Faculty of Arts and Sciences
2008–2009 Student Prize Recipients

Cyrilly Abels Short Story Prize

• to Ariel Irene Delgado, class of 2010
• to Caitlin Alexandra Meares, class of 2010
• to Kristen Elisabeth Slungaard Mumma, class of 2010

Matthew Abramson Prize for Best Senior Thesis in Fine Arts

• to Jane K. Cheng, class of 2009, for her project entitled “Imitation as Innovation: The *Imitatio Christi*, 1450–1550”
• to Olujimi Akili Tommasino, class of 2009, for his project entitled “Carra’s Conversion: Avant-Garde Painting from Revolution to Reaction”

Academy of American Poets Prize

• to Michael Brendan Stynes, class of 2009

Albert Alcalay Prize

• to Sabrina Chou, class of 2009
• to Amy Jay Lien, class of 2009

Herb Alexander Award

• to Nike Sun, class of 2009, a prize of $500

Richard Glover Ames and Henry Russell Ames Award

• to Jean Amanda Junior, class of 2009
• to Robert Jay Ross, class of 2009
Rudolf Arnheim Prize

- to Tiffanie Kaneen Hsu, class of 2009

Santo J. Aurelio Prize

- to Christine Carmel Bell, A.L.B. ’09, a prize of $2,500

Joseph L. Barrett Award

- to Rory Michelle Sullivan, class of 2009

Helen Choate Bell Prize

- to Liza Danielle Cork Flum, class of 2010, for her project entitled “A Conversation Not Concerning Us: Spoken Communication and Communion in Elizabeth Bishop”
- to Amelia Michelle Klein, G8, for her project entitled “What Stevens Makes of the Sun”
- to Matthew Mosciki Spellberg, class of 2009, for his project entitled “Knowledge-Burial: Melville, Sir Thomas Brown, and the Limits of the Mind”

Helen Choate Bell Prize for Ph.D. Thesis

- to Kevin Brian Birmingham, Ph.D. ’09, for his project entitled “The One-Drop Aesthetic: How Literary Formalism Reinvented Race in the United States”
- to Jared Winston Hickman, Ph.D. ’08, for his project entitled “Black Prometheus: Political Theologies of Atlantic Slavery”

Helen Choate Bell Term-Time Fellowship Prize

- to Adena Tamar Spingarn, G3, for her project entitled “Uncle Tom in the American Imagination”

Lillian Bell Prize in History

- to Lauren Yapp, class of 2009, a prize of $500 for her project entitled “Reconstructing Sophiatown: Personal Memory, Public Narrative, and the Production of History in South Africa, 1940–2008”

“The Bohemians” (New York Musicians Club) Prize in Composition

- to Edgar Arturo Barroso Merino, G2, a prize of $3,168.39 for his project entitled “Catalyst for Viola Solo”
Derek C. Bok Award for Excellence in Graduate Student Teaching of Undergraduates

• to David Hayden Camden, G4
• to Yves Rene Chretien, G4
• to Irene Belle Janis, G4
• to Andras Tilcsik, G4
• to Haoqi Zhang, G2

Derek Bok Public Service Prize

• to Hilary J. Blocker, A.L.B. ’09, a prize of $2,000
• to Melissa Ekin Kizildemir, A.L.M. ’09, a prize of $2,000
• to David I. Lichter, A.L.M. ’08, a prize of $2,000

Francis Boott Prize

• to Michael Lee Schachter, class of 2009, a prize of $250 for his project entitled “Oseh Shalom Bimromav for SATB Choir and String Orchestra or Piano”

Boston Ruskin Club Prize

• to Marta Maria Figlerowicz, class of 2009, for her project entitled “The Miming Child: Interiority in the Novels of Thomas Hardy”
• to Matthew Moscicki Spellberg, class of 2009, for his project entitled “The Measure of Earliness: Marcel Proust and the Work of Art”

Bowdoin Prize for Graduate Essays in the English Language

• to Chinnie Si-Qin Ding, G7, a prize of $10,000 for her project entitled “‘Myriad-headed, myriad-handed’: Labor in Middlemarch”
• to Anne Lovering Rounds, Ph.D. ’09, a prize of $10,000 for her project entitled “Mrs. Dalloway’s Dissolves: The Soundscape of a Novel”

Bowdoin Prize for Graduate Composition in Greek

• to Daniel Robert Bertoni, G1, a prize of $2,500 for his project entitled “On the Composition of Cells”
• to Julia C. Scarborough, G1, a prize of $2,500
Bowdoin Prize for Undergraduate Essays in the English Language

- to Kyle Mahowald, class of 2009, a prize of $10,000 for his project entitled “‘It may nat be’: Chaucer, Derrida, and the Impossibility of the Gift”

- to Matthew Mendez, class of 2009, a prize of $10,000 for his project entitled “‘Permission Granted. But Not to Do Whatever You Want’: John Cage, Julius Eastman, and the Politics of ‘Appropriate Indeterminacy’”

