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Professorships and Readerships

Winifred L. Arms Professorship in the Arts and Humanities. Established in 1982 by Winifred Arms in memory of her husband, Robert A. Arms '27, the Arms Professorship is held by a distinguished member of the faculty concerned with one of the fields of artistic or literary expression.

Paula R. and David J. Avenius 1941 Professorship. This professorship recognizes a distinguished member of the faculty at Amherst College who has demonstrated excellence in teaching and research as well as dedication to the College.

Beitzel Professorship in Technology and Society. Established in 1999 by George B. Beitzel '50, this professorship recognizes distinction in the arts and sciences, particularly in the use of technology to enhance undergraduate learning. The Beitzel Professor at Amherst College will have a vision of integrating man and machine in a way that fuses computer, networking, fiberoptic or future electronic technologies with the values of the academy, the ideals of a liberal education and the goals of an enlightened society.

Bruce B. Benson '43 and Lucy Wilson Benson Professorship. Established in 2005 by Lucy Wilson Benson in memory of her husband, Professor of Physics from 1947 to 1990, the Benson Professorship recognizes distinction in science and a demonstrated commitment to teaching and research. The goals of the Benson Professorship are to promote interdisciplinary research and teaching among the physical and biological sciences (preferably molecular biology, physics, and chemistry), foster exploration of the impact of these sciences on society, and emphasize the interdisciplinary connections between the sciences and other liberal arts disciplines at Amherst College.

Parmly Billings Professorship in Hygiene and Physical Education. Established in 1890 by Frederick Billings of Woodstock, Vermont, this professorship honors the memory of his son, Parmly Billings 1884.

Brian E. Boyle Professorship in Mathematics and Computer Science. Established in 1998 by Brian E. Boyle '69, this professorship recognizes exceptional teaching and research in the Mathematics and Computer Science Department or its successor department. The Boyle Professorship is held by a senior member of the faculty who has appreciation for the role of technology in teaching and who has demonstrated a dedication to the values of a liberal arts education.

Elizabeth W. Bruss Readership. Established in 1982 in memory of Elizabeth Bruss. The Bruss Reader is a member of the faculty appointed by the President and the Dean of the Faculty to a three-year term that rotates among the various academic disciplines at Amherst integrating material about women into the curriculum. The Bruss Reader will also serve as a resource person for colleagues, bringing new information regarding women to their attention.

Class of 1880 Professorship in Greek. Given to the College by all living members of the Class at its 50th reunion in 1930.

Class of 1959 Professorship. Established by the Class of 1959 on the occasion of its 40th reunion to honor a distinguished faculty member in one of the traditional disciplines who has a deep commitment to students and to their habits of mind.

Henry Steele Commager Professorship. Established in 1991 by Wyatt R. Haskell '61, Jonathan P. Rosen '66, and others in recognition of Professor Commager's 35 years of distinguished scholarship and dedication to the teaching of undergraduates at Amherst College.

George H. Corey Professorship in Chemistry. Established in 1952 by bequest of George H. Corey 1888.

G. Armour Craig Professorship in Language and Literature. Established in 1994 by an anonymous donor, this professorship honors G. Armour Craig, Professor of English 1940-1985 and Acting President 1983-1984.

William Nelson Cromwell Professorship in Jurisprudence and Political Science. Established in 1948 by bequest of William Nelson Cromwell, founder of the New York City law firm Sullivan & Cromwell.

George Lyman Crosby Professorship in Philosophy. Established in 1950 by Stanley Warfield Crosby, brother of George Lyman Crosby 1896.

Stanley Warfield Crosby, Jr., Professorship in Religion. Established in 1950 by Stanley Warfield Crosby '13 in memory of his son, Stanley Warfield Crosby, Jr., who was killed in the Korean War.

Amanda and Lisa Cross Professorship. Established in 1982 by Theodore L. Cross '46, Trustee 1973-85, emeritus since 1985, in honor of his daughters, Amanda and Lisa Cross. This Fund provides support for a professorship in Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Geology or Neuroscience.

Sidney Dillon Professorship in Astronomy. Established in 1894 by the family of Sidney Dillon, Chairman of Union Pacific Railroad.

Rachel and Michael Deutch Professorship. Established in 2007 by family members in memory of Rachel and Michael Deutch, this fund provides support for the Deutch Professor, held for a five-year renewable term by a distinguished professor in one of the following departments: chemistry, economics, French, history, mathematics, or philosophy.

Joseph B. Eastman Professorship in Political Science. Established in 1944 by friends of Joseph B. Eastman 1904, Trustee 1940-44.

Five College Fortieth Anniversary Professorships. Established in the spring of 2005, the Five College Fortieth Anniversary Professorships commemorate four decades of cooperation (1965-2005) among the members of the Five College Consortium. The professorships honor Five College faculty members for distinguished careers as scholars and teachers.

Edwin F. and Jessie Burnell Fobes Professorship in Greek. Established by Professor Francis H. Fobes, who taught Classics 1920-48, emeritus 1948-57. To be used for instruction or research or both in the Ancient Greek language and literature.

Eliza J. Clark Folger Professorship. Established in 1930 by Emily Jordan Folger (Mrs. Henry Clay Folger), in memory of Mr. Folger's mother.

Emily C. Jordan Folger Professorship. Established in 1930 by Emily Jordan Folger (Mrs. Henry Clay Folger).

Henry Clay Folger 1879 Professorship. Established in 1930 by Emily Jordan Folger (Mrs. Henry Clay Folger).

Clarence Francis Professorship in the Social Sciences. Established in 1969 in honor of Clarence Francis '10, former Chairman of General Foods and Amherst Trustee 1944-50.

Julian H. Gibbs Professorship in Natural and Mathematical Sciences. Established by the Trustees in 1984 to honor Julian H. Gibbs '46, Professor of Chemistry and 15th President of the College.

Samuel Green Professorship. Established in 1825, income from this fund supports the Department of Religion or religious advisors at the College.

James J. Grosfeld 1959 Professorship. Established in 2002 by James J. Grosfeld of the Class of 1959, the Grosfeld Professorship is awarded to a senior member of the faculty in the Department of Law, Jurisprudence, and Social Thought, or an allied or successor department.

Edward S. Harkness Professorship. Established in 1930 by Edward S. Harkness, New York philanthropist.

William H. Hastie Professorship. Established in 1985 by the Trustees to honor Judge William H. Hastie '25, the first black federal judge and Chief Justice of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit. Judge Hastie was Trustee 1962-75, emeritus 1975-76.

Hitchcock Professorship in Mineralogy and Geology. Established in 1840 by Samuel A. Hitchcock of Brimfield, Massachusetts, to endow a Professorship of Natural Theology and Geology. In 1873, it was changed to the Hitchcock Professorship of Geology and Zoology. Later, in 1889, the fund name was changed again to the Hitchcock Professorship of Mineralogy and Geology.

Roger C. Holden 1919 Professorship in Theater and Dance. Established by Roger C. Holden through a trust established in 1968, this professorship recognizes a distinguished member of the faculty at Amherst College who has demonstrated excellence in teaching and research as well as dedication to the College. During their lifetimes, Holden and his wife Sylvia were patrons of Amherst College, Pitzer College, and numerous arts and community organizations in southern California and Colorado.

Charles Hamilton Houston Professorship. Established in 1987 by Gorham L. Cross '52 to honor the achievements of Charles Hamilton Houston '15, principal architect of the legal strategy leading to the 1954 Supreme Court decision prohibiting race discrimination in U.S. public schools.

Judaica Fund. The Judaica Fund was established in 1994 by alumni and friends of Amherst College. This Fund is for two purposes: to endow the College's curricular and scholarly interest in Judaica, and to support Jewish life on campus. The Fund establishes the Judaic Studies Professorship and endows the position of Jewish Religious Advisor.

William R. Kenan, Jr., Professorship. Established in 1969 by the William R. Kenan, Jr., Charitable Trust. Awarded for a three-year appointment, the professorship will be used to recognize and underwrite the work of a senior faculty member, who has demonstrated strong interest and leadership in an interdisciplinary or developing field of study or undergraduate education in general.

Stanley King Professorship in Dramatic Arts. Established in 1968 by the Trustees in recognition of the generosity and service of Stanley King '03, President 1932-46, emeritus 1946-51.

John E. Kirkpatrick 1951 Professorship Fund. Established in 2008, the Kirkpatrick Professorship is awarded by the President and the Dean of the Faculty to a distinguished member of the faculty whose teaching and scholarship include but are not necessarily limited to the interdisciplinary investigation of law, religion, philosophy, and society with an emphasis on ethics and a preference for United States focused teaching and scholarship.

Alfred Sargent Lee '41 and Mary Farley Ames Lee Professorship. Established in 2000 by Alfred Sargent Lee '41 and Mary Farley Ames Lee to recognize a senior

member of the faculty who demonstrates distinction in undergraduate teaching and a commitment to the liberal arts tradition at Amherst College.

Lewis-Sebring Professorship in Latin American and Latino Culture. Established in 2001 by the Lewis-Sebring Family Foundation on behalf of Charles A. Lewis '64 and Penny Bender Sebring. This professorship promotes the study of the culture, language, politics, history or art of Latin America or Latino America. The professorship honors a member of the faculty whose teaching and scholarship focus on Latin America or the contributions of Latin America to the intellectual and cultural life of the United States.

Rufus Tyler Lincoln Professorship in Biology. Established in 1916 by Caroline Tyler Lincoln (widow of Rufus P. Lincoln 1862) in memory of her son, Rufus Tyler Lincoln.

Georges Lurcy Professorship. Established in 2007 by the Trustees of the Georges Lurcy Charitable and Educational Trust, Alan S. Bernstein 1963, Daniel L. Bernstein 1959, George L. Bernstein and Seth E. Frank 1955. Georges Lurcy was born in France and emigrated to the U.S. in the late 1930s, where he became a U.S. citizen and continued his successful career as an investment banker until his death in 1953. International in his background, experience and outlook, Lurcy had a particular interest in fostering international educational opportunities. In his memory, the Georges Lurcy Professorship will honor a senior member of the Amherst faculty whose teaching and research reflect a substantial commitment to international study, international relations and perspectives.

Manwell Family Professorship in Life Sciences. Established in 2000 by Edward J. Manwell '25, this professorship is held by a faculty member in biology, neuroscience, psychology, chemistry, or successor discipline who has shown dedication to the life of the College and distinction in teaching and research.

Massachusetts Professorship in Chemistry and Natural History. Established in 1847 by the Trustees in recognition of a grant from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

John J. McCloy Professorship. The John J. McCloy '16 Professorship of American Institutions and International Diplomacy was established in 1983 by donations of friends and family of John J. McCloy 1916 in his honor. This professorship is awarded to recognize distinguished service, outstanding teaching and outstanding scholarship. McCloy served as Trustee 1947-69, Chairman 1956-69, and Honorary Chairman 1969-1989. The Professorship is known as one of American institutions and international diplomacy in the History Department.

