Samuel Gordon
Disbelief and Uproar: Analyzing the Responses to the Fifteenth and Sixteenth Chapters of Edward Gibbon’s *Decline and Fall*
(Advisor: Clement Hawes)

Sarah Ming Bedoyan
The Story of a “Medical Bolshevik”: Dr. John Black Grant’s Alternative Approach to Promoting Health in Nationalist China Under Rockefeller Philanthropy
(Advisors: Miranda Brown and Martin Pernick)

11:25 Business History

Jason Colella
A Needy City: Urban Transformation and Economic Development in Muskegon, Michigan — 1887-1920
(Advisor: Francis Blouin)

David Hermanoff
Exile! An Investigation Into the Bisbee Deportation, Open Shop, and Right-To-Work in Arizona
(Advisor: Francis Blouin)

Michael Rieger
Reverse Course: The Secret Battle for the Japanese Economy
(Advisor: Leslie Pincus)

Thomas Stephenson
Florida’s Wilderness Herds: A Chronicle of Cattle Ranching in the Sunshine State, 1890-1949
(Advisor: Perrin Selcer)

11:50 AWARDING OF PRIZES and HONORS CORDS

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

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9:05  Welcome
Professor John Carson
Chair, Honors Committee

PRESENTATIONS

9:15  Women’s and Gender History

Mollie L. Berkowitz
Coming to the Fore: Women’s Evolving Leadership and Activism in MOVE
(Advisor: Martha S. Jones)

Devon Pawloski
Stay at Home Nightmare: Military Wives in the Vietnam War
(Advisor: Michelle McClellan)

Brie M. Starks
Slavery vs. Freedom: Black Subjugation and Exploitation in the 1850s and
Their Implications on Infant Mortality
(Advisors: Martha S. Jones and Alexandra Stern)

Charles Sorge
Living Alone: Three Loyalist Women in Revolutionary America
(Advisor: Gregory Dowd)

9:35  History of Activism

Alec Ramsay-Smith
“A Tremor in the Middle of the Iceberg”: The Student Nonviolent Coordinating
Committee and Local Voting Rights Activism in Southwestern Mississippi, 1928-1964
(Advisor: Howard Brick)

Greg Klein
The 1968 Fair Housing Act & Residential Segregation in Chicago, 1940-1980
(Advisor: Stephen Berrey)

Arielle Schoenburg
Before the Coup: The Solidarity Movement in the U.S. with Salvador Allende’s
Chile, 1971-1973
(Advisor: Howard Brick)

Henry Fishkin
“Our Grief is Not a Cry For War”
(Advisor: Kristin Hass)

10:00  History of the Creative Arts

Jamie Bircoll
“The Shadow of that Memory which I Honor”: Politics and Identity in Henry Grady’s
New South Vision
(Advisor: Stephen Berrey)

Taylor G. Mitchell
Queer Identity and Socialist Realism: The Censorship of Queer Art and Life Under
Stalin and Beyond
(Advisor: Valerie Kivelson)

Kara A. Mullison
Creating Change Through Spectacle: Art, Life, and Politics in 1960s Guerrilla Theatre
(Advisor: Howard Brick)

Verushka Patel
Picturing Division: Visual Art and Partition Historiography, 1947-2012
(Advisor: Farina Mir)

10:20  Military History

Gang Hao Poh
The March of Empires: Comparing the Frontier Policies of Augustus and Emperor Wu
(Advisors: David Potter and Christian de Pee)

Trey Hines
The Role of Religion and the Army in Samorian State Construction and Resistance to
European Colonialism
(Advisor: Joshua Cole)

Chiara D. Kalogjera-Sackellares
University of Michigan and World War I: A Study in the Development of the
University’s Purposes and Identity
(Advisor: John Carson)

Jacquelyn Timoszyk
Competing Narratives of Victimization and Survival: Experiences of the Holocaust
and the Allied Firebombing Campaigns
(Advisor: Anne Berg)

10:45  REFRESHMENTS

11:05  Writing Political History

Charli Spier
ARMINIUS: Transforming History into Legend in German Nationalistic Propaganda,
16th Century to Present Day
(Advisor: Ian Moyer)

Luke Berri
“The Harrying of the Heathen”: Ninth-Century Anglo-Saxon Views of the Vikings
(Advisor: Paolo Squatriti)