Bowdoin Prize for Undergraduate Translation into Latin

- to Andrew Rist, class of 2009, a prize of $2,500

Le Baron Russell Briggs Commencement Prize

- to Lois Elizabeth Beckett, class of 2009, a prize of $1,000

Le Baron Russell Briggs Fiction Prize

- to Spencer Arthur Strub, class of 2009, for his project entitled “Laborers into His Wilderness”

Francis H. Burr, 1909, Fund

- to Andrew Jeremiah Berry, class of 2009

- to Anna Kathryn Kendrick, class of 2009

Edward M. Chase Prize

- to Isaac Stone Nakhimovsky, Ph.D. ’08, a prize of $5,000 for his project entitled “Fichte’s Closed Commercial State and the Problem of Perpetual Peace”

David Taggart Clark Prize for the Undergraduate Latin Commencement Oration

- to Paul Thomas Mumma, class of 2009, a prize of $1,000

John Clive Prize

- to Emma Sinclair Winer, class of 2009, a prize of $200 for her project entitled “‘I Wish Not to Drag Up the Past but to Help Lay It’: Elizabeth Bowen’s A World of Love and Anglo-Irish Historical Writing”

Colton Award

- to Christopher Richard Miller, class of 2009, a prize of $500 for his project entitled “The Bank of England’s Response to Panic in the Nineteenth Century: The English State, the Money Market, and the Emergence of the Lender of the Last Resort”
Coolidge Debating Prizes

- to Benjamin Belser, class of 2009, a prize of $3,000
- to Lewis Edward Morel Bollard, class of 2009, a prize of $3,000

Council Prize in Visual Arts

- to Grace Crosby Laubacher, class of 2009

Annamae and Allan R. Crite Prize

- to Stephanie Blair Mitchell, A.L.M. '09, a prize of $1,000

Edward Chandler Cumming Prize

- to Olga Igorevna Zhulina, class of 2009, a prize of $3,000 for her project entitled “Love between Languages: Translation in Andrei Makine’s *Le testament français*”

Eugene R. Cummings Senior Thesis Prize in LGBT Studies

- to Ana Huang, class of 2009

David Rockefeller Center for Latin American Studies Prize in History and Literature

- to Kimberly Dawn Hagan, class of 2009, for her project entitled “From the Tiny Beetle to the Transnational: Considerations of Space in Zapatista Literature”

Dean’s Prize for Outstanding A.L.M. Thesis

- to Francis Bernard Dehler, A.L.M. ’09, a prize of $1,000 for his project entitled “‘When the heavens were seal’d with a stone’: Belatedness and the Sublime in William Blake’s Continental Prophecies and *The Book of Urizen*”
- to Mufaddal Taher Fatakdawala, A.L.M. ’09, a prize of $1,000
- to Sofia Ivette Jarrin-Thomas, A.L.M. ’09, a prize of $1,000
- to Courtney Cathleen Kelley, A.L.M. ’09, a prize of $1,000
- to Theresa Marie Kelliher, A.L.M. ’09, a prize of $1,000
- to Manish Kumar, A.L.M. ’09, a prize of $1,000
- to Quadri Lawal, A.L.M. ’09, a prize of $1,000
- to Darryl Roger Lundy, A.L.M. ’09, a prize of $1,000
- to Kathleen Susanne Neff, A.L.M. ’09, a prize of $1,000 for her project entitled “The Mechanism of In Vitro Regulatory T Cell Induction by Murine Anti-Thymocyte Globulin”
• to William Frederick Quigley, A.L.M. ’09, a prize of $1,000 for his project entitled “Pure Heart: The Faith of a Father and Son in the War for a More Perfect Union”

• to Lisa Kate Radden, A.L.M. ’09, a prize of $1,000

• to Jerry Robert Van Wormer, A.L.M. ’09, a prize of $1,000 for his project entitled “Dissecting an Ecological Disaster: Transoceanic Ballast Water and the Laurentian Great Lakes, 1953–2008”

David Herbert Donald Prize

• to Diana Kimball, class of 2009, a prize of $500 for her project entitled “Global Ambitions: Atlanta’s 1895 Cotton States and International Exposition”

Louise Donovan Award

• to Benjamin Thomas Clark, class of 2009

• to David James Tischfield, class of 2009

Dunster House Fiftieth Anniversary Prize

• to Anna Hang Chen, class of 2009

• to Jeffrey Clinton Holder, class of 2009

Edward Eager Memorial Fund Prizes

• to Jesse William Barron, class of 2009, for his project entitled “The Sixty-Sixth Year”

• to Rachel Aviva Burns, class of 2011

• to Jessica Anne Estep, class of 2009, for her project entitled “Out of Water”

• to Katherine Elizabeth Fitzgerald, class of 2009

• to Carolyn Faith Gaebler, class of 2010, for her project entitled “Orchids”