William R. Mead Professorship in Fine Arts. Established in 1925 by bequest of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Mead 1867. William R. Mead was a founder of McKim, Mead and White, architects.

Andrew W. Mellon Professorship. Established in 1974 by a grant from the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation.

Charles E. Merrill Professorship in Economics. Established in 1950 by Charles E. Merrill 1908.

Howard M. and Martha P. Mitchell Professorship. Established in 2012, the Mitchell Professorship will be awarded to a distinguished senior member of the faculty, of any department. This professorship shall stay with the faculty member so selected during his or her tenure, and is not meant to be rotating.

Howard M. and Martha P. Mitchell Professorship II. Established in 2012, the Mitchell Professorship will be awarded to a distinguished senior member of the faculty, of any department. This professorship shall stay with the faculty member so selected during his or her tenure, and is not meant to be rotating.

Zephaniah Swift Moore Professorship. Named for the first president of the College and held by a distinguished classicist on the Amherst College faculty.

Dwight W. Morrow Professorship. Established in 1941 by bequest of Dwight W. Morrow 1895, Trustee 1916-1931, to endow a professorship in political science or American history.

Anson D. Morse Professorship in History. Established in 1928 by Dwight W. Morrow 1895, Trustee 1916-31, in honor of Professor Anson Morse, who taught at Amherst from 1878 to 1907.

John C. Newton Professorship in Greek and Sculpture. Established in 1890 by bequest of John C. Newton, a Worcester mason and building contractor.

Edward N. Ney Professorship in American Institutions. Established in 1986 by Edward N. Ney '46, Trustee 1979-89, emeritus since 1989. The Professorship may be in History, American Studies, Political Science or related fields.

George Daniel Olds Professorship in Economics and Social Institutions. Established in 1914 by Frank L. Babbott, Jr. '13 to honor Dean George D. Olds, who later served as President 1924-27, emeritus 1927-31.

Olin Professorship in Asian Studies. Established in 1998 by the Spencer T. and Ann W. Olin Foundation to support a faculty member who advances students' understanding and appreciation of the art, economics, history, languages, politics, society, and/or cultures of Asia in general and China in particular.

James E. Ostendarp Professorship. Established in 1990 by former students, friends, and colleagues to honor (football) Coach Ostendarp on the occasion of a dinner in his honor held in New York City to show their appreciation for his keen interest in all aspects of the Amherst experience and his commitment to the development of the Amherst student within the ideals of a liberal arts education. Ostendarp coached football at Amherst from 1959 through 1992. The Ostendarp Professorship is awarded on a biennial basis to the faculty member who is deemed to exhibit both distinction in his or her experience, including intercollegiate athletics, and a sincere continuing interest in the Amherst student after his or her years at the College.

Domenic J. Paino Professorship in Global Environmental Studies. Established in 1997 by Birgitta and Domenic J. Paino '55, this professorship reflects the donors' interest in issues affecting the entire world and their commitment to the study of the interconnectedness of nations. The incumbent will be engaged in, but not limited to, investigation of ecological, economic, health and human services, legal, or political policies that affect our world.

Ward H. Patton Professorship in Economics. Established in 1989 by Ward H. Patton, Jr. '42, in memory of his father, who was instrumental in building the Green Giant Company.

Thomas F. Pick Readership in Environmental Studies. Established in 1999, this readership will support individuals who are dedicated to teaching, studying or researching in an area of environmental studies. The Pick Reader is a member of the faculty appointed by the President and the Dean of the Faculty to coordinate studies and to organize events relating to environmental studies across existing disciplines

and departments. The Pick Reader will serve as a campus resource person in environmental studies.

Peter R. Pouncey Professorship. Established in 1995 by an anonymous donor in honor of Peter R. Pouncey, President 1984-1994 and Professor of Classics 1984-1999.

E. Dwight Salmon Professorship in History. Established in 1989 by Thomas H. Wyman '51, Trustee 1976-92, Chairman 1986-92, and emeritus 1992-2001, to honor Professor Emeritus E. Dwight Salmon, who taught history at Amherst from 1926 to 1963.

Willem Schupf Professorship in Asian Languages and Civilizations. Established in 1994 by H. Axel Schupf '57, Trustee 1993-2005, emeritus since 2005, in memory of his father, to confirm the College's commitment to studying the East, whose ancient cultures and ever-burgeoning influence challenge America to enlarge its views and its knowledge to wider horizons. The Professorship will be held by a distinguished scholar and teacher of one of these cultures.

Winthrop H. Smith 1916 Professorship. Established in 1956 by Winthrop H. Smith 1916, Trustee 1952-61, to fund a professorship in American history and American studies.

Bertrand Snell Professorship in American Government. Established in 1951 by bequest of Bertrand H. Snell 1894.

Stone Professorship in Natural Sciences. Established in 1880 by Valeria G. Stone in memory of her late husband Daniel T. Stone.

Thalheimer Professorship. Established in 1998 by the family of Louis B. Thalheimer '66, who served as a Trustee of the College from 1992-1998, and his daughter, Deborah E. Thalheimer '94, this professorship recognizes distinction in teaching and is intended to honor a scholar-teacher who has a strong interest in and commitment to undergraduates.

Willard Long Thorp Professorship in Economics. Established in 1989 by alumni and friends to honor Willard Long Thorp 1920, Professor of Economics 1926-33 and 1952-63, Trustee 1942-55, and Acting President 1957.

Joseph E. and Grace W. Valentine Professorship in Music. Established in 1982 by bequest of Joseph E. and Grace W. Valentine.

William McCall Vickery 1957 Professorship. Established in 2007 by William McCall Vickery on the occasion of his 50th Reunion. The Vickery Professorship will honor a senior faculty member who is distinguished by and dedicated to teaching and research of art history or musicology.

Richard S. Volpert '56 Professorship in Economics. Established in 2000 by Barry S. Volpert '81 and Teri C. Volpert in honor of Richard S. Volpert '56, this professorship supports a faculty member in the Department of Economics who has shown distinction in teaching and research concerning free market economics and dedication to the life of the College.

William J. Walker Professorship in Mathematics and Astronomy. Established in 1861 by Boston physician William J. Walker.

Thomas B. Walton, Jr., Memorial Professorship. Established in 1981 by Thomas B. Walton in memory of his son, Thomas B. Walton, Jr. '45.

The John William Ward Professorship. Established in 2003 by a member of the Board of Trustees, the John William Ward Professorship recognizes a senior faculty member at Amherst College who is an accomplished scholar and teacher and who

has served the College community with distinction on a key committee or in an administrative post. The Ward Professor will be selected by the President and the Dean of the Faculty and appointed by the Board of Trustees.

G. Henry Whitcomb Memorial Professorship. Established in 1921 in memory of G. Henry Whitcomb 1864, Trustee 1884-1916, by his three sons, all Amherst alumni.

L. Stanton Williams Professorship. Established in 1990 by L. Stanton Williams '41 to support teaching and scholarship that encourages students to use the skills and knowledge acquired at Amherst for the benefit of their communities and the wider society.

Samuel Williston Professorship in English. Established in 1847 by the Honorable Samuel Williston, Easthampton button manufacturer and Trustee 1841-74.

Samuel Williston Professorship in Greek Language and Literature. Established in 1847 by the Honorable Samuel Williston, Easthampton button manufacturer and Trustee 1841-74. This fund is to support the Professorship of Rhetoric and Oratory.

Winkley Professorship in History and Political Economy. Established in 1885 by Henry Winkley, New York and Philadelphia retailer.

Joseph W. and Diane Zerbib Junior Professorship. The Joseph W. and Diane Zerbib Junior Professorship, established in 2015, is a permanently endowed fund at Amherst College. The Joseph W. and Diane Zerbib Junior Professor will be selected by the Dean of Faculty and the President with preference for a junior member of the faculty whose research and teaching are in the fields of Israeli history, diplomatic history and/or international relations. The intent of this professorship is to honor the legacy of Professor Gordon Levin, Dwight Morrow Professor of History and American Studies, Emeritus.

LECTURESHIPS

Henry Ward Beecher Lectureship. Established in 1904 by Frank L. Babbott 1878 in honor of Henry Ward Beecher Class of 1834. The incumbent is appointed biennially by the faculty for supplementary lectures in the departments of history and the political, social, and economic sciences.

Campaign Fund for Academic Programs and Interdisciplinary Teaching. Established in 1997, during The Amherst College Campaign, this fund in part supports the speakers' series, outside lectures for classes and the Writing Center.

Copeland Colloquium Fund. Established in 1971 by Professor Morris A. Copeland '17 and his wife. The Colloquium supports visiting fellows who remain in residence at Amherst and pursue their own diverse interests while engaging themselves in various ways with faculty and students.

Croxton Lecture Fund. Established in 1988 by William M. Croxton '36 in memory of his parents, Ruth L. and Hugh W. Croxton. Income from this endowed fund is used to bring to campus well-known guest speakers who focus on topical issues.

Samuel B. Cummings Lectureship Fund. Established in 1997 by bequest of Samuel B. Cummings, this fund is to be used for an annual or biannual lecture in one of the academic fields of anthropology, archeology, psychology, and/or sociology.

Benjamin DeMott Memorial Fund. The Benjamin DeMott Memorial Fund was established in 2005 by Alan P. Levenstein, Class of 1956, and other Amherst College alumni, friends, and family members. Income from this Fund shall be used to

provide funding for the Benjamin DeMott Memorial Lecture at Amherst College, which will take place annually as part of the Orientation of all first-year students. The DeMott Lecturer shall be a person who, like Professor DeMott, represents an engagement with the world marked by originality of thought coupled with direct social action, with special emphasis on intellectual participation in issues of social and economic inequality, racial and gender bias, and political activism.

George P. Eastman 1884 Fund for Music and Lectures. The George P. Eastman 1884 Fund for Music and Lectures was established in 1906 by Frank L. Babbott, Class of 1878, and William R. Mead, Class of 1867. The income from this fund should be used for either music or lectures.

Lucius Root Eastman 1895 Fund. Established in 1947 by Eva Eastman, widow of Lucius Root Eastman, Class of 1895, in memory of her husband. The objectives of the Fund are: "To enlarge the horizons of knowledge of the students; to stimulate the growth of leadership and personality possibilities in the student body; to emphasize the ethical responsibilities of every adult to society; to increase the recognition of the interdependence of persons and peoples, and therefore of the need to foster and improve the understanding of human relationships."

