

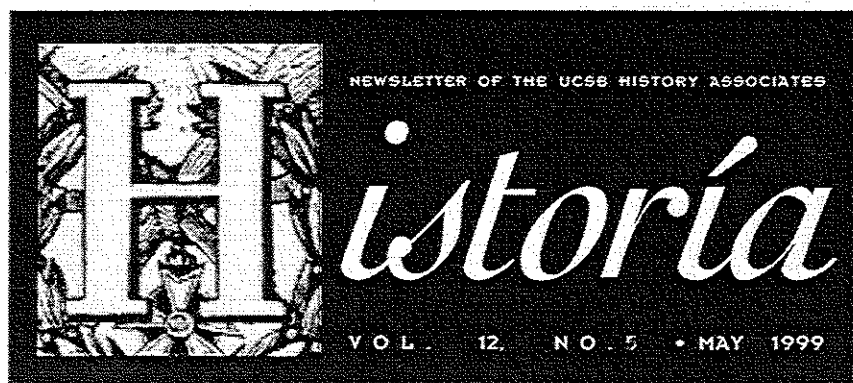
McGee Talk Will Focus On Elizabeth

THE CURRENT SPATE of movies on England's first Queen Elizabeth will be the topic of the concluding meeting of the UCSB History Associates 1998-99 season Wednesday, May 26 as History Prof. J. Sears McGee presents an illustrated talk on "Queen Elizabeth Goes to the Movies."

Prompted by Oscar nominations for Cate Blanchett's portrayal in *Elizabeth* and Judy Dench's in *Shakespeare in Love*, Prof. McGee's talk will explore the historical basis for these portrayals, and point out instances where Hollywood's creative juices took over.

One of the History Department's most popular teachers, Prof. McGee is a specialist in the history of early modern England. His undergraduate course on Tudor England earned him a Distinguished Teaching Award from the Academic Senate.

Prof. McGee was chair of the History
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164 Seniors to Take Degrees in History

Segretto Wins Buchanan Award; Best Paper Prizes Go To Rogovin, Atkinson, Hamblin

A TOTAL OF 164 seniors claimed degrees in History this year, with most of them scheduled to go through graduation ceremonies on Sunday, June 20 at 1 p.m. on the Faculty Green.

Leading the class will be Jesse Segretto, chosen to receive the A. Russell Buchanan award as the outstanding graduating senior of 1999 (see story, p. 5).

Laura Wertheimer (Farmer) and

Kathryn Statler (Logevall) shared the Rick Mayberry Award as outstanding graduate student.

Also taking History degrees are eight MA candidates and 14 graduate students who have completed requirements for the doctorate. They will go through a separate graduate commencement at 4 p.m.

Festivities will begin earlier that day at 11:30, when the department hosts a reception for graduating students and their families in the History Conference Room, 4020 HSSB.

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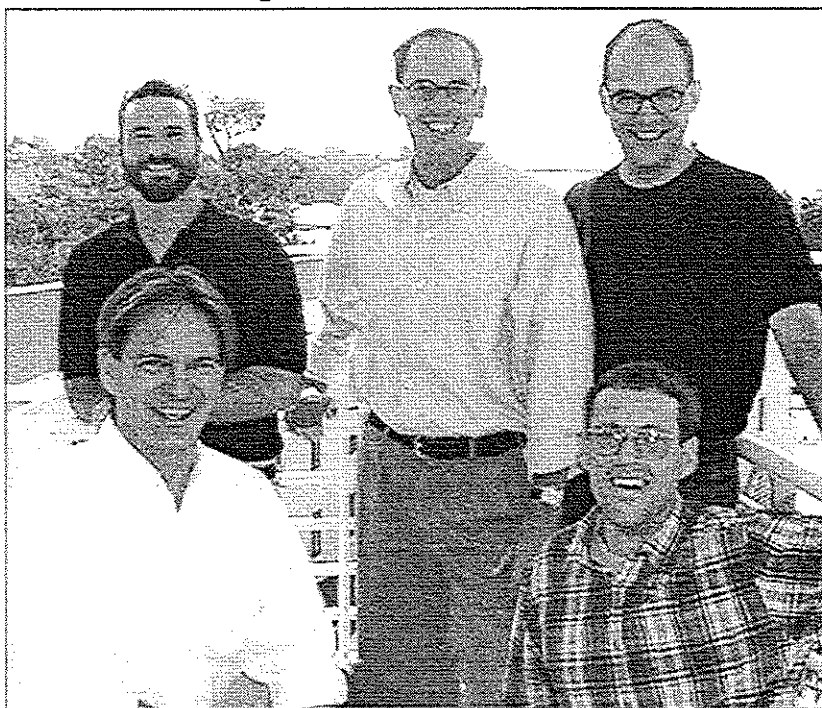
In addition to Segretto, winners of awards for best undergraduate and graduate papers were announced at the department's annual Awards Ceremony on May 19.