• to Rachel Lauren Goldberg, class of 2012

• to Dominique Gracia, class of 2009, for her project entitled “Chimney-Rain”

• to Kathleen Erin Hale, class of 2009, for her project entitled “Surviving Coyote”

• to Samuel Tyson Jack, class of 2011

• to Nathan David Johnson, class of 2009, for his project entitled “Delivering Miss Winnie”

• to Abram Daniel Kaplan, class of 2010

• to Justin T. Keenan, class of 2010, for his project entitled “Snow”
• to Jack Saebok Kim, class of 2011
• to Lara Carol Ann Markstein, class of 2010, for her project entitled “The Call”
• to Emmet Francis McDermott, class of 2009
• to Celeste Audra Monke, class of 2009
• to Olga Alekseevna Moskina, class of 2010
• to Kate Alexandra O’Donnell, class of 2009, for her project entitled “Food of Gods”
• to Robert Ian Padnick, class of 2009, for his project entitled “The Thirteenth Hour”
• to Adam Lewis Palay, class of 2011
• to Margaret Kemp Ross, class of 2009, for her project entitled “Milk”
• to Lisa Sanchez, class of 2009
• to Zachary Sniderman, class of 2009, for his project entitled “Intime”
• to Daniel Paul Wenger, class of 2009
• to Amary King Wiggin, class of 2009, for her project entitled “What We Can Still Want”
• to Clement Dickinson Wright, class of 2009

**Susan C. Eaton Fellowship in Organizing, Leadership, and Social Change**

• to Yi Wei, class of 2010, a prize of $500

**Ralph Waldo Emerson Prize**

• to Clare Ploucha, class of 2010, a prize of $200 for her project entitled “‘To Revere Her Great Nature’: Transcendentalism, Travel, and Margaret Fuller’s American West”

**Extension School Commencement Speaker Prize**

• to Ryan Paul Slattery, A.L.B. ’09, a prize of $1,000

• to Katharine Tighe, A.L.M. ’09, a prize of $1,000

**Suzanne Farrell Dance Prize**

• to Lauren Elaine Chin, class of 2009
Captain Jonathan Fay Prize

- to Matthew Moscicki Spellberg, class of 2009, for his project entitled “Art and Dream of Marcel Proust”
- to Norman Ying Yao, class of 2009, for his project entitled “Nonlinear Mechanics of Biopolymer Network”

William Scott Ferguson Prize

- to Matthew Ross Bloom, class of 2010, a prize of $500 for his project entitled “The Azaria Chamberlain Case as a Conflict between New and Native Australia”

Edward L. Fireman Award

- to Heather Ann Knutson, Ph.D. ’09, a prize of $1,000

Howard T. Fisher Prize

- to Shubha Lakshmi Bhat, class of 2009, for her project entitled “Element of Survival: Isolating the Causal Effect of Access to Iodized Salt on Child Health in India”
- to Alisha Holland, G1, for her project entitled “The Electoral Battle after the War: A Spatial Analysis of Crime and Conservative Party Politics in El Salvador”

William Plummer French Prize

- to Karma Franklin Frierson, class of 2009

Sophia Freund Prize

- to Samuel Lichtenstein, class of 2009, a prize of $1,000

Paul Revere Frothingham Scholarship Prize

- to Peter Nathan Ganong, class of 2009

Albert M. Fulton, Class of 1897, Prize

- to Kindra Lee Mason, class of 2009, for her project entitled “Facebook Stalkers and Their Friends: The Impact of Online Social Network Sites on Face-to-Face Interaction”

Lloyd McKim Garrison Prize

- to Margaret Kemp Ross, class of 2009, a prize of $2,000 for her project entitled “How the Bird”
- to Michael Brendan Stynes, class of 2009, a prize of $2,000 for his project entitled “Photeine”
Leo Goldberg Prize in Astronomy

- to Cole Warren Dutcher, class of 2010, a prize of $600 for his project entitled “Double-troughed P-Cygni Line Profiles in the X-ray Spectrum of Cir X-1”
- to Lauren Weiss, class of 2010, a prize of $600 for her project entitled “Searching for Dark Matter Beyond the WMAP Haze”

Gertrude and Maurice Goldhaber Prize

- to Dionysio Theodoros Anninos, G3
- to Maxim A. Metlitski, G3
- to Adam Edward Pivonka, G4

John Green Prize

- to Karola Obermueller, G6, a prize of $7,983.45 for her project entitled “In Vorraum for Orchestra”

Kate and Max Greenman Prize

- to Benjamin Belser, class of 2009
- to Lewis Edward Morel Bollard, class of 2009
- to Anthony Joseph Mouly Carlson, class of 2009
- to Alexander Loomis, class of 2012
- to Joshua Meyers Zagorsky, class of 2011