Joseph Epstein Lecture Fund in Philosophy. Established in 1987 by members of the Department of Philosophy to sponsor philosophical talks and discussions at Amherst. The fund honors Professor Joseph Epstein, who for 35 years taught Amherst students philosophy, especially logic, philosophy of science, and American pragmatism.

Vadim Filatov, M.D., 1986 Memorial Lecture Fund. The Vadim Filatov, M.D., 1986 Memorial Lecture Fund, established in 2004 by the Filatov family, Dmitry Dinces '86, and other Amherst classmates and friends of Vadim Filatov, is a permanently endowed fund at Amherst College providing support for the Amherst Center for Russian Culture.

Clyde Fitch Fund. Established in 1911 by Captain and Mrs. W. G. Fitch of New York in memory of their son, Clyde Fitch 1886. This fund is used for the furtherance of the study of English Literature and Dramatic Literature.

Forry and Micken Fund in Philosophy and Science. Established in 1984 by Carol Micken and John I. Forry '66 to promote the study of philosophical issues arising out of new developments in the sciences, including mathematics, and issues in the philosophy and history of science.

John Whitney Hall Lecture Fund. Established in 1994 by Betty Bolce Hall to honor her husband. Income is used to initiate and maintain the John Whitney Hall '39 Lecture Series on Japan. Professor Hall became an authority on premier Japanese history, training graduate students who entered academic, business and governmental fields relating to Japan. For more than 30 years he worked to develop Japanese studies in American colleges and universities.

Hugh Hawkins Lecture Fund. Established in 2010 by an anonymous donor, this fund supports the annual Hugh Hawkins Lecture at Amherst.

Charles H. Houston Forum on Law and Social Justice. Established in 1978 by Gorham L. Cross, Jr. '52 to honor Charles H. Houston 1915. Houston was the Dean of the Howard Law School and special counsel to the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP). The purpose of this fund is to pay homage to the memory of Houston; to focus society's attention upon and to analyze a contemporary problem central to the relationships between the law and a just society; and to honor a person whose life and work best exemplifies the ideals of Houston in the achievement of a just society.

Victor S. Johnson Lectureship Fund. Established in in 1965 memory of Victor S. Johnson (1882-1943) for the purpose of "bringing to the campus each year a stimulating individual worthy of the lectureship's purpose of serving the best tradition of the liberal arts and individual freedom."

Corliss Lamont Lectureship for a Peaceful World. Established in 1982 by Corliss Lamont P'57, this fund supports lecturers who may provide insight into the analytical or operational problems of lessening friction among nations.

Max and Etta Lazerowitz Lectureship. Established in 1985 by the late Professor Morris Lazerowitz of Smith College to honor his parents, this fund provides for the annual appointment of the Lazerowitz Lecturer, who is a member of the Amherst College faculty below the rank of full professor.

Georges Lurcy Lecture Series. Established in 1982 by the Georges Lurcy Charitable and Educational Trust, this lectureship was given to the College to bring distinguished lecturers to Amherst to speak on topics relating to countries other than the United States.

Dr. Everett H. Pryde Fund. Established in 1985 by Phyllis W. Pryde in honor of her late husband Everett H. Pryde '39 to bring to the College distinguished visiting scientists to lecture on selected topics in the field of chemical research and to fund the Everett H. Pryde Research Award, given annually to an Amherst senior.

Rapaport Lectureship in Contemporary Art Fund. The Brooke Kamin Rapaport '84 Lectureship in Contemporary Art Fund, established in 1999, provides support for an annual lecture on some aspect of contemporary art. The goal of the Rapaport Lectureship is to increase awareness and appreciation of contemporary art among students and in the community.

Dr. Raymond A. Raskin Fund. The Dr. Raymond A. Raskin Fund, established in 2003 by Amherst Professor Lisa A. Raskin and her brother, Jonathan Raskin, M.D., is a permanently endowed fund at Amherst College. The Raskin family has established this Fund in honor of their father, a clinician in and teacher of psychoanalysis for over fifty years. Income from this Fund is used to support an annual lecture in the area of psychoanalysis from an interdisciplinary point of view.

John Woodruff Simpson Lectureship. Established in memory of John Woodruff Simpson 1871 by his wife and daughter, to fund fellowships and "to secure from time to time, from England, France or elsewhere, scholars for the purpose of delivering lectures or courses of instruction at Amherst College."

Tagliabue Fund. Established in 1991 by Paul and Chandler Tagliabue to honor their son Andrew, who graduated in 1991. The fund supports the Asian Languages and Civilizations Department at Amherst College and funds lectures by social scientists on Asian issues.

F. King Turgeon Memorial Fund. Established in 1988 in memory of F. King Turgeon, Emeritus Professor of French. Income from this fund can be used to support occasional lectures by visitors selected by the Department of French.

Willis D. Wood Fund. Established in memory of Willis D. Wood 1894 to fund visiting scholars and lecturers to "talk with students and faculty about different aspects of the spiritual life."

Honors

THE PHI BETA KAPPA SOCIETY

Massachusetts Beta Chapter. The students elected to membership in this honor society are those of highest standing. A preliminary election of outstanding students occurs at the end of the junior year, and a second election takes place at Commencement time of senior year.

President: Professor Natasha Staller *Secretary-Treasurer:* Janet S. Tobin

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Diorgenes Fernando Bellini

Abigail Audrey Bliss Rebecca Ann Boorstein Kari-Elle Jolie Brown Mary Patricia Byrne Oliver Phoenix Dee Claire Elise Drolen

Alexander Arthur Durkee Kyra Elizabeth Ellis-Moore

Zhengyuan Fan

Johannes Opsahl Ferstad

Nicholas G. Fowler Andrei Horia Gheorghe Matthew Scott GoodSmith

Heinrich-Karl von Moltke Greenblatt

Hongye Guo

Brendon Christopher Hardin

Eli Morgan Harris James Dolan Hildebrand Louis Walter Hunt

William Maxwell Mahany Kamin

Edward Jong-In Kim

Gregory Stephen Knowlton Heather Yeon Woo Lee Donna Elizabeth Leet

Melih Levi

Owen Edward Marschall Laura Ann Merchant Christine Renee Miranda Elizabeth Rose Mutter Darius Roland Onul

Alexander James Ordoobadi Sophia Rachel Padelford Madelin Marie Parsley Hyun-Sun Roh Kyra Alexa Schapiro Andrew Jacobs Scheiner Karen Cynthia Smith Eric James Smyth Kathryn M. Sundheim

Stephanie Lynn Ternullo Leah Louisa Thompson Eileen Lucía Troconis Gonzalez

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Jimmy King Zhi Yu Xiaoling Yu

THE SOCIETY OF SIGMA XI

Sigma Xi, the National Honorary Scientific Research Society, was founded in 1886, and the Amherst Chapter was installed March 23, 1950. As one of its purposes, the Society gives recognition of those students, members of the Faculty, research associates, and alumni who have demonstrated ability to carry on constructive scientific research or who show definite promise of research ability. Other functions are the maintenance of companionship among investigators in the various fields of science, the holding of meetings for the discussion of scientific subjects, and the fostering of an interest in scientific research in the College.

Undergraduates who show definite promise of research ability are typically recommended to associate membership by the departments concerned.

President: Professor Mark D. Marshall Secretary-Treasurer: Professor Ashley R. Carter

Full Members

Professor Amanda L. Folsom

Associate Members

Peter Alsharif
Juhyung Katie An
Daniel Gordon Ang
Caroline H. Broder
Monica Rachelle Cesinger
Dora Lin Cobrinik

Joely Gabriel DeSimone Frances Diehl

Thomas Li-shan Enzminger Andrei Horia Gheorghe Samuel Joseph Hendel Stephen John Hetterich Emma Teresa Hickman Maile Kananiokala Hollinger

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Madeleine P. Lobrano Gillian Alexis Lupinski

Allen Iin Li

Professor Xiaofei Susan Wang

Michael Curtis Millian Sage Henry O'Neil Darius Roland Onul Alexander James Ordoobadi Taylor Ellen Penzel Kade Ploussard Pettie Sean Michael Rodriguez

Hyunsun Roh

Alissa Michelle Rothman Abel Andrés Samanez Kyra Alexa Schapiro Alyssa Paige Sherwill

Jacob Sixten Eriksson Shuman

Karen Cynthia Smith John Frederick Stockman

Ashleigh Elizabeth Graham Stoddart

Mariame Sylla

Rachel Ellen Tannenbaum

Nicholas Tong

Eileen Lucia Troconis Gonzalez

Gabriela Marie Ulloa Sarah Jorquera Vickery Julia Katrina Vrtilek Katharine Adele Winchell Jimmy King Zhi Yu

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Fellowships

COLLEGE FELLOWSHIPS

FROM the income of the College's fellowship funds, approximately 160 awards are made annually to graduates of Amherst College for study in graduate or professional schools. Applications should be made by February 10 on forms available in December on the Office of Fellowships' website. This same deadline applies to seniors and to graduates. You need not have been accepted at graduate school to apply, but the awards are made contingent upon final enrollment. The awards are based on merit and need (except for the Kellogg and Rosenblum) and are determined by the Faculty Committee on Student Fellowships. An exception to this is the Amherst-Doshisha Fellowship for which the deadline is early in November and for which there is a special Selection Committee.

The Amherst-Doshisha Fellowship. Amherst-Doshisha Fellowship at Doshisha University, Kyoto, Japan, is open to graduating seniors and recent alumni of the College for a term of one, or in some cases, two years. The recipient will have the opportunity to work with a professor and representative of the College at Doshisha, and to teach English to Japanese students. No knowledge of the Japanese language is required, but many recent fellows have spoken Japanese to a greater or lesser extent.

The fellowship offers a stipend and an allowance for travel and incidental expenses, shared equally between Amherst and Doshisha. The fellowship year is normally from September to August. It carries with it formal teaching responsibilities in the English language at Doshisha University, at the first-year and second-year level. The academic year at Doshisha allows fellows to travel in Asia during February and March.

Interested applicants should contact the Office of Fellowships for more information. This fellowship is awarded by the Board of Trustees upon the recommendation of the Amherst-Doshisha Fellowship Committee.

The Amherst Memorial Fellowships. These fellowships, in memory of Amherst graduates who gave their lives for an ideal, are given primarily for the study of social, economic, and political institutions, and for preparation for teaching and the ministry. The fund was established because of the "need for better understanding and more complete adjustment" between humans and their "existing social, economic, and political institutions for the study of the principles underlying these human relationships."

The object of the fellowships is to permit students of character, scholarly promise, and intellectual curiosity to investigate some problem in the humanistic sciences. During previous training candidates should have given evidence of marked mental ability in some branch of the social sciences—history, economics, political science—and have given promise of original contribution to a particular field of study. It is desirable that they possess qualities of leadership, a spirit of service, and an intention to devote their efforts to the betterment of social conditions through teaching in its broad sense, journalism, politics, or field work.

