

# English Department Prizes 2009

## Critical Prizes

### **Le Baron Russell Briggs Thesis Prize**

Matthew Spellberg – Art and Dream in Marcel Proust

### **Winthrop Sargent Prize**

1. Adam Wheeler – Mapping An Ideological Demesne: *Utopia* and *The Tempest*
2. Daniel Wenger – Distressing the “Antic Disposition”: Claudius the critic, Hamlet the Subject

### **Boston Ruskin Prize**

1. Matthew Spellberg – The Measure of Earliness: Marcel Proust and the Work of Art
2. Marta Figlerowicz – The Miming Child: Interiority in the Novels of Thomas Hardy

## **Helen Choate Bell Prizes**

### **Essay Prize:**

1. Amelia Klein – What Stevens makes of the Sun
2. Liza Flum – A Conversation Not Concerning Us: Spoken Communication and Communion in Elizabeth Bishop
3. Matthew Spellberg – Knowledge-Burial: Melville, Sir Thomas Brown, and the Limits of the Mind

**Dissertation Prize:** To Be Announced

### **Term-time Fellowship Prize:**

Adena Spingarn – Awarded in recognition of her proposal and prospectus, entitled, "Uncle Tom in the American Imagination"

## **Creative Prizes (with submission)**

### **Poetry Prizes**

#### **Joan Gray Untermeyer Poetry Prize:**

1. Liza Flum ('10)
2. Ran Wang ('10)

#### **Lloyd McKim Garrison Prize:**

1. Margaret Ross ('09), "How the Bird"
2. Michael Stynes ('09), "Photeine"

#### **Roger Conant Hatch Prizes For Lyric Poetry:**

1. Abram Kaplan ('09), "Poem"
2. Olga Moskvina ('10), "To Track a Fox"

#### **Edward Eager Memorial Fund Prize:**

1. Celeste Monke ('09)
2. Adam Palay ('11)
3. Rachel Goldberg ('12)
4. Lisa Sanchez ('09)
5. Clement Wright ('09)
6. Daniel Wenger ('09)
7. Katie Fitzgerald ('09)
8. Abram Kaplan ('09)
9. Olga Moskvina ('10)
10. Emmett McDermott ('09)
11. Rachel Burns ('11)
12. Sam Jack ('11)
13. Sae-byok "Jack" Kim ('11)

## **Fiction/Creative Non-Fiction Prizes**

### **Edward Eager Memorial Fund Prize:**

Fiction/Creative Nonfiction:

1. Justin Keenan ('10), "Snow"
2. Jesse Barron ('09), "The Sixty-Sixth Year"
3. Carolyn Gaebler ('10), "Orchids"
4. Kathleen Hale ('09), "Surviving Coyote"
5. Amary Wiggin ('09), "What We Can Still Want"
6. Jessica Estep ('09), "Out of Water"
7. Margaret Ross ('09), "Milk"
8. Robert Padnick ('09), "The Thirteenth Hour"
9. Lara Markstein ('10), "The Call"
10. Kate O'Donnell ('09), "Food of Gods"
11. Paige Holtzman ('10), "Expecting Chrysanthemum"
12. Dominique Gracia ('09), "Chimney-Rain"
13. Nathan Johnson ('09), "Delivering Miss Winnie"
14. Zachary Sniderman ('09), "Intime"

### **Creative (without submission)**

#### **Cyrilly Abels Prize:**

Kirsten Slungaard ('10)

Ariel Delgado ('10)

Caitlin Meares ('10)

#### **Harvard Monthly Prize:**

Dwight Curtis ('10)

#### **Charles Edmund Horman Prize:**

Caroline Williams ('10)

Jane Jiang ('10)  
Shani Boianjiu ('11)  
Nelson Greaves ('10)  
Sarah Wick ('10)  
Angela Sun ('10)

**Lee Patrick Award in Drama:**

Jack Cutmore-Scott ('10)

**Thomas Wood Award in Journalism:**

Hannah Hindley ('09)

**Le Baron Russell Briggs Fiction Award:**

Spencer Strub ('09), "Laborers into His Wilderness"