Seymour E. and Ruth B. Harris Dunster House Prize

- to Ravi Bharat Parikh, class of 2009
- to Vivek Viswanathan, class of 2009

Seymour E. and Ruth B. Harris Prize for Honors Thesis in Economics


Seymour E. and Ruth B. Harris Prize for Honors Thesis in the Social Sciences

- to Teresa Anne Knickman, class of 2009, a prize of $3,500 for her project entitled “More Dead than Dead: Perceived Mind of the Persistent Vegetative State”
Harvard College Women’s Leadership Award
  • to Sarah Lockridge-Steckel, class of 2009

Harvard Monthly Prize
  • to Dwight Livingstone Curtis, class of 2010

Harvard-Radcliffe Foundation for Women’s Athletics Award
  • to Emily Ruth Cross, class of 2009

Roger Conant Hatch Prizes for Lyric Poetry
  • to Abram Daniel Kaplan, class of 2010, for his project entitled “Poem”
  • to Olga Alekseevna Moskvina, class of 2010, for her project entitled “To Track a Fox”

Clemens Herschel Prize
  • to Dana Rainbow Lazarus, class of 2009, a prize of $200

Department of History Junior Essay Prize
  • to Laura Margaret James, class of 2009, a prize of $100 for her project entitled “Who Are We to Judge? The Importance of Domestic Affairs in Russo-American Relations, 1887–1894”

Department of History Prize
  • to Kyle Haddad-Fonda, class of 2009, a prize of $100 for his project entitled “The Anti-Imperialist Tradition and the Development of Sino-Egyptian Relations, 1955–1956”

Philip Hofer Prize for Collecting Books or Art
  • to Ilya Boris Leskov, G6, a first-place prize of $2,000 for his project entitled “Antique Maps of Paris”
  • to Matthew Duff Zimmerman, class of 2009, a second-place prize of $1,000 for his project entitled “Faulkner, the Fugitives, and Their Heirs: Twentieth-Century Authors of the Tennessee Valley”
Thomas Temple Hoopes Prize

• to David John Andersson, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “‘This Train Is Not a Playground’: Improv Everywhere and Urban Public Pranks”

• to Meera Elizabeth Atreya, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Engineering Recombinase Enzymes to Emulate the CCR5-delta32 Mutation Conferring Resistance to HIV-1 Infection”

• to Peirpaolo Barbieri, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “For Glory, for Money: Determinants of Fascist Intervention in the Spanish Civil War”

• to Anna Katherine Barnett-Hart, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Story of the CDO Market Meltdown: An Empirical Analysis”

• to Megan Kathleen Bartlett, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Impact of Physiological Adaptation on the Biodiversity of the Dipterocarpaceae at the Lambir Hills Tropical Forest Site”

• to Justin Scott Becker, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Budding yeast Bub1 and Sgo1 have an Ip11-independent role in promoting sister-chromatid bi-orientation that is essential in cells of higher ploidy”

• to Hattie Jo Bluestone, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Milk in the Pail”

• to Lewis Edward Morel Bollard, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Three Cages: The Animal Rights Movement and Corporate Reform in America”

• to Joanna Wanda Bronowicka, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “A Fever of Hope: The Role of Emotions in the Sans-Papiers Movement in France”

• to William Kuanting Chen, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Kinetic Measurements of Mitochondrial Respiration”

• to Jane K. Cheng, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Imitation as Innovation: The Imitatio Christi, 1450–1550”

• to Killian Bartlett Clarke, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Saying ‘Enough’: The Impact of Authoritarianism in Egypt on the Kefaya Movement”

• to Julie Anne Duncan, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Faith Displayed as Science: The Role of the ‘Creation Museum’ in the Modern American Creationist Movement”

• to Marina Fisher, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Accusative and Infinitive Construction in Latin: An Integrated Approach”

• to Roger Rennan Fu, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “On the Interiors of the Water-Rich Super-Earths”

• to James Eric Goldschmidt, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Sozzini’s Jerusalem: Civic Biography and ‘City as She’ in Alessandro di Girolamo Sozzini’s Diario delle Cose Avvenute in Siena (1587)”
• to Kimberly Dawn Hagan, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “From the Tiny Beetle to the Transnational: Considerations of Space in Zapatista Literature”

• to Matthew Joseph Hall, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Syntax, Time, and the Experience of Musical Meaning”

• to Jeremiah Beall Hendren, class of 2008, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Two-Dimensional: Radical Subjectivity in the Early Marcuse”

• to Bradley Alan Hinshelwood, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “John Locke and the Problem of American Slavery”

• to Tiffanie Kaneen Hsu, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Three Beauties”

• to Ana Huang, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “On the Surface: Conceptualizing Gender and Subjectivity in Chinese Lesbian Culture”

• to Jung Eun Hwang, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “MIT or Tsinghua? A Panel Data Analysis of the Determinants of Domestic Higher Education and International Student Mobility”

• to Kevin Michael Jonke, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Hope against Hope: The Unintended Consequences of Public Housing Policy in Mission Hill”

• to Jean Amanda Junior, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Gendered Experiences of African Physician Immigrants to the U.S.”