Preference is given to candidates planning to do advanced work in the field of the social sciences, but awards may also be made to candidates who are planning to go to theological school in preparation for a career in the ministry and to those from fields other than the social sciences who are preparing for a career in teaching in secondary schools or colleges.

The fellowships are for one year but, upon reapplication, may be approved for one or two additional years, depending upon the nature of the subjects investigated

or upon other circumstances which, in the judgment of the committee, warrant a variation in the length of tenure.

The stipend will vary according to the circumstances of the appointment. Awards will depend upon those aspects of individual cases which, in the judgment of the committee, most suitably fulfill the purpose of the foundation.

These fellowships are awarded by the Board of Trustees upon the recommendation of the Faculty Committee on Student Fellowships.

The John Mason Clarke 1877 Fellowship in Paleontology and Geology. A fund from the estate of Noah T. Clarke was established in memory of his father, John Mason Clarke 1877, to provide income for a fellowship or fellowships for the pursuit of studies in paleontology or geology, preferably in the New York State Museum in Albany, New York.

The Evan Carroll Commager Fellowship. This fund, established by Professor Henry Steele Commager in memory of his late wife and "as a testimony to her affection for this College," enables an Amherst student to study at Cambridge University. The fellowship is for one year but, upon reapplication, may be approved for a second year. The award is open to any student, with preference to seniors and to those applying to Peterhouse, St. John's, Trinity, or Downing College.

The Henry P. Field Fellowships. Two fellowships are available from the income of the bequest of the late Henry P. Field 1880 to promote graduate study in the fields of English and history. Appointments are made annually by the College on the recommendation of the departments of English and history.

The Warner Gardner Fletcher Fellowship. The income from a gift from the late Warner Gardner Fletcher '41 is awarded to "pursue work for the improvement of education." Preference is given to candidates who are engaged in the study of education and then to candidates for the Master of Arts in Teaching.

Seth E. Frank '55 Fellowship. Established in 1997 by Seth E. Frank '55, the income from this fund is to be used annually for post-graduate work by a graduate of Amherst College. The fellowship is to be awarded to a graduate who has demonstrated exceptional ability, interest, and achievement in the area of International Relations. The fellowship is not limited to graduate study but may be awarded for other endeavors which are international in scope.

The Roswell Dwight Hitchcock Memorial Fellowship. A fund, established by the Alpha Delta Phi Fraternity, provides an annual award to a member or members of the senior class for excellence in history and the social and economic sciences. The holder of the fellowship pursues for one year a course of study in history or economics, to be completed within the period of two years next following graduation.

The Rufus B. Kellogg University Fellowship. The income from the fund, established by the late Rufus B. Kellogg 1858, provides certain prizes, and a fellowship award for three years to a graduate of Amherst College, who shall be appointed upon the following conditions: The Fellow is elected by the Faculty on the recommendation of the Faculty Committee on Student Fellowships. Consideration is given to seniors or members of the classes graduated in the preceding six years. The fellowship is awarded to that graduate who, in the judgment of the Faculty, is best equipped for study and research, without regard to any other considerations, except that the Fellow should have an especially good knowledge of at least one modern foreign language and should have had at least one year of Latin in preparatory school or college. The three years shall be spent by the Fellow at a German university or other approved institution, for the study of philosophy, philology, literature, history, political science, political economy, mathematics or natural science. At least

one college term of the final year shall be spent by the Fellow at Amherst College, to give lectures on a subject selected by the Fellow and approved by the Trustees. The lectures shall be published in book form or in a learned journal. This fellowship is based solely on merit. The Kellogg Fellowship is awarded for three years and will be awarded again in 2018.

The Sterling P. Lamprecht Fellowship. From the income of this fund, fellowships are awarded to recent graduates of Amherst College for the pursuit of philosophy. Upon reapplication, these fellowships may be approved for a maximum of three years. They need not be awarded at all in one particular year, and it might be, if there were no suitable graduates, awarded to an undergraduate, in which case it would be known as the Sterling P. Lamprecht Scholarship. Preference, however, would be given for graduate study.

The Edward Poole Lay Fellowship. The income from a fund, established by Frank M. Lay 1893 and Mrs. Lay, in memory of their son Edward Poole Lay '22, provides fellowships to graduates who have shown unusual proficiency and talent in music and who desire to continue studies in the field. Preference is given to candidates who are proficient in voice. In the event that there are no qualified candidates in the musical arts (especially voice and instrumental music), they may be awarded to qualified candidates in the field of the dramatic arts. These fellowships are awarded by the Board of Trustees upon the recommendation of the Faculty Committee on Student Fellowships.

The Forris Jewett Moore Fellowships. These fellowships, in three fields of study, were established in memory of Forris Jewett Moore 1889 by his widow, Emma B. Moore.

- (1) A fellowship to graduates distinguished in the study of chemistry while undergraduates, who desire to engage in further study of that subject. Preference is given to eligible candidates for the field of organic chemistry.
- (2) A fellowship to graduates distinguished in the study of history while undergraduates, who desire to engage in further study of that subject.
- (3) A fellowship to graduates distinguished in the study of philosophy while undergraduates, who desire to engage in further study of that subject.

The George Stebbins Moses Memorial Fellowship. This memorial fellowship is awarded to a graduate who has been accepted by a recognized divinity school, who has good reason to seek financial aid, who seems to be an all-around person qualified in all respects as a religious and moral leader and a lover of ordinary people, and who is qualified scholastically to meet the calling of a theological career creditably. The candidate need not be an outstanding student, but improvement in the upper-class years, dedication, and a sense of purpose will be given great consideration. The fellowship may be renewed for a second or third year at the discretion of the Committee. More than one fellowship may be awarded in any given year.

The George A. Plimpton Fellowships. These fellowships, established by the Board of Trustees in memory of George A. Plimpton 1876, a member of the Board from 1890 to 1895 and from 1900 to 1936, and President of the Board from 1907 to 1936, are awarded *without stipend* to seniors who are of outstanding scholastic ability and promise, who plan to continue their studies in graduate school, and who are not in need of financial assistance. These fellowships are awarded by the Board of Trustees on recommendation of the Faculty Committee on Student Fellowships.

The C. Scott Porter Memorial Fellowship for Graduate Study. Established in 1972 by the family of C. Scott Porter '19, mathematics professor, 1924-31, and Dean of the

College from 1931-1966, the C. Scott Porter Memorial Fellowship is awarded annually to a graduate for further study without restriction as to department or field.

The Lloyd I. Rosenblum Memorial Fellowship. Established in 1997 for his son, Peter M. Rosenblum '70, and other family members, the fellowship is to be awarded annually to a graduate of Amherst College embarking on his or her first year of graduate studies in the fields of botany and biology. Each beneficiary should be a person who demonstrated significant promise in the relevant fields of study as an undergraduate at Amherst College. The fellowship is to be awarded solely on the basis of merit and without regard to race, sex, religion, gender, or nationality.

The Charles B. Rugg Fellowship. Established in memory of Charles Belcher Rugg 1911, this fellowship is awarded to a graduate for the study of law. The award may be renewed for a second or third year upon recommendation of the Faculty Committee on Student Fellowships.

The John Woodruff Simpson Fellowships and Lectureships. A fund was established in memory of John Woodruff Simpson 1871 by his wife and daughter. Income from the fund provides: (1) A fellowship for the study of law; (2) A fellowship for the study of medicine; (3) A fellowship for the study of theology, without regard to creed or religious belief; (4) A fellowship for study at any school, college or university in preparation for the teaching profession; (5) A fellowship for use in graduate study at the Universities of Oxford or Cambridge in England or at the Sorbonne in Paris.

The fund may also be used to secure from time to time from England, France or elsewhere, scholars for the purpose of delivering lectures or courses of instruction at Amherst College. These fellowships are awarded by the Board of Trustees upon the recommendations of the Faculty Committee on Student Fellowships.

The Benjamin Goodall Symon, Jr., Memorial Fellowship. This fellowship is awarded to a graduate who has been accepted by a recognized divinity school, who has good reason to seek financial aid, who seems to be an all-around individual qualified in all respects as a religious and moral leader, and who is qualified scholastically to meet the calling of a theological career creditably, although the student may plan to use the divinity school training for work in another field. The candidate need not be an outstanding student, but improvement in the upper-class years, dedication, and a sense of purpose will be given great consideration.

The fellowship may be renewed for a second or third year at the discretion of the Committee. More than one fellowship may be awarded in any given year.

The Roland Wood Fellowship. Awarded annually on recommendation of the Department of Theater and Dance as a fellowship to one or more promising and deserving graduates of Amherst College for continued study in or of the theater.

DEPARTMENTAL FELLOWSHIPS

French Department Fellowship. The French Department offers two exchange fellowships. The appointments will be made by the Department after an announcement at the beginning of March and interviews. Amherst seniors with a high proficiency in French may apply.

The University of Dijon Assistantship. This fellowship is an appointment as teaching assistant in American Civilization and Language for one year at the University of Dijon. The fellowship offers a stipend paid by the French government and free admission to courses at the University.

Exchange Fellowship, Ecole Normale Supérieure in Paris. This fellowship is without stipend but offers a room at the Ecole Normale Supérieure and admission to any university course in Paris.

The Edward Hitchcock Fellowship. This fellowship, established by the late Mrs. Frank L. Babbott of Brooklyn, N.Y., is available for study in the department of physical education. Its object is to make the student familiar with the best methods of physical training, both in the gymnasium and on the field. The appointment is made by the Faculty upon the recommendation of the Department of Physical Education and Athletics.

Fellows

Shah Saad Alam '14, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in Physics, Rice University.

Danielle Amodeo '13, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in Art History, Williams College.

Holda Anagho '14, Rufus B. Kellogg University Fellow in Biology, University of Heidelberg, Germany.

Daniel Ang '15, Rufus B. Kellogg University Fellow in Physics, Harvard University.

Luca Antonucci '14, Roland Wood Fellow in Music, Hartt School of Music, University of Hartford.

Andre Lucas Antunes de Sa '14, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in Aerospace Engineering, University of Colorado, Boulder.

Ryan Arnold '15, Evan Carroll Commager Fellow in English, University of Cambridge.

Aaron Aruck '11, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in Latin American and U.S. History, University of California, Santa Cruz.

Haneui Bae '13, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Molecular Cellular Biology, Harvard University.

Azza Bakkar '14, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine*, New York University School of Medicine.

Rachel Bass '14E, Roland Wood Fellow in Film Production, Chapman University.

Katherine Berry '12, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Law, Columbia Law School.

Katherine Black '10, Amherst Memorial Fellow in Business, Northwestern University.

Katherine Blumstein '13, Amherst Memorial Fellow in Clinical Psychology, University of Michigan Rackham Graduate School.

