



**Mark Your
Calendar:**

Sept. 26th

(Tues.)
Presentation
Walter LaFeber
(details tba)

Oct. 5th

(Thurs.)
Undergraduate
History Social
(details tba)

Oct. 25th

(Wed.)
Purdue History
Forum
Jean-Pierre
Dormois
(details tba)

April 12th

(Thurs.)
Spring Banquet
(details tba)

◆ **Message from the Department Head** ◆

We have had a busy and exciting year. The Purdue History Forum featured "The Samurai Cult and the Need for Heroism" by Dr. Mary Elizabeth Berry from the University of California at Berkeley. The department also sponsored the Sears Memorial Lecture Series on the subject "Do We Really Care About Human Rights: The Balkans, Afghanistan, Africa" featuring General Wesley Clark, Roy Gutman, and Jacques Klein. Dr. Mary Kelley, Professor of History and Chair of the Department of History at the University of Michigan spoke at our Spring Banquet on "The Privilege of Reading: Women, Books, and Self-Imagining." The department also sponsored four lectures across campus during the year. (1) "The U.S. Constitution: What's It Got To Do with Me" (2) "Far From Bollywood: Policy and Protest in India" (3) "The Politics of Religion: Nation, Identity and Difference" (4) "Beyond 'Good Wife, Wise Mother': Gender, Law, and the Meiji State." The department hired three faculty with specializations in Nineteenth-Century U.S. Women and Gender, European Empire, and Native American History.



Next year will prove equally busy and intellectually challenging with Walter LaFeber speaking on September 26th and Jean-Pierre Dormois, Professor of History at Marc Block University of Strasbourg, France on October 25th. Dr. Dormois will be presenting the lecture on Franco-American relations at the Purdue History Forum. Additional programs are in the planning stages.



Note that several new undergraduate courses have been submitted for university approval. We'll notify you when they become available. Keep informed about the final arrangements for the Undergraduate History Social by checking our website.

Special thanks to all who have participated throughout the year. Your support has been essential to the work of the Department of History. Have a safe, enjoyable summer, and read some good books.

Doug Hurt
Department Head

Have a safe and productive summer.

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY
Undergraduate Newsletter — Spring 2006

**THANK YOU
VOLUNTEERS
throughout the year!**

Constitution Day Celebration
September

Undergraduate History Social
October

Purdue History Forum - 2005
November

Sears Lecture Series - 2006
January, February, and March

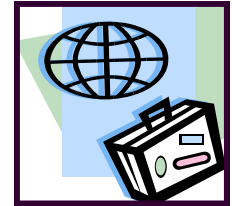
Spring Banquet - 2006
April

Your participation as greeters, ushers, and coordinators helped each function run smoothly. Thank you for representing the department in such a fine manner.

**Study Abroad
2007**

Consider:

**SPRING BREAK
&
SUMMER**



TRAVEL - while you study!

Watch for their CALLOUTS!!!

Department of History website:
<http://www.cla.purdue.edu/history>

OPPORTUNITIES

Our appreciation is extended to Phi Alpha Theta and the Purdue History Organization for their participation in all departmental activities. This has been a busy year and the officers offered their generous support throughout the year. By becoming an active member of Phi Alpha Theta and the Purdue History Organization you can participate in many ways. A special thanks is extended to **Liz Dahlmann**, president of Phi Alpha Theta, for going above and beyond the call of duty with coordinating History events.

Internship at Harry S. Truman Presidential Library — Liberty, Missouri
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**We'd like to congratulate the
Indiana Senate Republican Intern Class of 2006**

- ◆ **Patrick Higgins** — History Major (Junior)
- ◆ **Erin Mays** — History Minor (Junior)
- ◆ **Danielle Roessing** — History Minor (Senior)

Stay connected with department activities for next year
by checking the **CURRENT EVENTS** page on our website.

