The Department of American Studies

Student Recognition

Thursday, May 14, 2020
5:30 PM

Jefferson Building, home of American Studies
PROGRAM

WELCOME & REMARKS
Tom Oates, Interim Department Chair
Travis Vogan, Director of Undergraduate Studies
Laura Rigal, Director of Graduate Studies

BACHELOR OF ARTS
Kimberly Nicole Bates (SPST)
Katherine Grace Bulzoni (SPST)
Lisa Dauterive (SPST)
Alexis Aileen Gore (SPST)
Emma Katharine Nemec Markowski (AMST)
Jacob Acel Page (SPST)
Trevor J Roarson (SPST)
Lucy Rohden (SPST)
Kyrin Blake Rosdil (SPST)
Peter Rudin (SPST)
Alan Phillip Schmidt (SPST)

SPORT STUDIES UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS (2019-2020)
Margaret Fox Scholarship
   Peter Ruden
C. Pauline Spencer Scholarship
   Sarah Schade
   Tianna Torrejon
   Kate Bulzoni

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY
Chris Henderson (summer 2020)
   Pleasurable Labors: Activist Fandom, Sport Communities and the Performance of Place
   Kim Marra and Tina Parratt, co-directors
James Oudenhoven
   Making Cinema Anew: Film Criticism and the Making of the New American Cinema, 1959-75
   Lauren Rabinovitz, director
Michael West
   The Birth of the Pin-up Girl: The Creation of an American Wartime Social Phenomenon, 1940-1946
   Brooks Landon, director
Diane Williams
   Inside the AIAW: The Philosophy, People, and Power of the Association for Intercollegiate Athletics for Women (AIAW)
   Tom Oates and Tina Parratt, co-directors

MASTER OF ARTS
Dominic Dongilli
Evan Krasner (December 2019)
NEW POSITIONS

Chris Henderson
  Lecturer in Public Relations/Sport Media and Communication, Harrington School of Communication, University of Rhode Island

Diane Williams
  Assistant Professor of Kinesiology, McDaniel College, Westminster, Maryland

DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS 2019-2020

Alexander Kern Professional Travel Award
Fall:
  Laurel Carlson (Association for Computers and the Humanities)
  Dominic Dongilli (American Society for Theatre Research)
  Greg Rozsa (Western History Association)

Spring:
  Chris Henderson (North American Society for Sport History)
  Ashley Loup (North American Society for Sport History)
  Ailey Picasso (International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry)

JoAnn Castagna Award
  Ailey Picasso
  Greg Rozsa

Sport Studies Graduate Scholarships (2019-2020)

Elizabeth Halsey Scholarship
  Ashley Loup

Mary Monroe Bell Scholarship
  Diane Williams

M. Gladys Scott Scholarship
  Ashley Loup

Jean Homewood Scholarship
  Chris Henderson

Miriam Taylor Scholarship
  Taylor Henry
  Chris Henderson

Sport Studies Travel Award
  Chris Henderson (American Studies Association)
  Taylor Henry (National Communication Association)
  Diane Williams (Western Society for Physical Education of College Women)

UNIVERSITY OF IOWA AWARDS

Ballard-Seashore Dissertation Fellowship
  Chris Henderson (spring 2020)

CLAS Marcus Bach Fellowship
  Chris Henderson (fall 2019)
CLAS Dissertation Writing Fellowship
James Oudenhoven (summer and fall 2019)

Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award
Ashley Loup

Digital Scholarship & Publishing Studio Summer Fellowship
Laurel Carlson
Dominic Dongilli

Graduate College Post-Comprehensive Summer Research Award
Taylor Henry
Kacie Rubalcava

Graduate College Post-Comprehensive Research Award
Kacie Rubalcava (spring 2020)

Graduate College Lulu Merle Johnson Fellowship
John Rubio (2019-20)

Humanities for the Public Good Advisory Committee
Dominic Dongilli (2019-20)

DEPARTMENTAL MILESTONES

PhD Candidacy
Ashley Loup

Comprehensive Exam
Laurel Carlson

Prospectus Meeting
Kacie Rubalcava

FACULTY AND STAFF

FACULTY
Susan Birrell (professor emeritus)
Naomi Greyser
Kim Marra
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Lauren Rabinovitz (professor emeritus)
Laura Rigal
Jennifer Sterling
Mathew Swiatlowski
Travis Vogan

Stephen Warren
Deborah Whaley

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