10:55—Building Hope and Confronting Fear: Explorations in Detroit

Christopher J. McLaurin, "Lift Up the Lad': The Struggle of One Group Home Amidst a City in Decline" (Advisor Gina Morantz-Sanchez)

Nicholas S. Kovach, "Let's Talk About... 'The Arab problem':
Narratives of change in Dearborn's East End"
(Advisor Angela Dillard)

John Michael Geise, "Bradley v. Milliken: The Failure of Idealism" (Advisor Kevin Gaines)

Maureen Kellett, "Fixture of a Changing Landscape: A History of Detroit's Michigan Central Station" (Advisor Kristin Hass)

11:20-AWARDING OF PRIZES and HONORS CORDS

Stephen J. Tonsor Best Oral Presentation of Thesis Award James A. Knight Scholarship in History Stephen J. Tonsor History of Ideas Undergraduate Honors Award John A. Williams History Award The Arthur Fondiler History Awards

Following the Symposium, there will be a reception for the Honors students, their guests, and faculty advisors in the Michigan Room on the 2nd floor of the Michigan League.

The LSA Honors Program is having an informal Open House all afternoon on May 1 in 1330 Mason Hall. Please feel free to stop by.



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TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL HISTORY HONORS SYMPOSIUM

9:00—WELCOME Professor Christian de Pee, Honors Advisor

PRESENTATIONS

- 9:10 —Authoritarian Régimes, Ideology, and the Shadows of the Cold War
 - **Bryan Klausmeyer,** "Transcritical Encounters in Lacanian Psychoanalysis" (Advisor Silke-Maria Weineck)
 - **Thomas S. Hooker,** "A Friend in Need is a Friend Indeed: Friendship and Terror in Stalin's Russia, 1930-1939" (Advisor Ron Suny)
 - Meera Sarathy, "'La question féminine': Women and the Extreme-Right in Interwar France' (Advisor Dena Goodman)
 - Juliann Marie Schwartz, "Gradations of Hate: Father Charles E. Coughlin and the Rhetoric of Anti-Semitism, 1930-1939" (Advisor Brian Porter-Szűcs)
 - **Paul Gregory Leahy,** "Eisenhower's Dilemma: How to Talk about Nuclear Weapons" (Advisor Jonathan Marwil)
 - **Kyle J. Anderson,** "Land Reform: The Invented Tradition of Social Revolution in Modern Egypt" (Advisor Juan Cole)

9:45 -- The Past Visible: Photography, Film, and Propaganda

- Jenny Armstrong, "The 1950s: America's Placid Decade Deconstructed" (Advisor Penny Von Eschen)
- Jane Coaston, "Nazi Propaganda Before and After the Battle of Stalingrad" (Advisor Scott Spector)
- *Erol Ahmed,* "Photographic Trust, Photographic Truth in the Hamidian Period" (Advisor Gottfried Hagen)

10:00—REFRESHMENTS

- 10:30— Where Do We Draw the Line? Questions of Race and Identity
 - Daniil Gunitskiy, "Of Bondsmen and Bondswomen: The History of Black Hebrew Israelite Identity Development in Detroit" (Advisor Angela Dillard)
 - **David A. Williamson,** "Against the Grain: The Word of God Community, 1967-1987" (Advisor Francis Blouin)
 - Andrew A. Reinel, "¡Si Te Atreves! Composing Music and Black Identity in Peru, 1958-1974" (Advisors Paulina Alberto and Jesse Hoffnung-Garskof)
 - Emily M. Brooks, "The Pure and the Polluted: How Racial Dichotomies Shaped Discussions of Marijuana Usage in the Press and Influenced the Passage of the Marijuana Tax Act of 1937" (Advisor: Charlie Bright)
 - Judy R. Bankman, "The Third World Women's Alliance and the Birth of Cross-racial Coalitional Feminism" (Advisor: Maria Cotera)
 - Edward C. Kim, "Korean and African American Relations Between the Korean War and Obama" (Advisor Penny Von Eschen)