• to Russell Phelps Kelley, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Modulation of Gag-Specific Cellular Immune Responses to Prototype HIV Vaccines by Toll-Like Receptor Ligands in Mice”

• to Kirsten Elizabeth Kester, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Investigating genetic variation in the bacterial symbionts of the deep-sea mussel, Bathmodiolus thermophilus (Bivalvia: Mollusca)”

• to Audrey Ji-Eun Kim, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Crediting Empire: Politics, Policies, and Perceptions of Japan in the London Bond Market, 1900–1914”

• to June-Ho Kim, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “The Role of an Alternatively Translated Intracellular Isoform of Osteopontin in T Helper Cell Polarization”

• to Roy Albert Kimmey, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Johnny Rotten behind the Berlin Wall: Punk in East Germany, 1979–1989”

• to Teresa Anne Knickman, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “More Dead than Dead: Perceived Mind of the Persistent Vegetative State”

• to Scott Duke Kominers, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Weighted Generating Functions and Configuration Results for Type II Lattices and Codes”

• to Evan Behar Kornbluh, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “On the Margins of Nations: Chinese Factional Conflict and the Mexican State, 1911–1931”
• to Grace Crosby Laubacher, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Shock of the (De)Familiar: The Social Importance of Production Design in Julie Taymor’s Titus”

• to Stella Joonmyung Lee, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Thermotactic Navigation and Behavioral Plasticity in Caenorhabditis elegans”

• to Chelsea Ying-Qiu-Qi Lei, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “A World of Crisis: A Social Theoretic Reflection through Conceptual Analysis of ‘Crisis’ and Weiji”

• to Paul Jeffrey R. Leopando, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Protected by Angels’: Ecology and Spirituality in a North European Intentional Community”

• to Albert Steven Li, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Structural Studies of TRPV1 Activation by Capsaicin”

• to Xianlin Li, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Expression of the Ovarian Cancer Side-Population Is Induced by the Presence of Angiogenic Growth Factors”

• to Shi Lin Loh, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Commemorating Cities: The Divergent Legacies of Nagasaki and Hiroshima in Postwar Japan, 1945 to the 1990’s”

• to Karen Rose Lovely, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Issues of captivity and conservation surrounding pantherine cats with a focus on the lion (Panthera leo) and the tiger (Panthera tigris)”

• to Jennifer Jean Malin, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Grace Church”

• to Sara Aviva Manning, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Great Wall of Bacteria: Discovery of Intrinsic Glycan Chain Length Biases in Penicillin Binding Proteins”

• to Firth MacKenzie McEachern, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Dynamical Evolution of the Hungaria Asteroids”

• to Lev Menand, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Moving the World from a Point within It: Reinterpreting the Origins of Rational Choice Theory in Nineteenth-Century Economic Thought”

• to Alana Irene Mendelsohn, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Characterization of premature axon branching in the developing mammalian peripheral nervous system”

• to Ana Ines Mendy, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Origins of Dominican Anti-Haitianismo: The Effects of the Haitian Revolution on Dominican National Identity, 1791–1801”

• to Christopher Richard Miller, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “The Bank of England’s Response to Panic in the Nineteenth Century: The English State, the Money Market, and the Emergence of the Lender of the Last Resort”

• to James Stanley Miller, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Defining Herpes: Pharmaceuticals, Physicians, and Patients in the Post-Antiviral Era”
• to Wangui Monica Muigai, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “‘The New Emancipation’: Birth Control in the Black Community and the Story of the Harlem Branch Birth Control Clinic”

• to Noah Louis Nathan, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Institutional Change, Ethnic Identity, and Conflict in Northern Ghana”

• to Paul Gregory Nauert, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “‘A Hard Glory’: Discovering the Contemporary Catholic Worker Movement’s Alternative Logic of Modernity”

• to Yuliya Stoycheva Nikolova, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Effects of Naturalistic Stress and Serotonin Transporter (5-HTT) Genotype on Reward Responsiveness: Implications for Depression”

• to Boyce Robert Owens, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “The Structure of Social Reaction: Critical Response and the Creation of ‘Parsonianism’”

• to Nan Nash Ransohoff, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Religious Underpinnings of Vibrant Civil Societies”

• to Daniel Rapalye Rasmussen, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Violent Visions: Slaves, Sugar, and the 1811 German Coast Uprising”

• to Charles Jonathan Redlick, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Average Marginal Tax Rates in the United States: A New Empirical Study of their Predictability and Macroeconomic Effects, 1913–2006”

• to Julia Louise Renaud, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Mining the Past: The Culture of History in Virginia City, Nevada”

• to Peter Justin Rossi, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Piracy and Diplomacy in the Mediterranean, 1600–1620”