Jennifer Atkinson won the Stuart Bernath Award (best undergraduate paper) for "Storm Clouds in the West: The Battle Between Free Labor and Slavery in Missouri, 1819-1820), written for Prof. Majewski, and Jacob Hamblin won the Ellison Prize (best graduate paper) for "Easing the Tensions of the Cold War? American Scientists and the International Geophysical Year 1957-58," written for Prof. Badash.

Coreen Rogovin was the first recipient of a new History Associates Board Prize, created to recognize the best thesis produced by a member of the Senior Honors Seminar. Her work, written for Prof. McGee, was entitled, "A Holy Union?"

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History's Best Teachers!



Rick Fogarty (L), Ken Osgood, Fred Logevall, Randy Bergstrom (kneeling, L) and Dennis Ventry are all smiles as History celebrates its best-ever showing in the annual CETIS teaching awards. See story, p. 5.



Prof. Carol Lansing

Lansing Earns Coveted Guggenheim Award
MEDIEVAL HISTORY Prof. Carol Lansing has been awarded a coveted Guggenheim Fellowship to study the working poor (popolo minuto) in medieval Bologna.

Currently in Italy on a UC President's Humanities Fellowship, Prof. Lansing plans to base her study on 13th century court records. She recently published *Power and Purity: Catbar Heresy in Medieval Italy*, a fresh analysis of this prominent heresy based on court records from Siena.

Only 189 Guggenheims were awarded in all categories this year, only 56 in the humanities. Typically, the foundation receives more than 3,000 applicants.

The last member of the History department to receive a Guggenheim was Prof. David Rock in 1989 for his study of the authoritarian right in Argentina.

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So Many Honors, So Little Space!

SPURRED BY a challenge grant of \$8,000 from JoBeth and Don Van Gelderen, the UCSB History Associates collected more than \$46,000 to distribute at the department's annual Awards Ceremony on May 19.

The total included a gift of \$15,000 from emeritus Prof. Stephen Hay for graduate study of Islamic religion and culture and a matching grant of \$10,000 from the UCSB Graduate Division.

Carol Joyce Feinberg



Hubert Dubrulle

Dubrulle Wins Best Dissertation Prize

HUBERT DUBRULLE'S doctoral dissertation, "A War of Wonders: The Battle in Britain over Americanization and the American Civil War," has been chosen to receive the Louis and Winifred Lancaster Award as the outstanding dissertation at UCSB.

Hubert's doctoral committee is co-chaired by Profs. Gollin and Talbott.

In addition to winning the campus prize, Hubert's dissertation will now be entered in a national judging of all the local prize winners. The results of that competition will be announced in the Fall.

This is the third time in four years that a History dissertation has won the Lancaster Award. Elizabeth Digeser (Drake) won in 1996 and Fernando Rocchi (Rock) won in 1997.

(DeHart) won the Van Gelderen Fellowship for re-entry graduate students, and John Baranski (Furner) won the Dick Cook Award for outstanding service.

