Remarks

Professor Brian Porter-Szücs,
Chair, Honors Committee

9:10 PRESENTATIONS

Grace Goudiss

Branded Man: Merle Haggard, Country Music, and the Politics of Traditionalism
(Advisor: Nadine Hubbs)

David Penner

Can the Nazis be Funny? Can We Laugh at the Holocaust? Examining Comedic Representations of the Nazis and their Contexts from World War II to the Present
(Advisor: Anne Berg)

John Bohn

The Subject of History, The Body of History: Indeterminacy, Multiplicity, and Intersubjectivity in the Works of Voltairine de Cleyre
(Advisor: Deborah Dash Moore)

Baihan Li

Chen Duxiu and his Democratic Thoughts: a Search for Liberation
(Advisor: Fabio Lanza)

Rosie Levine

"I am a Boxer": The Boxer Rebellion as Projection, Reflection and Symbol in American Culture, 1898-1901
(Advisor: Jay Cook)

Samuel Grusin

Heroes of the Frontier: The Cultural Memory and Impact of the Lewis and Clark Expedition
(Advisor: Michael Witgen)

Nicholas Colaccino

Creation of Monopoly: The Influence of the Dutch East India Company in Tokugawa Foreign Policy
(Advisor: Hitomi Tonomura)

Brigid Klick

Straighten Up and Fly Right: The Dichotomy between British and American Women Auxiliary Pilots of World War II
(Advisor: Kali Israel)

Abagael Adair

The American Press and the Allied Blockade
(Advisor: Jonathan Marwil)

Zachary Bergman

Stop the Neglect: Medical Care and African Americans after the Civil War
(Advisor: Martin Pernick)

Emily Hogikyan

"The Hope of the Future Lies in their Instruction": Health Education in the British Infant Welfare Movement, 1900-1914
(Advisor: Kali Israel)

10:25 BREAK

10:45 Adam Aaron

Victory for God: The Religious Implications of the Massacre of Jerusalem of 1099
(Advisor: Paolo Squatriti)

Anna Gwiazdowski

Social Activism & Ecumenism: How Ministering to Welfare Needs Influenced Interdenominational Cooperation
(Advisor: Brian Porter-Szücs)

Caitlin Miller

"Fragrance Exhaled": Olfactory Power in Late Antique Christian Syria
(Advisor: Paolo Squatriti)

Chen Liu

An Analysis of the Development of Chinese Museums Under the Chinese Community Party: 1949-1966
(Advisor: Pär Cassel)

Margaret Grumeretz

Feminization of a Union: The Hotel Employees and Restaurant Employees Local 705 in the 1930s and 1940s
(Advisor: Matthew Lassiter)

Nicholas Maue

In Their Hands: Analyzing the Relationship Between Student Co-Operative Housing and Student Social Movements at the University of Michigan, 1932-1941
(Advisor: Matthew Lassiter)