• to Michael Lee Schachter, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “‘The Ten Plagues’–A Creative Composition for Small Jazz Ensemble”

• to Benjamin Berthold Schoefer, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Regulation and Taxation: A Complementarity”

• to Wilmarie Cidre Serrano, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “From Nursing to Nursing Home: Catalonia’s Changing Language Ideologies”

• to Shrenik Nitin Shah, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Framed Deformation and Modularity”

• to John Moore Sheffield, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “The Anatomy of the Iron Fist: Police Violence in Democratic Latin America”

• to Adam Roth Singerman, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “The Influence of Spanish on the Numeral System of Tz’utujil Maya”
• to John James Snidow, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Rich Land, Rich Country, Poor People: The effects of coal endowment on income and local institutions in the United States”

• to Matthew Moscicki Spellberg, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Art and Dream of Marcel Proust”

• to Alice Speri, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “From the Poet to the People: Resistance, Criticism, and Palestinian Identity in the Writing of Mahmoud Darwish”

• to Megan Lakshmi Srinivas, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Evolution and Malaria: A Battle for Survival”

• to Dmitry Taubinsky, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Self-Justification and Subjective Updating”

• to David James Tischfield, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “A Role for Retinoid-related Orphan Receptor b (RORb) in Somatosensory Cortex Development”

• to Ava Rose Tramer, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “How to Become a Television Writer: Building a Career in an Unstable Labor Market in Hollywood”

• to Sara Kishi Trowbridge, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Silverb, a gene expressed in the zebrafish retinal pigment epithelium, is required for normal retinal lamination and differentiation”

• to Brandon Charles Weissbourd, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Neural Systems Targeted by Imprinted Genes in the Mammalian CNS”

• to Nils Christian Wernerfelt, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “The Evolution of Cooperation on Dynamic Graphs”

• to Yunxue Xu, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “The Guizhou, China, Campaign to Eliminate Lymphatic Filariasis: A Case Study of Social Mobilization in Public Health”

• to Jimmy Chen Yang, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Discovery, Synthesis, and Steps Towards Target Identification of the Novel 2-amino-3-hydroxyindole Anti-Malarial Drug Class”

• to Norman Ying Yao, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Nonlinear Mechanics of Biopolymer Network”

• to Charles Cunningham Young, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “My Empty Top Hat: A Memoir”

• to Jarret Asher Zafran, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for his project entitled “Beyond the Breakthrough: Do Campaign Styles Shape How Black Mayors Govern?”

• to Leah Stoumen Zamore, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “We Can No Longer Wait: The UN Refugee Agency and Involuntary Repatriation Refugees”

• to Olga Igorevna Zhulina, class of 2009, a prize of $4,000 for her project entitled “Love between Languages: Translation in Andrei Makine’s Le testament francais”
Charles Edmund Horman Prize

- to Shani Boianjiu, class of 2011
- to Nelson Theodore Greaves, class of 2010
- to Jane Su Jiang, class of 2010
- to Angela Sun, class of 2010
- to Sarah Elisabeth Wick, class of 2010
- to Caroline Randall Williams, class of 2010

Kathryn Ann Huggins Prize

- to Sarah Lockridge-Steckel, class of 2009, for her project entitled “Cultural Concerns: The Deleterious Impact of Cool Pose”
- to Daniel Rapalye Rasmussen, class of 2009, for his project entitled “Violent Visions: Slaves, Sugar, and the 1811 German Coast Uprising”

Intellectual Architecture Award

- to Jacob Eli Segal, class of 2009, a prize of $50

Ephraim Isaac Prize for Excellence in African Studies

- to Kedamai Fisseha, class of 2009

George Arthur Knight Prize

- to Tahsin Tolga Yayalar, G6, a prize of $3,983.22 for his project entitled “Requiem pour une terre perdue for Ensemble”

Morris Kronfeld Prize

- to Clara Kotryna Anderson, class of 2009

Lawrence Lader Prize in Expository Writing

- to Francis Deng, class of 2012, for his project entitled “No Competition: The Focus on Focus Drug Use among College Students”
Newbold Rhinelander Landon Memorial Scholarship Prize
• to Kathrine Austin, class of 2009
• to Vincent Martin Chiappini, class of 2009
• to John Samuel Riley, class of 2010

Harold Langlois Outstanding Scholar Award
• to Claudia Y. Hartmann, A.L.M. ’09, a prize of $500
• to Michael David Jacobson, A.L.M. ’09, a prize of $500

Dorothy Hicks Lee Prize
• to Wesley Joseph Oliver, class of 2009, for his project entitled “The Triumph of Failed Authority in Fictions of J. M. Coetzee”

Doris Cohen Levi Prize
• to Rachel Elaine Flynn, class of 2009

Jonathan M. Levin Prize for Teaching and Social Justice
• to Valonda Janelle Harris, class of 2009

Jonathan Levy Award
• to Jonah Colin Priour, class of 2009
• to Sarah Angelica Sherman, class of 2009