Grace Booth '12, Roland Wood Fellow in Physical Theater, Dell' Arte School of Physical Theater.

Owanate Briggs '12, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Public Health,* Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health.

Brenna Brown '12, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine,* Case Western Reserve University.

Omar Brown'13, George Stebbins Moses Memorial Fellow in Theology, Boston University.

Evan Bruno '08, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in Ethics, Management and Organizations, Cornell University.

Kevin Burchby '08, Amherst Memorial Fellow in Clinical Psychology, William James College.

Raysa Cabrejo La Torre '14, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine, Yale Medical School.

Erin Camp '11, John Mason Clarke 1877 Fellow in Geology, Cornell University.

Meredith Case '10, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine, Perelman School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania.

Adrian Castro '14, *John Mason Clarke 1877 Fellow in Geology,* Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute.

Mia Certo '13, Evan Carroll Commager Fellow in International Relations, London School of Economics.

Olivia Chase '12, Warner Gardner Fletcher Fellow in Education, Teachers College, Columbia University.

Sara Choi '13, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine, Stanford School of Medicine.

Diana Chou '15, C. Scott Porter Memorial Fellow and Edward Poole Lay Fellow in Organ Performance, Jacobs School of Music, Indiana University.

Stephanie Clegg '12, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine, University of Massachusetts Medical School.

Benjamin Colon '12, Roland Wood Fellow in English, Theater and Dance, Primary Stages Einhorn School of Performing Arts.

Ariana Cook '12, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Public Health,* University of Massachusetts, Amherst.

Ioanida Costache '12, Edward Poole Lay Fellow in Ethnomusicology, Stanford University.

Terrence Cullen '13, Amherst Memorial Fellow in French Literature, University of California, Berkeley.

Julian Hilary Cullen Budwey '13, Roland Wood Fellow in Early Music Performance, Voice, Longy School of Music, Bard College.

Andre Deckrow '06, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in International History, Columbia University.

Wai Tan Di '09, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine, Stony Brook University School of Medicine.

Claire DiMario '14, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Law*, Harvard Law School.

Ruodi Duan '14, Roswell Dwight Hitchcock Memorial Fellow in History, Harvard University.

Ekpoawan Edem '14, Edward Poole Lay Fellow in Physical Theater, School not known.

Katherine Eisen '12, *Lloyd I. Rosenblum Memorial Fellow in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology,* Cornell University.

Zhengyuan Fan '15, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Law, Harvard Law School.

Andrew Fenwick '15, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine, Memorial University of Newfoundland.

Chloe Fico '13, *Amherst Memorial Fellow in Social Work,* Columbia University.

Timothy Gaura '15E, Benjamin Goodall Symon, Jr. Memorial Fellow in Divinity, Yale Divinity School.

Inessa Gelfenboym '09, *Amherst Memorial Fellow in Slavic Languages and Literatures,* University of Southern California.

Andrei Horia Gheorghe '15, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in Physics, Harvard University.

Michelle Glick '10, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine, Jefferson University, Sidney Kimmel Medical College.

Anya Goldberg '13, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Mathematics*, Stony Brook University School of Medicine.

Yevgeniy Golubitskiy '12, Seth E. Frank '55 Fellow in Global Peace and Conflict Studies, Uppsala University, Sweden.

Carmine Grimaldi '08, Roswell Dwight Hitchcock Memorial Fellow and Henry P. Field Fellow in History, University of Chicago.

Carmella Guiol '09, *Amherst Memorial Fellow in Creative Writing,* University of South Florida.

Mwanasha Hamuza '11, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine,* Tufts University School of Medicine.

Bess Hanish '13, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Law, University of California, Berkeley.

Mark Hellmer '13, John Mason Clarke 1877 Fellow in Hydrology and Water Resources Management, Imperial College London.

Meron Hirpa '11, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine, University of Florida College of Medicine.

Ophelia Hu '12, Amherst Memorial Fellow in Business Administration, Yale School of Management.

Annegret Laura Huober '11E, *Amherst Memorial Fellow in Environmental Management and Business Administration,* Yale University School of Forestry and Environmental Studies.

Alexander Hurst '12, Seth E. Frank '55 Fellow in International Political Economy, London School of Economics.

Kathleen Hurt '15, Seth E. Frank '55 Fellow in International Relations, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University.

Chen Jiang '15, Evan Carroll Commager Fellow in History of Art, University of Oxford.

Aubrey Jones '13, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Law, Yale Law School.

Caitlin Kaake '14, George Stebbins Moses Memorial Fellow in Religion and Counseling, Northwestern University.

Dana Kaufman '12, Edward Poole Lay Fellow in Music Composition, Frost School of Music, University of Miami.

Jasia Kaulbach '14, Roland Wood Fellow in Film Production, Met Film School, University of West London.

Katharine Kelly '08, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine, University of Wisconsin, Madison.

Lilia Kilburn '12, Amherst Memorial Fellow in Media Anthropology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Daeyeong Kim '12, Amherst Memorial Fellow and Henry P. Field Fellow in English, Stanford University.

Joseph Kim '14, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine, Case Western Reserve School of Medicine.

Yeji Kim '12, George Stebbins Moses Memorial Fellow in Religion, Ethics, Politics, Harvard Divinity School.

Dashiell King '12, Edward Poole Lay Fellow in Acting, Independent study.

Kyla Kitamura '08, Seth E. Frank '55 Fellow in International Affairs, Georgetown University.

Ariah Klages-Mundt '12, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in Mathematics/Physics, School not known.

Morgan Kline '12, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in International Conflict and Development Studies, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva, Switzerland.

Amy Ko '13, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Computational Biology*, University of California, Berkeley.

Bolatito Kolawole '14, Charles B. Rugg Fellow in Law, Columbia Law School.

Hana Kommel '10, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Law,* University of California, Berkeley.

Joshua Kors '01E, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Law, Vanderbilt Law School.

Phyo Aung Kyaw '14, Amherst Memorial Fellow in Electrical Engineering, Thayer School of Engineering, Dartmouth College.

Chaka Laguerre'08, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in Philosophy, University of Cambridge.

Annika Lawrence '11E, Amherst Memorial Fellow in International Education Policy, Harvard University.

Grace Li '12, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine, University of Kentucky College of Medicine.

Mingzhu Li '12, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Law, New York University School of Law.

Feynman Liang '14, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in Physics and Machine Learning, University of Cambridge.

Sarah Long '07, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine, Tulane University School of Medicine.

Eleanor Mahoney '02, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in History, University of Washington.

Sebabatso Manoeli '11, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in Philosophy and History, University of Oxford.

Joshua Mayer '13, Amherst Memorial Fellow in Social Sciences, University of Chicago.

Matthew McClellan '11, Amherst Memorial Fellow in Secondary Education, Harvard Graduate School of Education.

James McNally '07, Edward Poole Lay Fellow in Musicology, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

Joseph Messinger '14, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in Chemistry, California Institute of Technology.

Chelsea Michta '13, Evan Carroll Commager Fellow in Modern European History, University of Oxford.

Emily Moin '09, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine*, Perelman School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania.

Bryce Monroe '15, Edward Poole Lay Fellow in Psychology, Theater and Dance, Independent study.

Jessica Mueller'13, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine, Harvard Medical School.

Nathan Nash '12, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Law, Yale Law School.

Aaron Nathan '10, Charles B. Rugg Fellow in Law, Yale Law School.

Michelle Ngo '15, *Amherst Memorial Fellow in Biostatistics and Epidemiology,* University of Michigan School of Public Health.

Noelle Niu '14, Amherst Memorial Fellow in Classics, Boston College.

Kayleigh O'Keeffe '12, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Evolution, Ecology, and Organismal Biology,* University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.

Mizuho Ota'13, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow and Lloyd I. Rosenblum Memorial Fellow in Biology, University of California, San Diego.

Benjamin Otoo '14, John Mason Clarke 1877 Fellow in Paleobiology, University of Bristol, United Kingdom.

Joann Park '15, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Law, New York University School of Law.

Zohar Perla '12, *Amherst Memorial Fellow in Public Policy,* University of California, Berkeley.

Ameerah Phillips '10, Amherst Memorial Fellow in Public Policy, University of Chicago.

Samantha Presnal '11, Amherst Memorial Fellow in French, New York University.

Shenglan Qiao '13, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in Physics, Stanford University.

Leslie Quiroz '13, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Applied Behavioral Analysis,* Western New England University.

Julian Ricardo '15, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in Earth and Environmental Engineering, Fu School of Engineering, Columbia University.

Megan Robertson '15, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Statistics, Duke University.

Sara Ruddock-Harris '09, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine*, Chicago-Stritch School of Medicine, Loyola University.

Alexis Salas '00, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in Art History, University of Texas, Austin.

Sarah Schear '12, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine, The Joint Medical Program at University of California, Berkeley and University of California, San Francisco School of Medicine.

Alice Shen '14, Amherst Memorial Fellow in Linguistics, University of California, Berkeley.

Kerri Stuart '14, *Amherst Memorial Fellow in Physical Therapy,* Massachusetts General Hospital's Institute of Health Professions.

Maxwell Suechting '11, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in Modern Thought, Music and Critical Theory, Stanford University.

Eric Sullivan '13, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine and Public Policy*, University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine.

Joseph Taff '13, Edward Poole Lay Fellow in Choral Conducting, Independent study.

Stephanie Ternullo '15, Evan Carroll Commager Fellow in Economic and Social History, University of Cambridge.

Molly Toomey '10, Amherst Memorial Fellow in Social Work, Smith College School for Social Work.

Rebecca Touger '08, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine, Albert Einstein College of Medicine.

Eileen Troconis Gonzalez '15, Rufus B. Kellogg University Fellow in Biology and Veterinary Science, University of Cambridge.

David Ullman '10, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Law and Public Policy,* Columbia Law School/Harvard Kennedy School.

Neha Wadia '13, Forris Jewett Moore Fellow in Biophysics, University of California, Berkeley.

Xuanji Wang '12, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Medicine, Rush Medical College.

Yilin Wang '14, Amherst Memorial Fellow in Social Psychology, University of California, Davis.

Leilani Webb '14, *Amherst Memorial Fellow in Counseling Psychology*, Boston College Lynch School of Education.

Colin White '14, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Computer Science*, Carnegie Mellon University.

Andrea Wise '11, *Amherst Memorial Fellow in Urban and Regional Planning,* Georgetown University School of Continuing Studies.

Emily Wright '09, Evan Carroll Commager Fellow in Celtic Studies, University of Oxford.

Yang Xiao '14, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Mathematics, Brown University.

Abigail Xu '15, John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Law, School not known.

