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Come see the Ted Mullin Presentations this Thursday at 5:00 in Leighton 402!

You are invited to come and hear about the exciting research experiences of our 2012 Edward 'Ted' Mullin Prize winners. Their research was conducted last summer and over winter break. Refreshments will be served!

Listen to Jabari Perry explain how Ghanaian social, cultural and political history influence child labor, Charlie Rosenthal explore issues of class, race, and representation within the Nation of Islam in the United States, and Herman Zheng describe an urban history of Hong Kong studied through the model of the Tung Wah Hospital! Please come support this amazing student research opportunity!



Charlie Rosenthal- *Uplift Strategies of the Nation of Islam*



Jabari Perry- *Child Labor in Ghana*



Herman Zheng- *The Tung Wah Hospital: A Representation of the East Asian Community under British Rule*

DON'T FORGET, APPLICATIONS FOR THIS YEAR'S TED MULLIN PRIZE ARE DUE BY NOON ON FEBRUARY 22, 2013!

FACULTY UPDATES

DAVID TOMPKINS, Assistant Professor of History, presented a paper entitled, “Divided Nations: Images of China in East Germany through the 1960s” at the German Studies Association conference in Milwaukee on October 6. He also presented, “A Special Enemy: The Image of Israel in Central Europe after 1967” at the conference “Images of the Other in Central and Eastern Europe” at the German Historical Institute in Warsaw on November 16.



Congratulations to **THABITI WILLIS** for receiving Hewlett Mellon and Smith/NEH Fellowships to complete a manuscript, *Masquerading Politics: Negotiating Gender, Power, and Authority in a Yoruba Town*.

http://apps.carleton.edu/campus/weekly/?story_id=908047&issue_id=864813

SUSANNAH OTTAWAY, Professor of History and David and Marian Adams Bryn-Jones Distinguished Teaching Professor of the Humanities, presented an invited paper, “Silencing Pain in Old Age in the Eighteenth Century” at a symposium on Pain and Old Age at the Birkbeck Institute for the Humanities, Birkbeck, University of London on October 27.



“Greetings from Eleanor Zelliott!” Harry and Nikki spotted enjoying a lunch date at Eleanor’s house on November 19, 2012.

ALUMNI UPDATES

TONY ADLER, a graduate student at University of Washington’s History Department, sent us a postcard!

After getting through my comprehensive exams last year, I’ve finally started working on my dissertation, and am enjoying the research process. I’ve also had a chance as a graduate student to do some undergraduate teaching. I keep finding myself thinking back to the history classes I took at Carleton and wondering “how on earth did they do it??” It has taken me several years, and the experience of being a graduate student, to fully appreciate the quality of the teaching that I received as an undergraduate history major.

Antony ‘Tony’ Adler ‘06

OPPORTUNITIES IN HISTORY

THE GETTYSBURG SEMESTER IS ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR FALL 2013. APPLICATIONS ARE DUE BY MARCH 1, 2013.

Every fall the college welcomes undergraduates from across the country to a total-immersion semester in Civil War studies. Students take two core seminars devoted to cutting-edge Civil War scholarship, and a course from the Civil War Era Studies program. Gettysburg Semester students involve themselves in internships with Civil War-related agencies in the area. Students have previously interned at the Adams County Historical Society, Antietam National Battlefield, and more sites. Gettysburg Semester students will be housed in a Civil War themed residence, The Appleford, on the Gettysburg College campus.

Feel free to contact Jason M. Frawley, jfrawley@gettysburg.edu, with any questions. For more information, check out the website, <http://www.gettysburg.edu/academics/cwes/gettysburgsemester/>.



SARAH LAWRENCE ANNOUNCES A SUMMER STUDY ABROAD ON RELIGION AND HISTORY IN TURKEY AND GREECE.

“THE GEOGRAPHY OF FAITH: PAUL AND THE EMER- GENCE OF CHRISTIANITY IN THE AEGEAN.”

This program will introduce students to the Greco-Roman world and the impact of the Apostle Paul’s work in major urban centers of the Eastern Mediterranean. The class will focus on religion and life in the ancient Greek city, with a view to understanding how Christianity took root and grew in these cities.

Course information is available at: <http://www.slc.edu/abroad/faith>

Further information on “The Geography of Faith” can be obtained at www.slc.edu/internationalprograms.

Do not hesitate to contact Cameron Afzal, cafzal@sarahlawrence.edu, with any questions.

