

Graduate History Awards 2020-2021
Department of History, Florida Atlantic University

Due by Friday, January 29, 2021, 5 PM, via email:

To: Prof. Doug McGetchin (dmcgetch@fau.edu), Chair, Awards Committee, Department of History

All applications will receive an email response to confirm receipt, so send a reminder if you do not get one. FAU Honors College and Medical School students are ineligible for these awards. Optional but encouraged: a letter of support from a history professor.

Name & Address: _____ Z Number: _____

Home phone: _____ Mobile phone: _____ email address: _____

GPA as a History graduate student at FAU: _____

___ G-1. Harold L. Glasser Memorial Award

Established in 2011 in memory of World War II veteran, businessman and philanthropist Harold L. Glasser, this award of \$500 is for a History graduate or undergraduate student to support research activities related to the Harold L. Glasser Collection, including but not limited to World War II, 20th-century American-Jewish history, business history, and aviation history.

___ G-2. Frances Edelman Graduate Teaching Award

An award of \$500 for a History graduate student based upon academic achievement and student evaluations. List your SPOT information for each semester you have served as a teaching assistant:

Term _____	Score for item #6 (overall teaching effectiveness) _____
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Students applying for this award also need to attach a *teaching statement* (250 words max). You can write about problems you've encountered as a classroom instructor and how you coped with them, and/or explore themes on which you lectured and why you selected them.

___ G-3. John O'Sullivan Travel-to-Research Grant

Established in 2000 in memory of Dr. John O'Sullivan, this scholarship of \$500 supports thesis travel for a History graduate student in good academic standing. Recipients must be admitted to candidacy and traveling to do thesis research in the semester following application. Students wishing to apply must attach a *one-page letter of application*, outlining thesis topic, location of archives, and approximate costs of travel. Students will also need to request a *letter of support* from their thesis director.

___ G-4. Traci Jill Edelman Memorial Award for the Best Graduate M.A. Thesis

An award of \$500 for the best History M.A. thesis. Any thesis from 2020 is eligible. *Submit a copy of the thesis with application.*

___ G-5. The Sidney A. Goodman Graduate Stipend Enhancement

A stipend enhancement of \$1000 per year for two academic years to a meritorious incoming graduate student selected by the Graduate Admissions Committee. Must maintain full time status, good standing, and a GTAship. The recipient will be required to make a public research presentation at FAU in their third semester of full time study (i.e. in their second Fall term).

The FAU financial aid office processes all awards. In some instances, depending on the award, a student who has graduated may receive a check. Sundry fines on the student's account will be deducted from the award prior to disbursement. Award amounts listed are averages and actual awards may vary year-to-year depending on budget feasibility, and the awards committee may not give out every award each year. Awardees are required to write a brief letter of thanks to donors and possibly to attend virtually an award ceremony [cancelled because of Covid-19 in 2019; undetermined as yet for 2020]. For further information see "contact us" on the FAU History Department website: <http://www.fau.edu/history>.