Semret Yibass '15, Amherst Memorial Fellow in Psychology, Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

Hee Hyun Yoo '15, *John Woodruff Simpson Fellow in Mathematics/Accounting*, Northeastern University.

Bessie Young '11, Roland Wood Fellow in Performance and Improvisation, Independent study.

Andrew Zolot '11, Amherst Memorial Fellow in Creative Writing, Louisiana State University.

AMHERST-DOSHISHA FELLOW

James Hildebrand '15, Doshisha University, Kyoto, Japan.

NATIONAL FELLOWS AND SCHOLARS

Richard Altieri '15, Watson Fellow.

David Beron Echavarria '15, Watson Fellow.

Elizabeth Briskin '15, Fulbright English Teaching Assistant, Malaysia.

Emma Broches '14, Fulbright Scholar, Jordan.

Samanta English '15, Fulbright English Teaching Assistant, South Korea.

Jeffery Feldman '15, Carnegie Junior Fellow.

Timothy Gaura '15E, Fulbright English Teaching Assistant, Malaysia.

Carlos Gonzalez '14, International Gates Cambridge Scholar.

Matthew GoodSmith '15, Fulbright Scholar, Netherlands.

Yasmina Martin '14, Fulbright Scholar, South Africa.

Christine Miranda '15, Fulbright Scholar, Panama.

Amar Mukunda '15, Fulbright Scholar, Switzerland.

Nik Nevin '14, Carnegie Junior Fellow.

Sophia Padelford '15, Fulbright English Teaching Assistant, Bulgaria.

Swathi Sivasubramanian '15, Fulbright English Teaching Assistant, Malaysia.

Eric Steinbrook '15, Fulbright English Teaching Assistant, Malaysia.

Savannah West '15, Fulbright English Teaching Assistant, South Africa.

Prizes and Awards

AMERICAN STUDIES

The Doshisha American Studies Prize, a gift from Amherst House, Doshisha University, is awarded for the American studies honors thesis judged by the Department of American Studies as most likely to stimulate interest in and understanding of America overseas, with a view toward possible publication in Japan.

Divided between Stephanie Ellen Nussbaum '15 and Francheska Marin Santos '15.

The George Rogers Taylor Prize is awarded to the student who, in the opinion of the American Studies Department, shows the most promise for creative and scholarly work in American Studies.

Francheska Marin Santos '15.

ANTHROPOLOGY/SOCIOLOGY

The Donald S. Pitkin Prize in Anthropology-Sociology, established in honor of the founder of that department on the occasion of his retirement, is given to that student whose honors thesis best exemplifies the humane values to which Professor Pitkin committed his research and teaching.

Divided between Noraida Colon '15 and Juleon Evan Robinson '15.

ART AND THE HISTORY OF ART

The Hasse Prize, established in memory of Adrian H. Hasse '43, is awarded for the best submitted work having a human figure as a theme.

Emma Miriam Rothkopf'15.

The Anna Baker Heap Prize, established by Arnold N. Heap of the Class of 1873, is awarded to that senior who submits the best essay in the field of "Art".

Yeon Woo (Heather) Lee '15.

The Athanasios Demetrios Skouras Prize, given in memory of Mr. Skouras of the Class of 1936, who died in 1943 in Athens as a result of Nazi reprisal killings, is awarded to a student who, in the opinion of the Fine Arts Department, has created an outstanding work of art.

Shannon Natalie Brathwaite '15.

ASIAN LANGUAGES AND CIVILIZATIONS

The Doshisha Asian Studies Prize from the income of a gift from Amherst House, Doshisha University, is awarded for the best undergraduate honors thesis pertaining to Asia.

Chen Jiang '15.

ASTRONOMY

The Porter Prize, established by the late Eleazer Porter of Hadley, is awarded for proficiency in first-year astronomy.

Allison Laura Watson '18.

ATHLETICS

The Manstein Family Award, given by Carl '72, Mark '74 and Joanne Manstein '83, is presented to the outstanding senior varsity athlete who has been accepted to medi-

cal school and plans a career in medicine. The prize is awarded by the Department of Physical Education.

Connor John Sholtis '15.

BIOCHEMISTRY AND BIOPHYSICS

The Biochemistry and Biophysics Prize is awarded to the student who, in the opinion of the faculty, has prepared the best thesis in the Biochemistry and Biophysics program.

Xiaoling Yu '15.

BIOLOGY

The James R. Elster Award for research in biology was created in memory of James R. Elster '71, by his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Samuel K. Elster. This fund has been established for the purpose of providing support in the summer months for a research project to be undertaken by an undergraduate in the Department of Biology.

Divided among Juhyung (Katie) An '15, Monica Rachelle Cesinger '15, Joely Gabriel DeSimone '15, and Donna Elizabeth Leet '15.

The Sawyer Prize is awarded to that second-semester sophomore who, in the opinion of the Biology Department, has shown the most promise as a student of biology. Divided between *Victoria Jean Luizzi '17* and *Amanda Christine Patsis '17*.

The Oscar E. Schotté Award is given to that member of the graduating class who, in the opinion of the department, has done the best independent work in biology.

Divided among Joely Gabriel DeSimone '15, Karen Cynthia Smith '15, and Eileen Lucia Troconis Gonzalez '15.

The Oscar E. Schotté Scholarship Prize is awarded to a member of the junior or senior class majoring in science to enable completion of a special project during the summer.

Divided among Madeleine Page Lobrano '15, Karen Cynthia Smith '15, Eileen Lucia Troconis Gonzalez 15, and Julia Katrina Vrtilek '15.

The William C. Young Prize, established in memory of William C. Young '21, is awarded to a talented student from the Biology Department to undertake a summer course, a specialized program at an advanced school or institute, a summer field program or research at a specialized laboratory.

Rachel Tu-Uyen Duong '16 and Hannah Payette Peterson '17.

BIOLOGY AND GEOLOGY

The Harvey Blodgett Scholarship, established by Frederick H. Blodgett in memory of his grandfather, Harvey Blodgett of the Class of 1829, is awarded to aid student work in biology and geology in their educational phases as distinct from their more technical and strictly scientific phases.

combined with

The Phi Delta Theta Scholarship, established by the Phi Delta Theta Fraternity, is awarded as a scholarship at the Woods Hole Marine Laboratory to a student for proficiency in biology.

John He '16.

BLACK STUDIES

The Edward Jones Prize is given in honor of the College's first black alumnus. It is awarded by the Black Studies Department to a graduating senior for the best honors thesis which addresses a present or future issue of concern to black people in Africa and the Diaspora.

Katherine Campbell Ponds '15.

CHEMISTRY

The David R. Belevetz '54 Memorial Fund Award in Chemistry was established by family and friends of David R. Belevetz and is awarded to support the work of an Amherst student engaged in preparing a senior honors thesis, as determined by the Chemistry Department Faculty.

Xiao Xiao '16.

The Howard Waters Doughty Prize is awarded to that member of the senior class who, in the opinion of the Chemistry Department, has prepared the best honors thesis. *Gillian Alexis Lupinski '15*.

The Frank Fowler Dow Prizes, established by Fayette B. Dow in memory of his father, are awarded to a senior preparing to enter medical school and whose undergraduate work indicates a career of distinction in medicine.

Kathryn M. Sundheim '15.

The Everett H. Pryde Research Award is presented annually to a senior who has been an outstanding teaching assistant in chemistry and who shows great promise for carrying out research in science or medicine.

Divided among Samuel Joseph Hendel '15, Nazir D. Khan '15, and Katharine Adele Winchell '15.

The White Prize is awarded by the Chemistry Department to that chemistry major in the junior class who seems most likely to benefit from a summer's research experience at Amherst. It consists of a summer fellowship.

Divided between Mark Austin Boyer '16 and Jovan Damjanovic '16.

CLASSICS

The Anthony and Anastasia Nicolaides Award, established by Cleanthes Anthony Nicolaides '68, in honor of his parents and in testimony of their belief in the goodness of science, is awarded to the senior who presents the best thesis on the topic of Greek science and mathematics from Homeric times to 1453 A.D.

Not Awarded 2014-15.

COMPUTER SCIENCE

The Computer Science Prize is awarded to a senior who has completed an honors thesis and who, in the opinion of the Department of Mathematics and Computer Science, has achieved the best performance in the study of computer science. The award is based on the thesis and overall achievement in computer science.

Mark Ernest Idleman '15.

ECONOMICS

The Bernstein Prize, funded by a gift from the Bernstein family in honor of the work their son, Jeffrey '91, did at Amherst College, is awarded to the senior who has done particularly outstanding honors work in economics.

Hongye Guo '15.

The Economics Department Junior Class Prize, awarded to that member of the junior class who, in the opinion of the Economics Department, has achieved a record of excellence in the study of economics at Amherst College.

Divided among James Thomas Liu '16, Ningyue Wang '16, and Jenny Jie Xu '16.

The Hamilton Prize, established by his former students in memory of Professor Walton Hale Hamilton, distinguished member of the Department of Economics from 1915 to 1923, is awarded to that student other than a senior who ranks highest in the introductory economics course.

Divided between Ryan Coleman Cenek '18 and Rashid Louay Kosber '17.

The James R. Nelson Memorial Award and The James R. Nelson Prize were established from the income of a fund established by former students, colleagues and friends to encourage and recognize the scholarly and humane qualities that Professor Nelson exemplified and sought to foster in his students.

The James R. Nelson Memorial Award is presented to that senior who, in the opinion of the Economics Department, has achieved excellence in the study of economics while pursuing a broad liberal education.

Divided between Diorgenes Fernando Bellini '15 and Stephanie Lynn Ternullo '15.

The James R. Nelson Prize is awarded to the senior who, in the opinion of the Economics Department, has written a distinguished honors thesis that applies economic analysis to an important question of public policy.

Jessica Ruth Kaliski '15.

ENGLISH

The Academy of American Poets Prize is awarded annually for the best poem or group of poems, preferably on nature, submitted by an undergraduate.

Elias Baez '15.

The Armstrong Prize, established in part by Collin Armstrong of the Class of 1877 in memory of his mother, Miriam Collin Armstrong, is awarded to members of the freshman class who excel in composition.

Divided between Bryan Karpel Doniger '18 and Helen Reid Montie '18.

The Collin Armstrong Poetry Prize, established in part by Mrs. Elizabeth H. Armstrong, is awarded to the undergraduate author of the best original poem or group of poems.

Victoria Jean Luizzi '17.

The Elizabeth Bruss Prize is presented to that senior English major who in the judgment of the English Department best represents those qualities of breadth and imagination exemplified by Elizabeth Bruss.

Melih Levi '15.

The Corbin Prize, established by the estate of William Lee Corbin of the Class of 1896, is awarded for an outstanding original composition in the form of poetry or an informal essay.