A new award endowed by Dean and Marian Ramstadt to support student interest in Education Abroad and Asian history and culture went to Andrew Sperry, nominated by Prof. Luke Roberts.

The Esmé Frost Fellowship for study of pre-modern European history went to Michael Connally (Farmer) and Justin Stephens (Drake).

Three students shared the

Grad Students Win Fulbright, ICGG Nods

HISTORY GRAD STUDENTS were highly successful in extra-mural award competitions this year.

Mike Connally (Farmer) and Stephen Cory (Humphreys) both landed awards in the highly competitive Fulbright fellowship judging. Mike will use his award to conduct research in France while Steve will use his award in Morocco.

Ken Osgood (Logevall), Kathryn Statler (Logevall), and Tryntje Helfferich (Sonnino) were selected to receive three of the five dissertation fellowships awarded to UCSB grad students by the Institute for Global Conflict and Cooperation (IGCC) for 1999-2000.

Stephen and Eloise Hay Fellowship. Eric Staples (Humphreys) is studying "The Acquisition of Informal Knowledge in India and Asia," Rhimou Bernikho-Canin (Gallagher) "The Religious Education of Moroccan Women" and Stephen Cory

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Prof. R. Stephen Humphreys

Humphreys Publishes Study of Middle East

PROF. STEPHEN HUMPHREYS' latest book, *Between Memory and Desire: The Middle East in a Trouble Age*, has been published by University of California Press.

The book attempts to show how the memory of events dating back to the Middle Ages continue to influence the complex history of this troubled region. It has been hailed as "a rare achievement that combines erudition, compelling writing, and personal experience."



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Emeritus Prof. Otis Graham (L) received the National Council on Public History's Robert Kelley Memorial Award in recognition of his dynamic editorship of *The Public Historian* from 1990-97. Admiring the plaque are Vic Gerasi and TPH Managing Editor Lindsey Reed.

A Quarter Century Of Buchanans!

IF JESSE SEGRETTO has anything to say about it, the secret to success will no longer be "plastics," but "silicon."

While attending high school in San Jose, Jesse says, he realized that the success of Silicon Valley had benefitted all classes and races.

So when his mentor, Prof. Elliott Brownlee, asked him what he wanted to do for the Senior Honors Seminar that he had just been invited to join, he said he wanted to study this phenomenon.

That was a year ago. Today, Jesse is the author of "An Economic History of the Silicon Valley, 1946-1971" and winner of the 25th Buchanan Award, bestowed on the outstanding graduating senior in History.

He will join a brokerage firm on graduation, but his ultimate goal is to become a professor of economic history.

The Buchanan Award was created by the UCSB Alumni Association in 1973 to honor A. Russell Buchanan, a founding member of the History Department who also served as the first Dean of the College of Letters and Science at UCSB and, for ten years, as Academic Vice Chancellor.

Prof. Buchanan, who retired in 1973, regularly attended the annual ceremony to congratulate each winner until his death in 1993 at the age of 87.

To mark the 25th anniversary of the award, the History Department is trying to assemble current information on all the award winners, according to History Chair Jack Talbott.

"Buchanan winners are a real cross-section of the department," he explained.

"We are hoping to publish



Jesse Segretto

photos and current information on them in a booklet that would show the breadth and depth of excellence we cultivate."

However, he said, the department has lost track of several of the winners. He asked readers of *Historia* to send him any information they might have about the current whereabouts of past winners.

Counting co-winners, there have been 28 recipients of the award. They are:

Nancy A. Essenpreis (1974); T. Stewart Burns (1975); Michael W. Binning (1976); John K. DiMugno (1977).

Paul Robert Behrens (1978), Patrice S. Petro (1979), Holly Kraemer (1980), Laird Foshay (1981).

Suzanne Mason (1982), Amy Nelson (1983), Gerald Figal (1984), Martha Cody (1985), Shawn Lyons (1986), Katherine Sibley (1987), Cheri Rice (1988).