Alain LeRoy Locke Prize for Academic Excellence
• to Karma Franklin Frierson, class of 2009

George Emerson Lowell Scholarship Prize
• to Michael Zellmann-Rohrer, class of 2010, a prize of $500

Hugh F. MacColl Prizes
• to Matthew Mendez, class of 2009, a prize of $1,656.03 for his project entitled “Two Serious Songs on Texts of William Carlos Williams for Baritone and Orchestra”

Maurice Sedwell Ltd. Prize
• to Emily Alyssa Owens, class of 2009
Kenneth Maxwell Thesis Prize in Brazilian Studies

- to Hannah Beth Catabia, class of 2009, for her project entitled “Brazilian Immigrant Participation in the Massachusetts Economy”

Perry Miller Prize

- to Daniel Rapalye Rasmussen, class of 2009, a prize of $200 for his project entitled “Violent Visions: Slaves, Sugar, and the 1811 German Coast Uprising”

Tazuko Ajiro Monane Prize

- to Yifan Li, class of 2011, a prize of $2,000

Sally and Cresap Moore Prize

- to Evan Behar Kornbluh, class of 2009
- to Vivek Viswanathan, class of 2009

David B. Mumford Undergraduate Mathematics Prize

- to John Daniel Lesieutre, class of 2009, a prize of $400
- to Shrenik Nitin Shah, class of 2009, a prize of $400

Noma-Reischauer Prizes in Japanese Studies

- to Kathryn Elizabeth Handlir, A.M. ’09, for her project entitled “Fads, Brands, and Fashion Spreads: Print Culture and the Making of Kimono in Early Modern Japan”
- to Audrey Ji-Eun Kim, class of 2009, for her project entitled “Crediting Empire: Politics, Policies, and Perceptions of Japan in the London Bond Market, 1900–1914”

Oliver-Dabney Junior Prize in History and Literature

- to Amrapali Maitra, class of 2011, a prize of $200 for her project entitled “Representing Ethnic Violence: The Aesthetic of the Indirect in Sri Lankan Literature”

Oliver-Dabney Senior Prize in History and Literature


Oliver-Dabney Sophomore Prize in History and Literature

- to Catherine Chika Ntube, class of 2011
Joseph Garrison Parker Prize

• to Jean Amanda Junior, class of 2009
• to Zeba Syed, class of 2009

Lee Patrick Award in Drama

• to Joseph Jack Cutmore-Scott, class of 2010

Reginald H. Phelps Prize

• to Kristine Frances Isberg, A.L.B. ’09, a first-place prize of $2,500
• to Joshua DeMers, A.L.B. ’09, a second-place prize of $2,000
• to Itamar Shtull-Trauring, A.L.B. ’09, a third-place prize of $1,500

Wendell Phillips Memorial Scholarship Prize

• to Eli Jonathan Jacobs, class of 2011

Norman Podhoretz Prize in Jewish Studies

• to Jonathan Sidney Gould, class of 2010, for his project entitled “Pluralism, Education, and Acculturation: The Scopes Trial and American Jewish Life in the 1920s”

Susan Anthony Potter Prize in Spanish Literature of the Golden Age

• to Claudia Dubon, class of 2010, a prize of $2,000

Susan Anthony Potter Undergraduate Prize

• to James Eric Goldschmidt, class of 2009, a prize of $1,250 for his project entitled “Sozzini’s Jerusalem: Civic Biography and ‘City as She’ in Alessandro di Girolamo Sozzini’s Diario delle Cose Avvenute in Siena (1587)”
• to Kyle McAuley, class of 2009, a prize of $1,250 for his project entitled “The Origins of Modernism: Nick Adams and the Invention of the Human”

John P. Reardon, Jr., Award

• to William Andrew Jones, class of 2009

Robert Fletcher Rogers Prize

• to Zachary Ryan Abel, class of 2010, a prize of $400
• to Larua Paul Starkston, class of 2010, a prize of $400
Robert and Maurine Rothschild Prize

• to Connemara Doran, class of 2009, for her project entitled “Hubbert’s Peak and Its Critics: The Clash of Two Constructed Visions of Growth”

• to Jesse Meeker Kaplan, class of 2009, for his project entitled “Ministering to Dixie: Medicine and Distinctiveness in the American South, 1840–1870”

Endicott Peabody Saltonstall Prize

• to Jeremy Nguyen-Khoa Tran, class of 2009

Jack T. Sanderson Memorial Prize in Physics

• to Lin Cong, class of 2009

John Osbourne Sargent Prize for a Latin Translation

• to Zachary Harry Taxin, class of 2009, a prize of $500

Winthrop Sargent Prize

• to Daniel Paul Wenger, class of 2009, for his project entitled “Distressing the ‘Antic Disposition’: Claudius the Critic, Hamlet the Subject”