THE MERCATUS CENTER AT GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY IS ACCEPTING APPLICA- TIONS FOR THEIR MA FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM FOR THE 2013-2014 ACADEMIC YEAR. MARCH 1, 2013 APPLICATION DEADLINE

The MA Fellowship is a competitive, full-time fellowship program for students pursuing a master’s degree in economics and interested in gaining advanced training in applied economics in preparation for a career in public policy. The MA Fellowship includes full tuition support, a stipend, and a research assistantship position with Mercatus scholars. Ideal candidates are students who are interested in pursuing a career in public policy rather than academia.

For more information about students programs, please visit grad.mercatus.org. If you have questions, contact Stefanie Haeffele-Balch, Associate Director of Graduate Student Programs.

PRESIDENTIAL INTERN AT THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY IN CAIRO IS CURRENTLY RE- CRUITING SENIOR APPLICANTS FOR THE 2013-2014 PROGRAM.

The Presidential Internship Program at The American University in Cairo provides seven recent university graduates with the opportunity to learn Arabic, work at the highest levels of an international university, and experience life in Cairo. Experiences vary and reflect the diverse backgrounds and interests of our interns.

We traditionally accept a diverse array of students, including those with no background in Arabic or the Middle East. **THE DEADLINE TO APPLY IS JANUARY 31, 2013.**

More information about the program and how to apply is available on our website, <http://www.aucegypt.edu/about/President/PSP/Pages/default.aspx>

OPPORTUNITIES IN HISTORY CONTINUED

THE INSTITUTE FOR HUMANE STUDIES HAS ANNOUNCED THEIR 2013 LINEUP OF SUMMER SEMINARS.

Through in-depth interactions with faculty and peers at the Institute for Humane Studies, students gain critical thinking skills, new career possibilities, and a firmer grasp of ideas that shape society.

Undergraduates, graduate students, and recent graduates are eligible.

IHS will provide full scholarships to all attendees to cover lectures, housing, meals, and materials. Participants only pay for travel.

IHS offers reimbursement up to \$300 for Graduate School Applications, making it possible for students to apply to more programs, increasing their chance of acceptance. For more information, www.TheIHS.org/hayek-fund-future-scholars.

The Koch Summer Fellow Program (KSFP) offers paid experience at think tanks and non-profits across the country, a policy workshop in Washington, DC, and mentoring. Find out more about KSFP at www.TheIHS.org/ksfp. **THE APPLICATION DEADLINE IS JANUARY 31.**

The Humane Studies Fellowship program (HSF) provides a renewable award of up to \$15,000 per year to enable graduate students committed to the principles of liberty to focus on research instead of student teaching. Further details: www.TheIHS.org/HSF. **THE FINAL APPLICATION DEADLINE IS JANUARY 31.**

The IHS Journalism Internship program offers interns the experience, mentoring, and knowledge necessary to make it in the journalism job market. We are looking for talented communicators with an interest in advancing freedom in society. Learn more at www.TheIHS.org/journalism.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: JANUARY 31

January 23rd at 7 PM, EST, find out “How to Break into Journalism” with an interactive webcast with IHS journalism program director John Elliott.

For more information about IHS and their summer seminars, visit: www.TheIHS.org/summer-seminars.

PRINCETON JOURNAL OF EAST ASIAN STUDIES (PJEAS) INVITES INTERESTED UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE STUDENTS TO SUBMIT WORK ON POLITICAL, ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND CULTURAL ISSUES PERTAINING TO THE EAST ASIAN REGION.

SEND ALL SUBMISSIONS TO pjeassubmissions@gmail.com BY JANUARY 15, 2012. PLEASE EMAIL prjeas@princeton.edu WITH GENERAL INQUIRIES.

Submissions should relate directly to at least one of the countries or sub-regions in East Asia, i.e. People's Republic of China (and its autonomous regions), Japan, Korea, Mongolia, and Republic of China. A publishable article should explain the significance of its topic, make a clear and convincing argument through balanced analysis, and employ an effective writing style.

Articles submitted to PJEAS should not have previously been accepted for publication or review at another undergraduate- or graduate-level publication. Submissions should be 15 – 30 pages in length, excluding the abstract, subheadings, and citations. The article should include on its first page a short abstract that concisely summarizes its main arguments and findings.

The document should be formatted for “US Letter” size, with 12-point font, single-spaced lines, and one-inch margins on all sides, and must be submitted as a Microsoft Word document.

Any information identifying the author should be removed from the Word document that contains the article, and the cover sheet should be submitted as a separate document instead.

OPPORTUNITIES IN HISTORY CONTINUED

ANDREW LADNER '07, OF WASHINGTON, DC, HAS SHARED TWO INTERNSHIPS!

These two internships take place during the school year, so are only available to Carleton students in D.C. taking a term off. Students can check out The Internet Association at <http://internetassociation.org/> and should send resumes and cover letters to andrewladner@google.com.”