Elizabeth McCormack (1989), Christin Adams (1990), Derek Lohuis (1990); Irene Seyer (1991), Sandra Biggers (1992).

Sylvia Linggi (1993), Lynn Lampert (1994), Julie Naughton (1995), Christopher Sleeper (1996), Brendt Butler (1997), Sarah Triano (1997), John Coleman (1998) Tania Maync (1998).

President's Corner

Passing the Torch

Thank you all for your generous participation. Once again we have met the Van Gelderen scholarship challenge, which will enable many deserving students to achieve their goals.

You won't want to miss our final program of the year as Sears McGee gives us a historical perspective on the most prominent figure in current cinema, Queen Elizabeth I.

Your response to events of the past year has been gratifying in both attendance and positive comments. Our board is always interested in member input regarding program topics and speakers as well as the logistics of time and site preferences.



On a personal note: It has truly been an honor and a whole lot of fun to serve as president of History Associates for the past three years. I feel privileged to be a part of the continuation of a legacy initiated by my dad, the late Dick Cook, as founding president.

It all began when, in his retirement, he pursued an avid interest in history by auditing classes at UCSB. I will always be grateful to the History Department for providing this source of joy and enrichment in his later years, which gave meaning and purpose to his retirement.

History Associates is a true cooperative effort of the History Department, a community board of directors with staff support from the UCSB Office of Community Relations.

Numerous people help in countless ways, but I will particularly thank Professors Hal Drake and Sears McGee, who have been involved from the beginning and tireless in their efforts for History Associates.

In addition, heartfelt thanks to board member Jo Beth Van Gelderen for her dedication to the organization as well as generosity to our fundraising efforts.

I look forward to seeing you at our last event of the academic year and wish you a happy and healthy summer.

Karen Anderson
President

Adieu to 164 Graduates in Class of '99

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Religious and Political Policy in the 1571 Parliament."

Best paper awards are given for papers written in the previous academic year.

Leading the Class of '99 were seven students who completed the department's year-long Senior Honors Seminar, led this year by Profs. Marcuse and Glickstein. Each student wrote a thesis on a research topic supervised by a member of the History faculty. The honors graduates and their mentors were:

Melissa Davis (O'Connor),

Karen Ditzler (Brownlee), Marc Elezam (Lindemann), Matthew Long (Logevall), Jesse Segreto (Brownlee), Raja Seshadri (Miescher), Mark Tseselsky (Toshi Hasegawa), Stephenie Windsor (Luke Roberts), Valdis Wish (Hasegawa).

Four History majors were part of a select group of 37 students selected this year for admission into Phi Beta Kappa, the nation's oldest and most prestigious honor society.

They were Jennifer Wren Atkinson, Jill Elizabeth Cramer, Melissa Lynn Davis and Karen Susanne Ditzler

(History of Public Policy).

Seniors who graduated in Summer, 1998 were:

Marti Baum, Michelle Boire, Kathryn Gerry, Allen Gray, Bradley Gustavson, Justin Harris, Thao Hill, Anne Juengermann.

Carrie Lingenfelter, Justin McCollum, Kyla Murray, Jonathan Oates, Joseph Petrini, Dennis Regus, Christopher Rogers, Sandra Sharman, Veronica Soto, Allison Suehle and Evan Warner.

Fall, 1998 graduates were:

Emilio Arauz, Maryam Ayati, Aida Barraza, Jeff Burton, Vincenzo Chirco, Robert Darling, Julissa Delgado, Brian Dudley.

Charles Found, Parley Gagne, Lurton Gifford, Rae Gonzales, Stephen Gunstinson, Daniel Hendricks, Chad Knowlton, Kevin Marshall.

Tania Maync, John Olgin, Alison Osborne, Timothy Owen, Nicolas Pardue, Nathan Resch, April Shirley, Harold Southworth, Sean Stolper, Jamie Swanson and Amanda Thomason.