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Current Events

Award Recipients

THE DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY IS PROUD OF OUR STUDENTS' ACCOMPLISHMENTS. AWARD RECIPIENTS IN ATTENDANCE AT THE SPRING BANQUET ON APRIL 6TH WERE HONORED. WE HOPE YOU WILL BE A PART OF OUR SPRING GATHERING NEXT YEAR.

Outstanding Senior - Brian P. Sanders

Senior Graduating with Excellence - Rebecca K. Whistler

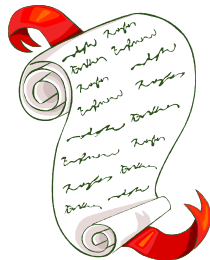
Stover Undergraduate Scholarship - Todd R. Allen

Study Abroad Scholarship - Matthew J. Kramer

Waltmann Award - Brittney N. Smith

Superior Achievement Certificate

Brian William Baumer
Anthony Ryan Blackburn
Lucille Lannan Bradley
David Alexander Brienza
Margaret Elizabeth Byrnes
Brian P. Currie
Elizabeth Anne Dahlmann
Wesley Adam Ferguson
Katherine Lynn Frick
Troy Erik Herendeen
Allison Elizabeth Horner
Troy Timothy Huber
Jeffrey David Lambert
Craig Lewis Long
Jamie Lynn Mills
Collin David Mitchell-Flynn
Griffin William Mulcahey
Christopher Russell Plappert
Rebecca Gale Ray
Stephen Paul Sara
Matthew Evan Schwertfeger
Matthew Stanley Sims
David Michael Teall
Peter Joseph Van Howe
Samantha Jo Vaughn
Andrew Shigeru Wilson



Achievement Certificate

David Andrew Anderson
Benjamin Robert Banta
Stacy Ellen Bayless
Lynda Marie Beckham
Andrew Phillip Berndt
Megan Leigh Bever
Edward Allen Brandt
Kristine Lynn Orth Brewer
Tracy Michelle Bridge
Brittnee Starr Burton
Brandon Joseph Ciarlo
Richard Alan Collins, Jr.
Courtney Ann Coopridge
Joshua Joel Coots
Christopher Alan Crawford
Katherine Renee Darrah
Matthew Thomas Deruntz
Jonathan Vincent Elkins
Michael Robert Endress
Greg Wayne Enterline
Jerold Andrew Evrard
David Somerset Fitzsimons
Jordan Michael Gleason
Kristina Marie Glithero
Ashley Renee Goddard
Edward John Grattan II
Megan Irene Hart
Bradley Paul Hawkins
Brian Elliott Hill
Christopher Forrest Hons
Todd Michael Hopfinger
Benjamin Franklin Howland
Kara Lee Huff
Barbara Amber Jones
Jonathan A. Jones
Karalee Donna Koontz
Laura Kristine Korabiak

Christopher Matthew Lazo
Peter Gregory Lee
Rachael Lindsey-Gumbus
Daniel Clark Ludington
David Ryan Marcum
Brian Terry Mason
Erin Rebekah Mays
Ryan Thomas Mc Carthy
Ashley Nichole Mc Laughlin
Tiffani Renee Milner
Laura Arlyne Dittmar Mummert
Rachel Ann Nichols
Thomas Francis Padgett
Daniel William Patterson
Daniel Allen Perry
Matthew David Phelps
Ryan William Poppe
Amber Nicole Puckett
Jessica Rose Ragon
Lauren Shelley Rawlins
Brian L. Riehman
Eric Lee Robertson
Lauren Ashley Rocha
Kyle Ross Saubert
David Alan Scherer, Jr.
Paula Frances Schmidt
Christina Anne Schowe
Andrew Michael Schummer
Patrick Thomas Sharpe
Melanie Joy Sims
Daniel Earl Swart
Bryan Lewis Uyhelji
Rachael Andrea Ward
Rebecca Kathleen Whistler
Jennifer Lynn Stinson Wilson
Matthew Kent Zinkil