I. Legal/Policy Analyst Intern

The Internet Association is dedicated to advancing public policy solutions to strengthen and protect Internet freedom, foster innovation and economic development, and empower users.

We are seeking an enthusiastic, policy analyst intern to coordinate The IA's advocacy on key Internet policy issues. This is a fantastic opportunity to get hands-on experience working at a trade association and to become involved in Internet policy. The intern will learn how policy stances are developed and the interaction of trade associations with Congress and other organizations in advocating Internet policy.

Summary of Core Responsibilities:

- Assist in research and writing policy briefs and blog posts.
- Maintain and update Member company policy contacts/lists.
- Provide administrative support and assist in other duties that are assigned.

Qualifications:

Technical:

Recently graduated or currently pursuing a degree policy related field; Able to work at least 2 days a week (preferably during core office hours of 10:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.); Able to organize and facilitate events and meetings; Strong policy and legal research skills.

Non-Technical:

Strong general verbal and written communication skills; Strong research, analytical, and problem-solving skills; Ability to work independently; Ability to work under pressure in a fast-paced environment, prioritize multiple tasks and manage time efficiently; Strong interest in Internet policy; Be a flexible and enthusiastic team player.

II. Social Media/Communications Intern

We are seeking an enthusiastic, Internet-savvy social media/communications intern. This is a fantastic opportunity to get hands-on experience working at a trade association on maintaining a company's social media presence. In addition s/he will get insight into business management and small business.

Summary of Core Responsibilities:

- Compile and distribute daily press clips for The IA on our relevant issues.
- Maintain and update press contacts/lists.
- Update and manage content on The IA social platforms, blog, and website.
- Compile weekly reports of press coverage, web and social media analytics.
- Assist Digital Director on creation and execution of social media strategies and campaigns.
- Assist Communications Director to draft pitches to help increase media exposure.
- Assist in development of brand awareness.

Qualifications:

Technical:

Recently graduated or currently pursuing a degree in political science, communications, journalism, marketing, public relations, or related field; Able to work at least 2 days a week (preferably during core office hours of 10:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.); Strong understanding of Content Management Systems (i.e. Wordpress) and Search Engine Optimization; Basic knowledge of HTML, CSS, & Adobe Photoshop; Be Twitter/Tumblr/Facebook proficient.

Non-Technical:

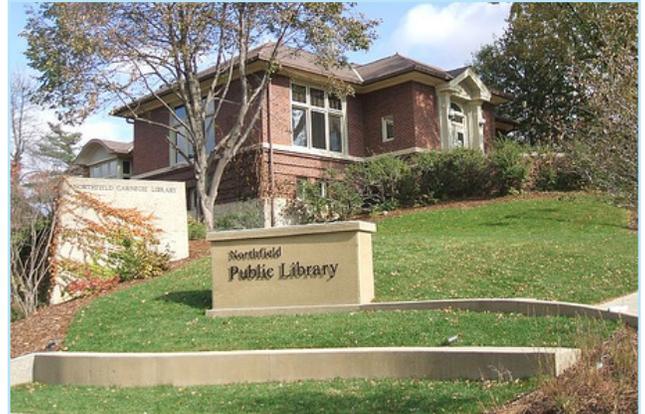
Strong verbal and written communication skills; Strong creative, research, analytical, and problem-solving skills; Ability to work independently; Ability to work under pressure in a fast-paced environment, prioritize multiple tasks and manage time efficiently.

UPCOMING EVENTS

THURS. JAN 10, LEIGHTON 402, 5PM - Ted Mullin Prize Winners' Presentations. See cover page for more information on the presenters and projects.

SAT. JAN 12, NORTHFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY, 10AM-NOON - Northfield Public Library's History Day Hullabaloo. History Majors and Friends are encouraged to participate in a fun teaching opportunity!

This year's theme is "Turning Points in History with a Minnesota Connection." Each student must develop a topic and thesis statement, and will be paired with college student volunteers to have the chance to spend about ten minutes discussing the concept of research gathering and how to write a paper. Please bring your own laptop to this two-hour commitment. A great community building opportunity for the Northfield Public Library, the colleges, the Historical Society and local families. For more information contact Joan Ennis, Northfield Public Library (507-645-1802) or e-mail joan.ennis@ci.northfield.mn.us. (Bill North is president of the Friends of the Northfield Library)



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TUES. JAN 15, GREAT SPACE, 11AM-2PM - The Peace Corps recruiter for Minnesota, Janice McInerney, will be on campus tabling in the Great Space to talk about the Peace Corps and to answer questions about the application process, etc.