Graduating at the end of Winter quarter were:

Britain Beardsley, Casey Brennan, Bryan Brown, Laura Brown, Sean Burnett, Allison Denton, Anamari Dimapilis, Michael Drown, Tai Duncan, Jason Evans.

Alison Hanscom, Andrew Heppenstall, Mark Howell, Jeffrey Kempton, Eileen Martinez, Matthew McGee, Justin Mori, Paul Nelson, Christine Ogi, Katherine Parker.

Alan Renga, Roberto Rocha, Eric Rose, Edgar Sanchez, Scott Simpson, Terri Stewart, Jason Swalve, Cara Whittecar and Brent Wilken.

The following History majors were scheduled to graduate in June:

Frank Anderson, Jennifer Atkinson, Todd Barney, Christopher Beckheyer, William Bland, Laura Boettger, Andy Bordalo.

Brian Campaign, Gianina Carbone, Alexander Chakshiri, Courtney Chambers, Hunter Clark, Tyler Clark, Chelsea Cleland, Gabriel Clinton, Jeralyn Cox, Jill Cramer.

Nicole De Smit, Karen Ditzler, Marc Elezam, Jennifer Emigh, Araceli Estrada, Ryan Febus, Laura Felton, Joanna Figaro, Jesus Franco, Thomas Geraghty, Jarett Golberg, Matthew Graham, Carrie Grammer.

Devon Hansen, Jose Hernandez, Howard Hsu, Robert Jamison, Krista Jann, Judy Khoury, Andrew Kish, Emiko Kitagawa, Jennifer Kohut, Jennifer Komrosky, Kevin Kunishi.

Alec Laidlaw, Edwin Lee, Patrick Leverty, Patrick Lieneweg, Matthew Long, Dania Lubliner.

Elizabeth Martin, Conor Massey, Mark Matkins, Christopher Mavros, Martin Mazyck, Patrick Mcinnis, Ryan McWilliam, Pitwalai Meesri, Jennifer Miller.

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Grad Students — Coming and Going

FOURTEEN HISTORY GRAD students completed requirements for the highest of all degrees, the doctorate, this year.

They, and another eight who completed requirements for the master's degree, will be recognized at graduate commencement at 4 p.m., Sunday, June 19.

Meanwhile, the department awarded ten dissertation fellowships to grad students who have advanced to candidacy (meaning they have completed all requirements for the PhD except the writing of a dissertation) and travel awards to 23 others to conduct research and deliver papers.

Of the PhD candidates, Deborah McBride (Russell), Ronald Morgan (Cline), Alicia Rodriguez (Harris) and Brett Schmoll (Bergstrom) completed their dissertations in Summer 1998.

James Burns (Collins), Thomas Cardoza (Talbot), Gerald Carpenter (Sonnino) and David Schmidt (McGee) completed in Fall 1998.

Hubert Dubrulle (Gollin/Talbot), Christine Erickson

(Cohen), Betty Koed (Graham) and Fiona Stoertz (Farmer) finished in Winter 1999.

Monica Orozco (Cline) and Scopas Poggo (Collins) filed for completion this quarter.

Of MA candidates, Deb Cox (Cline) and Ilisa Horowitz (Cohen) finished in Summer 1998 and Michelle Arce (Harris) and Leigh Fonseca (O'Connor) in Fall 1998.

Josh Ashenmiller (Furner) and Nicole VonGermeten (Cline) finished in Winter 1999, and Colleen Coffee (DeHart) and Jason Kelly (Guerrini) were expected to finish this term.

Departmental dissertation fellowships went to Jay Carlander, Brian Carniello, Sarah Case, Richard Fogarty, Ken Osgood, Beverly Schwartzberg, Nancy Stockdale, Dennis Ventry, Chris Ziegler-McPherson and Ben Zulueta.

Travel awards went to Michael Adamson (Brownlee), Brian Carniello (Farmer), Sarah Case (DeHart/Harris),

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When It Comes to Teaching, History Holds the Aces!

FOR THE SECOND year in a row, three historians have been recognized for outstanding teaching at UCSB.

