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## Department Awards

# Awards for Outstanding Papers Written in 2017

### *Women's History Award*

Jake Moeller, "Murderesses and Wretches: Infanticide as the Defining Act of Women in Victorian England (1840–1910)." Written for Jeff Hardy, Hist 306.

### *LeRoy R. Hafen Award in North American History*

Samantha Beck, "The Rutherford Redemption: Understanding the Source of Fraud in the Election of 1876." Written for Mark Choate, Hist 200.

### *Sechin Jagchid Award in Non-Western History*

Miranda Jessop, "Making History: Ken Burns' *The Civil War*." Written for Stewart Anderson, Hist 311.

### *De Lamar and Mary Jensen Award in European History*

Christine Edvalson, "Too Old to be Evacuated but not Old Enough to be 'Called Up': 'Teenagers' in World War II England." Written for Rebecca de Schweinitz, Hist 490.

### *Carol Cornwall Madsen Award in Mormon Women's History*

Holden Brimhall, "Historical and Contemporary Responses to Sexual Assault by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints." Written for Rebecca de Schweinitz, Hist 390R.

### ***History of the Family Award***

Daniel Handley “Where Is Father Now? Absent John Adams and His Tender Twigs.” Written for Kendall Brown, Hist 490.

### ***Personal Family History Award***

Becca Curtis, “You Are the Father: A Study of the Effects of Paternal Financial Support of Illegitimate Children in Dorset, England 1848–1868.” Written for Rebecca de Schweinitz, Hist 490.

### ***Cultural History Award***

Robert Swanson, “A Revolution of Heart and Mind: The Transition of Richard Stockton from Moderate to Revolutionary.” Written for Stewart Anderson, Hist 200.

### ***2017 Faith and Reason Essay Competition Award***

Sarah Rounsville, “The Way to Salvation: Comparing Ana de San Bartolome and Martin Luther.” Written for Craig Harline, Hist 303.

### ***Ethnic History Award***

Morgan Fronk, “Corporate Autonomy: French Jews and the Price of Citizenship.” Written for Chris Hodson, Hist 294.

### ***History of Empire***

Ian McLaughlin, “Sovereignty and Civilization in Proposals to Regulate the East India Company, 1772–1773.” Written for Karen Auman, Hist 490.

### ***African or Middle Eastern History Award***

Courtney Cook, “Defending Communal Identity in the Ottoman Empire: Hagop Gagosian and the Mormon Armenians, 1890–1910.” Written for Christine Isom-Verhaaren, Hist 490.