TUES. JAN. 15, SAYLES-HILL 251, 4PM-5PM - Peace Corps Application Workshop. The Minnesota Peace Corps recruiter, Janice McInerney, will be offering a workshop on applying to the Peace Corps to help you, "make your application stand out from the rest. Attend this workshop to learn what the Peace Corps considers a strong applicant, and get page-by-page guidance for completing the online application."



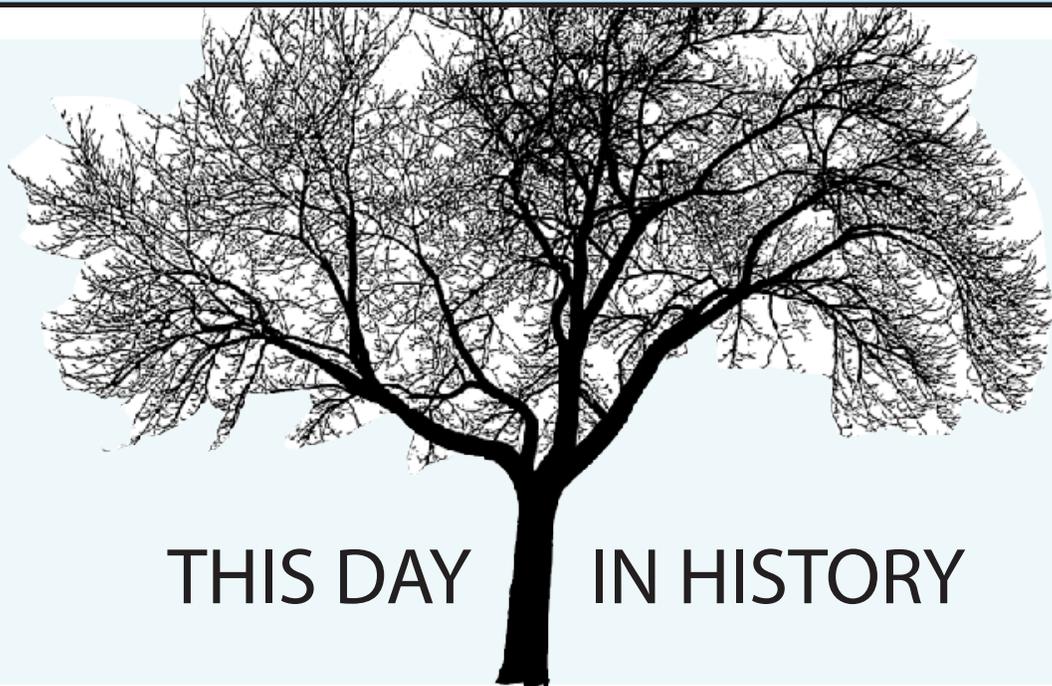
TUES. JAN. 15, SAYLES HILL 251, 7PM-8PM - Janice McInerney, the Minnesota Peace Corps recruiter will be giving an information session about the Peace Corps following her workshop.

MON. JAN. 21, GOODHUE SUPERLOUNGE, 5:15PM - Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration Dinner. Please join the Office of Intercultural & International Life in honoring and reflecting on the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. The keynote speaker will be Harry Williams, Laird Bell Professor of History. His talk is entitled, "Beyond 'I Have a Dream': Dr. King Listens to a 'Crazy' Man." Seating for the program begins at 5:15PM and the program will start at 5:30PM. Reservations are required for the event and can be acquired here: https://apps.carleton.edu/campus/intercultural/events/mlk_dinner/



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<http://www.facebook.com/CarletonHistoryDept>



THIS DAY IN HISTORY

January 9

- 1493 - Columbus mistakes manatees for mermaids
- 1768 - London staged the first modern circus
- 1878 - Umberto I becomes King of Italy
- 1881 - Edouard Beaupre, champion horse lifter is born
- 2007 - Steve Jobs unveils the first iPhone

SENIOR SPOTLIGHT: NORA CASSIDY

Each issue this term, we will feature one of our senior history majors. This week, we talked to Nora Cassidy:

What was your dream job when you were little?

When I was little I was torn between wanting to be a truck driver and a grocery store cashier.

What is your comps topic?

I am studying the United Farm Workers union's national table grape boycott from 1965-1970 and their relationship with the media during that time: how they attracted media attention and how the media responded. It's an interesting case study in the interactions between social movements and the mass media.

What are your plans for next year?

Next year I plan to join AmeriCorps and work for a nonprofit focused on equality issues and/or providing basic human rights. After that, I will maybe go to law school or maybe sell all my possessions to pay for a one-way ticket to Latin America.