Prof. Randy Bergstrom won the Academic Senate's Distinguished Teaching Award, and Rick Fogarty (Talbot) and Ken Osgood (Logevall) won the Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award.

Last year, Prof. Fred Logevall won the Distinguished Teaching Award and Dennis Ventry (Brownlee) won the Outstanding TA Award. Andy Johns (Logevall) won the Graduate Student Association's Excellence in Teaching Award.

A winner of the Senate Plous Award as outstanding junior faculty member of 1992-93, Prof. Bergstrom was cited by the Committee on Effective Teaching for his "exceptional contribution to the undergraduate and graduate programs."

Student evaluations, the committee said, "praise him for his accessibility, his willingness to listen, to offer advice, to give encouragement" and his "passion for historical inquiry."

The same committee cited Fogarty for his "His unique pedagogy [which] encourages even reticent students to share

their thoughts and ideas."

Fogarty also was recognized by the History Department this year, which awarded him its J. Bruce Anderson Prize for outstanding teaching.

Osgood was cited for "teaching abilities [that] allow him to teach at an unusually high level of excellence and across disciplines."

A winner of the department's Anderson Prize last year, Osgood is teaching this year in the Writing Program.

Active Grad Students Reap Research Nods

DAN SHAO (FOGEL) and Erik Esselstrom (Fogel) will present papers on ethnicity in 1930s Manchuria and the cultural ideology of Japan's pre-war Foreign Ministry policy in China in June as part of a panel on "Aspects of Japanese Imperialism" at the 1999 ASPAC (Asian Studies on the Pacific Coast) Conference in San Diego.

Chris DiMaggio (Furner) has won one of twelve slots in the Newberry Library's "Maps and Nations" seminar for this summer.

Douglas Dodd (Bergstrom/Graham) has received

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Darcy Ritzau (L) congratulates Carol Pfeil

Attack Secretary Weds High School Sweetheart

CAROL PFEIL, THE department's longtime bookkeeper, cookie baker and confidante to faculty and students, was married April 28 in a moonlight ceremony at Shoreline Park to Ethan Rowe, an old high school heartthrob.

At a surprise party put together by Graduate Secretary Darcy Ritzau, Carol (whose penchant for zingers long ago earned her the sobriquet of "Attack Secretary") said she and Ethan rediscovered each other two years ago after being out of touch for twenty-five years.

"I was putting together an anniversary book for my cousin and sent letters to all her friends from high school asking them to write something for it," she said. "Next thing I knew, Ethan was on the phone, asking me if I'd ever gotten married."

That was two years ago, and they have been seeing each other steadily since.

"We finally decided this wasn't going to go away," Carol said.

The newlyweds went to the Grand Canyon for their honeymoon.

Department Salutes Associates President Karen Anderson

HISTORY ASSOCIATES President Karen Anderson, who is used to giving out awards at the department's annual ceremony, was a surprise recipient this year.

History Chair Jack Talbot presented her with a special plaque commemorating her years at the helm of the support group. It read,

"The UCSB Department of History gratefully recognizes Karen Anderson, President, UCSB History Associates, 1996-1999, for Leadership,

Imagination and All That Jazz."

The last words referred to a special Jazz afternoon she put together at Club Soho for the Associates' tenth anniversary celebration. It featured a talk by Prof. Douglas Daniels and performance by the Frank Frost trio.

During Anderson's three-year tenure, the Associates gave away almost \$130,000 in fellowships and other awards.

She received a standing ovation from the audience.



Fred Logevall demonstrates winning lecture style to a dutiful Randy Bergstrom.

Department's PhDs Excel On Job Front

WALTER GRUNDEN (PhD 1998, Roberts) has accepted an assistant professor position in modern Japanese history at Bowling Green State University, Ohio.

Elizabeth DePalma Digeser (PhD 1996, Drake) has received an ACLS fellowship for 1999-2000, after which she will assume a tenure-track position at McGill University in Montreal. She has been teaching at St. Norbert College, Wisconsin.