V. M. Setchkarev Memorial Prizes

• to Liyun Jin, class of 2012, a prize of $500 for her project entitled “The Unattainable Ideal of Motherhood in War and Peace”

• to Maria Yevgenievna Khotimsky, G4, a prize of $500 for her project entitled “Internasional Dukha: World Literature in the Young Soviet State”

Thomas Small Prizes

• to Richard Lawrence Kradin, A.L.M. ’09, a first-place prize of $2,000

• to William Merritt Clark, A.L.M. ’09, a second-place prize of $1,500

George B. Sohier Prize

• to Matthew Moscicki Spellberg, class of 2009, a prize of $250 for his project entitled “Art and Dream of Marcel Proust”

Barbara Miller Solomon Prize

• to Timothy Reckart, class of 2009
Adelbert W. Sprague Prize

• to Sasha Katherine Siem, G3, a prize of $2,019.17 for her project entitled “Ojos del cielo for Large Orchestra”

Charles Sumner Prize

• to Jens Hainmueller, Ph.D. ’09, a prize of $5,000 for his project entitled “Contributions to Casual Inference for Political Science”

• to Odette Sri Wardhani Lienau, Ph.D. ’09, a prize of $5,000 for her project entitled “Who Is the ‘Sovereign’ in Sovereign Debt? Rethinking Debt and Reputation in the Twentieth Century”

Alan Symonds Award

• to Grace Crosby Laubacher, class of 2009

Tau Beta Pi Prize

• to Katherine Emily Grosteffon, class of 2009, a prize of $100

Alexis de Tocqueville Prizes in Social Studies

• to Lev Menand, class of 2009, a prize of $500 for his project entitled “Moving the World from a Point within It: Reinterpreting the Origins of Rational Choice Theory in Nineteenth-Century Economic Thought”

Robert N. Toppan Prize

• to Colin Destin Moore, Ph.D. ’09, a prize of $5,000 for his project entitled “Institutions of Empire: Information, Delegation, and the Political Control of American Imperialism, 1890–1913”

Joan Gray Untermyer Poetry Prize

• to Liza Danielle Cork Flum, class of 2010

• to Sharon Ran Wang, class of 2010

Visiting Committee Prize for Undergraduate Book Collecting

• to John Moore Sheffield, class of 2009, a first-place prize of $1,500 for his project entitled “¿Nunca Más? The Ideology of State Terrorism in Argentina”

• to Adam Roth Singerman, class of 2009, a second-place prize of $1,000 for his project entitled “The Modern Mayan Languages of Guatamala”

• to Marykate Jasper, class of 2011, a third-place prize of $750 for her project entitled “Robin Hood Revived: A Collection of New Takes on an Old Outlaw”
Philippe Wamba Prize

- to Lauren Yapp, class of 2009, for her project entitled “Reconstructing Sophiatown: Personal Memory, Public Narrative, and the Production of History in South Africa, 1940–2009”

Philip Washburn Prize

- to Ana Ines Mendy, class of 2009, a prize of $350 for her project entitled “The Origins of Dominican Anti-Haitianismo: The Effects of the Haitian Revolution on Dominican National Identity, 1791–1801”

Selma and Lewis H. Weinstein Prize in Jewish Studies

- to Samuel David Glauberman Jacoby, class of 2008, for his project entitled “Rabbi Abendana’s Kuzari: The Story of a Book in Seventeenth-Century Amsterdam”
- to Jacob Moshe Victor, class of 2009, for his project entitled “A Sort of Columbus to Those Near-at-Hand: The Cultural Vision of Saul Bellow”

Barrett Wendell Sophomore Essay Prize

- to Emily Suzanne Shire, class of 2011, a prize of $200 for her project entitled “Postwar America’s Whipping Boy: Debunking the Myth of Suburban Entrapment in Richard Yates’ Revolutionary Road”

Jacob Wendell Scholarship Prize

- to Elise Liu, class of 2011, a prize of $17,000

Cornel West Prize

- to Ariel McCall Sloan, class of 2009

John H. Williams Prize

- to Charles Jonathan Redlick, class of 2009

Sydney M. Williams, Jr. Traveling Fellowship for the Visual Arts

- to Jason Richard Vartikar-Mccullough, class of 2011

Lenore Wilson Prize

- to Xinran Yuan, class of 2010

Wister Prize in Mathematics or Music

- to Samuel Lichtenstein, class of 2009, a prize of $1,300
Thomas Wood Award in Journalism

• to Hannah Rebecca Meilani Hindley, class of 2009

James D. Woods Memorial Fellowship

• to Gillian Susan Grossman, class of 2010, a prize of $800
• to Melissa Hoyos, class of 2010, a prize of $800

Katie Y. F. Yang Prize

• to Patricia Palacios Ibarra, A.L.M. '09, a prize of $2,000

Allyn Young Prize

• to Ning Ai, class of 2009
• to Benjamin Berthold Schoefer, class of 2009