Divided between *Alexis Teyie '16* and *Amanda Christine Tobin '17*.

The G. Armour Craig Award for Prose Composition is awarded to that junior or senior who writes the best autobiographical essay on an experience of intellectual discovery.

Stella Honey Yoon '15E.

The Peter Burnett Howe Prize for excellence in prose fiction was established by a gift from Robert B. Howe '30 in memory of his son Peter Burnett Howe '60.

Winthrop Emmett Knowlton '15.

The Rolfe Humphries Poetry Prize is presented to that senior who has achieved the greatest sense of poetic form in his or her undergraduate writing. The award is made on the basis of three submissions to the English Department in the applicant's senior year and may include writing produced during the undergraduate years.

Marie Hall Lambert '15.

The Harry Richmond Hunter Jr. Prize, established in memory of Harry Richmond Hunter Jr. '29, by his parents, is awarded to that member of the sophomore class who presents the best essay on a topic approved by the English Department.

Divided between Daniel D. Ahn '17 and Sophie Jane Murguia '17.

The James Charlton Knox Prize was established by the friends of Jim Knox '70, to honor his memory and recognize his abiding interest in English literature. It is given to the outstanding English student who demonstrates the greatest integration of scholarship, interest and creativity in the study of English.

Divided among Daria Chernysheva '16, Eugene Lee '16, Ashley Monique Montgomery '16, Christopher Paul Rigas '16, and Craig Alan Velozo '16.

The MacArthur-Leithauser Travel Award, from the income of a gift by the MacArthur Foundation to the College in 1985 at the request of Brad Leithauser, MacArthur Fellow and Visiting Writer at the College for 1984-85, is given annually by the English Department to a sophomore or junior of creative promise who might most benefit from exposure to a foreign landscape, for the purpose of enabling the student to travel outside the continental United States.

Divided between Jenny Kayan Li '16 and Yue (Joy) Xu '16.

The Ralph Waldo Rice Prize, established by Mrs. Mary Rice Jenkins in memory of her brother of the Class of 1910, is awarded for the best essay on "The Liberal College and Christian Citizenship" or any subject named by the faculty.

Divided between Madelin Marie Parsley '15 and Austin Bailey Govero '15.

The Laura Ayres Snyder Poetry Prize, endowed by a gift from Jeffrey F. Snyder '60, in honor of his daughter, Laura Ayres Snyder '89, is awarded to a member of the junior class and is intended to subsidize a student-poet during the summer between his or her junior and senior years. The judges of the prize are one faculty member each from the Departments of English, Philosophy, and Physics in even numbered years and English, History, and Biology in odd numbered years.

Craig Alan Velozo '16.

The Stephen E. Whicher Prize, established in memory of Stephen E. Whicher '36 for the best essay by a senior in the interpretation of American literature in the Department of English or American Studies.

Abigail Audrey Bliss '15.

ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

The Jan E. Dizard Prize in Environmental Studies, established on the occasion of his retirement, honors Prof. Dizard for his role in founding the department. It is awarded to a member(s) of the graduating class, who in the opinion of the Environmental Studies Department, exemplifies the field of environmental studies in academic work.

Divided between David Berón Echavarria '15 and Alexander Edward Healey '15.

THE FILM AND MEDIA STUDIES

The Film and Media Studies Award is awarded to an honors student in the Film and Media Studies Program for outstanding poetics in filmmaking.

Divided between Joyzel Acevedo '15 and Ashley Marie Blasczyk '15.

FRENCH

The Jeffrey J. Carre Award, established in 1983 by his family, friends, professional colleagues and students, is presented to a sophomore or junior who has demonstrated excellence in the French language. The prize is to be used toward travel in France during the summer following the award.

Jun Gu (Terry) Lee '17

The Frederick King Turgeon Prize in French Literature was established by former students of Professor Turgeon upon the occasion of his retirement. It is used for the award of a book to the student who has done particularly distinguished work in French during the year.

Divided between Abigail Audrey Bliss '15 and Donna Elizabeth Leet '15.

GEOLOGY

The Walter F. Pond Prize, established in honor of Walter Pond '07, is awarded to the senior who has submitted the best honors thesis in geology.

Divided between Matthew Scott GoodSmith '15 and Thomas Li-Shan Enzminger '15.

The David F. Quinn Memorial Award is awarded in memory of David Quinn '80 to an outstanding senior who, during his or her undergraduate career, has made a positive contribution to geology at Amherst through character, leadership, enthusiasm, and participation in departmental activities.

Robert Huber Gaffey '15.

The Belt-Brophy Prize is awarded to that student at the end of the junior year who, in the judgment of the staff of the Department of Geology, has shown the greatest promise for success as a geologist. The prize consists of a Brunton compass with field case, the most versatile field tool of the geologist.

Brian John Beaty '17.

GERMAN

The Consulate General Prize for Academic Achievement in German Literature, made available by the Consulate General of the Federal Republic of Germany in Boston, is awarded to that student who, in the judgment of the Department of German, has written the best paper as part of a German course.

Divided between Kathleen French Hurt '15 and Daniel Steven Navas '17.

The Consulate General Prize for German Studies is made available by the Consulate General of the Federal Republic of Germany in Boston. It is awarded to that junior or senior who, in the judgment of the Department of German, has made a superior contribution to any aspect of German studies.

Caroline Katba '15.

GREEK

The William C. Collar Prize, established by William C. Collar of the Class of 1859, is awarded to the member of the freshman class who has made on a written examination the best version in English of a previously unseen page from some Greek author. *Ryan Hardin '18*.

The Hutchins Prize, established by Waldo Hutchins of the Class of 1842, is awarded to a senior for excellence in Greek.

Divided between Heinrich-Karl von Moltke Greenblatt '15 and Katharine Nass Rudzitis '15.

HISTORY

The Asa J. Davis Prize is awarded to a student who has demonstrated outstanding achievement in the study of the History of Africa and the Black Diaspora and whose work best reflects the comprehensive interest of Asa Davis in historical and cultural contacts between Africa, the Old World and the Americas.

Emma Mairwen Hutchins '15.

The Alfred F. Havighurst Prize, intended for the purchase of books, is awarded to that major in the Department of History who has in four years at Amherst best fulfilled the standards of excellence and humane scholarship exemplified by Professor Havighurst during his teaching career at Amherst College.

Leah Louisa Thompson '15.

IOURNALISM

The Samuel Bowles Prize, established by Samuel Bowles King '02, to stimulate interest in journalism as a career, is awarded to a student who has demonstrated proficiency in journalism.

Ashley Monique Montgomery '16.

LATIN

The Bertram Prizes, established by John Bertram of Salem, are two prizes awarded to students who, together with attaining a high average in the Latin courses of the senior year, present the best essays connected with these courses.

Senior First: Heinrich-Karl von Moltke Greenblatt '15.

Senior Second divided between: Katherine Campbell Ponds '15 and Katharine Nass Rudzitis '15.

The Billings Prizes were established by Frederick Billings in memory of Parmly Billings of the Class of 1884. Two prizes are awarded for general excellence in the Latin courses of the sophomore year, together with the best essays on special topics connected with the authors read in that year.

Sophomore First: Paul Edward Huston McClean '17.

Sophomore Second: Cassandra Hradil '17.

The Crowell Prizes were established in memory of Edward Payson Crowell of the Class of 1853. Two prizes are awarded—one for the highest scholarship in freshman Latin courses and the other to the students who, together with attaining a high average in the Latin courses of the junior year, present the best essays on some approved topic connected with the junior Latin course.

Freshman First and Second combined and divided among: Youngeun Ahn '18, Josephine Carroll '18, and Delancey Eliese King '18.

Junior First: *Alexander Corey Vega '16*.

Junior Second: Patrick Vinh DeVivo '16.

The Dr. Ernest D. Daniels Latin Prize, established in honor of Dr. Daniels of the Class of 1890, is awarded to the graduating senior who has submitted the best honors thesis on a Latin subject.

Heinrich-Karl von Moltke Greenblatt '15.

LAW, JURISPRUDENCE AND SOCIAL THOUGHT

The Robert Cover Prize honors the memory of Robert Cover, a distinguished legal scholar whose work inspired the humanistic conception of law in the liberal arts embodied in Amherst's Department of Law, Jurisprudence and Social Thought. It is given annually to a graduating senior for distinguished achievement in that major.

Kyra Elizabeth Ellis-Moore '15.

LIBRARY

The Frederick S. Lane '36 Fellowship for Creative Artists is awarded to students using historical and rare source materials from the Archives and Special Collections towards projects in the arts.

Divided among Nia Elizabeth Rose James '15, Lucas Paludi Lebovitz '15, Katharine Nass Rudzitis '15, Christopher Michael Tamasi '15, and Daniel Mark Vitale '15.

MATHEMATICS

The Robert H. Breusch Prize is awarded to the senior who, in the opinion of the faculty in mathematics, has presented the best honors thesis in mathematics.

Divided among Dvij Bajpai '15, Edward Jong-In Kim '15, and Darius Roland Onul '15.

The Walker Prizes were established by William J. Walker of Newport, Rhode Island. Two prizes are awarded for proficiency in mathematics of the first year and two prizes for proficiency in mathematics of the second year. In each case the award is determined by an examination.

Freshman First: Bowen Yang '18.

Freshman Second divided between: Tobias Schwed '18 and An Thu Hoang '18.

Sophomore First: Fanhao Yang '17.

Sophomore Second:. Yen Nhi Truong Vu '17.

MEAD ART MUSEUM

The Wise Fine Arts Award is presented annually in the spring to a student in the College for distinction in the completion of an original work or works of art and the purchase thereof. The prize-winning work of art will become the property of the Trustees of Amherst College.

Emma Miriam Rothkopf'15.

The Wise Award For Collection Research is presented annually to a student in any academic department whose senior theses, in the judgment of the Mead Art Museum's curators and director, most effectively analyzes, interprets or responds to an object in the museum's collection.

Yeon Woo (Heather) Lee '15.

MUSIC

The Sylvia and Irving Lerner Piano Prize is awarded to that student who has demonstrated the greatest skill and musicianship as a pianist.

Divided between Diana Lisa Chou '15 and Albert Woody Yu '15.

The Mishkin Prize, established by the Friends of Music, is awarded in memory of Professor Henry G. Mishkin to that senior selected by the Department of Music who produces the best thesis on a critical or musical topic.

Not awarded 2014-15.

The Lincoln Lowell Russell Prize, established by J. W. Russell Jr. of the Class of 1899 in memory of his son, is awarded to the seniors who have done most to foster the singing spirit at Amherst.

Divided between Julia Joyce Edholm '15 and Michael Seung Bok Peter La Hogue '15.

The Eric Edward Sundquist Prize, established in memory of Mr. Sundquist of the Class of 1936, is awarded to that senior who has demonstrated excellence in musical composition and performance.