Chris Erickson (Cohen) has been appointed to a tenure-track position at to Indiana University-Purdue University at Fort Wayne, where she will teach modern US and Women's history.

Scopas Poggo (Collins) has been appointed to a tenure track position in African history at Ohio State University, Mansfield campus.

Zuoyue Wang (PhD 1994, Badash) will start in September as an assistant professor of history at California Polytechnic State University, Pomona. He is currently teaching at UC Berkeley.

Active Grads

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the 1999-2000 John Topham and Susan Redd Butler Summer Fellowship from the Charles Redd Center for Western Studies.

José Valente (Dutra) received a grant from the Portuguese National Archives to conduct research for three months next Fall.

John Coleman (Mouré) presented a paper entitled "Advisors to Fighters: America's First Combat Soldiers of the Vietnam War" at the Third Triennial Vietnam Symposium, held last April at Texas Tech University.

Nancy Stockdale (Gallagher) has been accepted into the Social Science Research Council Summer Dissertation Workshop which will be held in Marrakech, Morocco in July to spotlight the work of outstanding graduate students in Middle Eastern studies from around the country.

Jason Kelly (Guerrini), Dave Elliott (McGee) and Pete McDermott (McGee) gave papers at the Pacific Coast Conference on British Studies meeting at UC Santa Cruz in March.

Class of 1999

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Kristopher Moller, Richard Moss, Brendan Murphy.

Lindsay Nelson, Lindsay O'Hare, Brian O'Shea, Ingrid Page, Jemma Parker, Kevin Peterson, Keith Phan, David Pollack.

Kelley Radcliffe, Robyn Reid, Christian Schalesky, Jesse Segreto, Matthew Sheridan, Serge Shnorhokian, Parrish Speh, Molly Soff, Mary Stuntz, Warren Sypinero.

Branden Timboe, Mark Tseselsky, Ajith Varghese, Michael Walker, Courtney Walters, Christopher Wasson, Leslie Waugh, Dwayne Williams, Sonja Williams, Katherine Wilson, Stepheney Windsor and Yin Yoon.

Grad Awards

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John Coleman (Mouré), Steve Cory (Humphreys), Doug Dodd (Graham/Bergstrom), Alexandra Epstein (DeHart), Erik Esselstrom (Fogel), Alex Fabros (Vargas), Deborah Gerish (Farmer), Tim Hagen (McGee), Jacob Hamblin (Badash), Alistair Hattingh (Rock), Traci Heitschmidt (Marcuse), Andy Johns (Logevall), Jason Kelly (Guerrini), Ken Osgood (Logevall), Matt Racine (Dutra), Beverly Schwartzberg (Cohen), Jennifer See (Logevall), Dan Shao (Fogel), Kathryn Statler (Logevall) and Danielle Swiontek (DeHart).

McGee Talk

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Department from 1990 to 1995. He was elected a Fellow of the Royal Historical Society in 1995.

Reservations for the luncheon, which will be held at the Goleta Holiday Inn, 5650 Calle Real, may be made through the UCSB Office of Community Relations, (805) 893-4388. The price for lunch and talk is \$16 for members and \$17 for non-members.

Awards

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(Humphreys) "Caliphate and Sufism in the 16th century."

The Robert Kelley Prize for work in U.S. Intellectual history and Public History went to Jay Carlander (Harris) and Douglas Dodd (Graham/Bergstrom).

Ann Margaret Peterson (Plane) won the Wilbur Jacobs Award for study of U.S. Colonial and Native American history.

Alistair Hattingh (Rock) won the Phil Powell Award for Latin American history.

Nine students were awarded History Associates Fellowships. They are:

Jennifer Baker (Logevall), John Baranski (Furner), James Emmons (Drake), Edward Fields (Fogel), Jacob Hamblin (Badash) Jane Homsher (Cohen), Janet McFall (McGee) and Patricia Ooley (Bergstrom).



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