Daniel Gordon Ang '15.

NEUROSCIENCE

The James Olds Memorial Neuroscience Award, established by the Swerdlow Family Foundation in recognition of the contributions made to the neurosciences by Dr. Olds of the Class of 1947, is presented to the student whose research in the neurosciences is judged, by the faculty of the Neuroscience Program, to be of highest quality.

Divided between Kyra Alexa Schapiro '15 and Mariame Sylla '15.

PHILOSOPHY

The Gail Kennedy Memorial Prize is awarded to a senior major in Philosophy in recognition of a distinguished honors essay.

Richard J. Altieri '15.

PHYSICS

The Bassett Physics Prizes were established by Preston Rogers Bassett '13. Two prizes may be awarded each year to those students who have distinguished themselves by the excellence and maturity of their performance in the class and laboratory work of the first course in Physics.

Divided among Alexander John Eftin Frenett '18, Uyen Mai Thieu '18, and Matteo Santamaria '18.

The William Warren Stifler Prize, established by Professor Stifler, is awarded to a senior who has majored in physics and especially excelled in the course on electricity and magnetism.

Divided between Daniel Gordon Ang '15 and Owen Edward Marschall '15.

POLITICAL SCIENCE

The Densmore Berry Collins Prize in Political Science is given annually in memory of Mr. Collins, of the Class of 1940, for the best honors thesis in political science.

William Maxwell Mahany Kamin '15.

PSYCHOLOGY

The Haskell R. Coplin Memorial Award, established in memory of Mr. Coplin, Professor of Psychology, recognizes that member of the graduating class who, in the opinion of the Psychology Department, displays the scholarly and humane qualities that best exemplify Professor Coplin. The prize is to a senior who has shown distinguished work in psychology classes and in an honors thesis, and who has contributed to the life of the department.

Divided between Kristy Lynne Larsen '15 and Rachel Ellen Tannenbaum '15.

PUBLIC SPEAKING

The Bancroft Prizes, established by Frederic Bancroft of the Class of 1882, are awarded to the two seniors who produce the best orations. Both composition and delivery are considered.

First: *David William Walchak* '15. Second: *Louis Walter Hunt* '15.

The Gilbert Prize, established by William O. Gilbert of the Class of 1890, is awarded to a member of the junior class who produces the best oration. Both composition and delivery are considered in making the award.

Steven Johnston Goldberg '16.

The Hardy Prizes, established by Alpheus Hardy of Boston, are awarded for excellence in extemporaneous speaking.

First: Richard J. Altieri '15.

Second: David William Walchak '15.

The Kellogg Prizes, established by Rufus B. Kellogg of the Class of 1858, consist of two prizes that are awarded to members of the sophomore or freshman classes for excellence in declamation.

First: Yushi (Jasmine) Shao '18. Second: Thomas Bloom Raskin '17.

The Rogers Prize was given by Noah C. Rogers of the Class of 1880 and is awarded for excellence in debate.

Jeremy David Rubel '15.

RELIGION

The Moseley Prizes, established by Thomas Moseley of Hyde Park, are awarded to seniors for the best essays on a subject approved by the Department of Religion.

First: Kevin James Hull '15.

Second: Yeon Woo (Heather) Lee '15. Third: Blaine Patrick Werner, Jr '15.

RUSSIAN

The Carol Prize in Russian, given by David James Carol '77 in honor of his parents, Joseph and Roberta, is awarded to the student who has demonstrated the greatest dedication and commitment to Russian.

Timothy Yin Yuan '15.

The Mikhail Schweitzer Memorial Book Award, established by students, parents and friends in fond memory of Mikhail Schweitzer, survivor of the Soviet Gulag, author, and custodian at Amherst College, for the award of books to the student who, in the judgment of the Russian Department, most shares Misha Schweitzer's love of Russian literature and culture.

Kellyn Brooke Lacour-Conant '15.

SPANISH

The Pedro Grases Prizes for Excellence in Spanish is given by a member of the Class of 1939 to honor a great teacher and cordial scholar. It is awarded each year to that senior who has shown the greatest progress in the ability to read Hispanic literature with insight and to write and speak Spanish with intelligence and humane sensitivity.

Constance Leah Paige Holden '15.

SEXUALITY, WOMEN'S AND GENDER STUDIES

The Rose Olver Prize is given each year to a senior who has demonstrated excellence in scholarly or creative work in Women's and Gender Studies.

Divided between Mary Patricia Byrne '15 and Kyra Elizabeth Ellis-Moore '15

THEATER AND DANCE

The Raymond Keith Bryant Prize, an annual gift from Robert E. and Ethel M. Bryant in memory of their son of the Class of 1936, is awarded to that student who, in the opinion of the judges, gives the best performance of the year in a Masquers' play.

Bryce Wilson Monroe '15.

SCHOLARSHIP AND CITIZENSHIP

The Addison Brown Scholarship from a fund established by Addison Brown of the Class of 1852, is awarded to that senior who, being already on the scholarship list, has attained the highest standing in the studies of the freshman, sophomore and junior years.

Darius Roland Onul '15.

The Samuel Walley Brown Scholarship, established by Samuel Walley Brown of the Class of 1866, is awarded to that member of the junior class who, in the estimation of the Trustees, ranks highest in his/her class in character, class leadership, scholarship, and athletic ability.

Divided among Michael Robert Solimano '16, Kathryn Reynolds Warshaw '16, and Keelin Moehl '16.

The Charles W. Cole Scholarship is awarded each year to the undergraduate with an established financial aid need, who, after two years at Amherst, stands highest in the academic rank of the sophomore class. The recipient will be designated "Charles W. Cole Scholar" and will carry the award for the junior and senior years at Amherst.

Jovan Damjanovic '16.

The Charles Hamilton Houston Fellowship is an annual gift awarded to a graduating senior who best personifies a commitment to realizing his or her humane ideals, much in the way Charles Houston '15 devoted his life to the struggle for equal protection under the law for African-Americans in the United States.

Deandra Uju Momah '15.

The Howard Hill Mossman Trophy, awarded annually to the member of the senior class who has brought, during his/her four years at Amherst, the greatest honor in athletics to the Alma Mater—the word "honor" to be interpreted as relating both to achievement and to sportsmanship.

Christopher Michael Tamasi '15.

The Gordon B. Perry Memorial Award is given to a freshman in good academic standing, whose participation and attitude in freshman athletics and other activities are outstanding.

Mohamed Hussein '18.

The Psi Upsilon Prize was established by the Gamma Chapter of Psi Upsilon in 1941 on the occasion of the centennial anniversary of the founding of the Chapter. The prize is awarded to that member of the graduating class who is considered preeminent in scholarship, leadership, athletics and character.

Divided between Donna Elizabeth Leet '15 and Stephanie Lynn Ternullo '15.

The John Sumner Runnells Memorial, established in memory of John Sumner Runnells of the Class of 1865, is awarded to that member of the junior class who, in the opinion of the Trustees of the College, is preeminent in his/her zeal for knowledge and industry to attain it.

Servet N. Bayimli '16.

The Obed Finch Slingerland Memorial Prize is awarded by the Trustees of the College to a member of the senior class, who has shown by his/her own determination and accomplishment the greatest appreciation of and desire for a college education. *Samanta Alana English* '15.

The Stonewall Prize, established by David L. Kirp '65 and other alumni, is awarded annually to that student who produces a work of exceptional intellectual or artistic merit pertaining to the gay, lesbian or bisexual experience.

Divided between Theophilus Agbi '15 and Amira Naima Lundy-Harris '16.

The Woods-Travis Prize, an annual gift in memory of Josiah B. Woods of Enfield and Charles B. Travis of the Class of 1864, is awarded for outstanding excellence in culture and faithfulness to duty as a scholar.

Eileen Lucia Troconis Gonzalez '15.

The Thomas H. Wyman 1951 Medal, established in 2003 by his classmates, is awarded to that member of the senior class who best represents the highest standards in scholarship, athletics, and/or extracurricular activities, community service, integrity, character and humanism.

Julien Evan Robinson '15.

Enrollment

SUMMARY OF ENROLLMENT

(Fall 2014*)

UNITED STATES

New York	281	Wisconsin 9		
California	221	Oregon 8		
Massachusetts	217	New Hampshire 7		
Connecticut	122	New Mexico		
New Jersey	95	Vermont		
Illinois	79	Iowa 6		
Maryland	71	Indiana 6		
Florida	66	South Carolina 6		
Pennsylvania	48	Kentucky 5		
Texas	40	Idaho 4		
Virginia	32	Nevada 4		
Michigan	28	Utah 4		
Georgia	24	Delaware		
Ohio	22	Oklahoma		
Washington	22	Alaska		
Colorado	21	Louisiana		
Arizona	19	Mississippi		
	18	South Dakota		
Minnesota	16			
		Wyoming		
Missouri	10			
Washington DC	10			
Hawaii				
Alabama	9			
Maine	9	Puerto Rico		
Rhode Island	9	West Virginia $\frac{1}{1604}$		
Tennessee	9	Total 1,604		
NON-USA				
China	29	Brazil 2		
South Korea	22	Costa Rica		
Canada	18	Ecuador		
Kenya	9	Egypt 2		
Singapore	9	Guatemala 2		
India	7	Hong Kong		
Zimbabwe	7	Jamaica		
Ethiopia	6	Nepal		
Vietnam	6	Norway 2		
United Kingdom	5	Romania 2		
Japan	4	Serbia		
Nigeria	4	Turkey		
Netherlands	3	Bangladesh		
South Africa	3	Bosnia		
Trinidad	3	Botswana		
Australia	2	Cameroon		
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Chile. Colombia. Czech Republic. El Salvador. France. Georgia. Germany Iceland Indonesia.	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Mongolia1Pakistan1Papua New Guinea1Paraguay1Peru1Philippines1Switzerland1Tanzania1Uruguay1		
Jordan	1 1	Venezuela 1 Zambia 1		
Mexico	1	Total <u>188</u>		
SUMMARY OF ENROLLMENT				
Seniors, Class of 2015 .470 Juniors, Class of 2016 .358 Sophomores, Class of 2017 .491 First-Year Students, Class of 2018 .473 Total 1,792				

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Any student in an educational or vocational training institution, other than a religious or denominational educational or vocational training institution, who is unable, because of religious beliefs, to attend classes or to participate in any examination, study, or work requirement on a particular day shall be excused from any such examination or study or work requirement, and shall be provided with an opportunity to make up the examination, study, or work requirement missed because of such absence on any particular day; provided, however, that such makeup examination or work shall not create an unreasonable burden upon such school. No fees of any kind shall be charged by the institution for making available to the said student such opportunity. No adverse or prejudicial effects shall result to students because of availing themselves of the provisions of this section.