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—. "Call To Prayer" and "Pissing in Irbil." *Beloit Poetry Journal* 65.3 (Spring 2015).


Presentations


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Graham Barnhart's poem, "Post 9/11 Gas Training," is a finalist for the *Sycamore Review Wabash Prize* and will be published in their Spring 2015 issue.
**Announcements**

**#NotRacistOSU Documentary (3/23)**

Koritha Mitchell organized #NotRacistOSU, comprised of a public screening of the documentary *I'm Not Racist... Am I?* on March 23, 2015, which was attended by 750 people, as well as smaller workshops for potential allies and leaders. In addition to publicizing the event before it took place, NBC4 aired a story capturing audience responses afterward: [Racism Documentary Prompts Frank Talk](https://www.nbc4i.com/news/columbus-news/190032324).

**Presentations at Denman Research Forum (3/25)**

Seven English undergraduate students presented at the 20th Anniversary Denman Research Forum at the RPAC on Wednesday, March 25, 2015, including Tyler Clementi, Haley Cowans, Heidi Liou, Via Smith, Max Stevenson, Emily Webster, and Becky Zucker.

Stevenson was awarded First Place in Humanities Research for his project, "Fragmentation and interpretation in OSU MS.MR.38," under advisors Leslie Lockett and Eric Johnson (Ohio State Libraries). Zucker was awarded Second Place in Humanities Research for her project, "Bridging campus: How Ohio State's Writing Center can assist with first-year legal writing instruction at the Moritz College of Law," under Beverly Moss and Chris Runion (Writing Center).

Their posters will be displayed outside the main office (421 Denney Hall) in April, and the students will have an opportunity to share their research with the department at the Department of English Poster Forum on Wednesday, April 22, 2015, at 5:30 p.m. in the main office. Faculty, staff, and students are welcome and encouraged to attend this event.

(Notice image of students: Cynthia Selfe, Tyler Clementi, Scott DeWitt, and Michael Hotherr at the Denman)

**Upcoming Events**

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**Friday, April 3, 2015**

LiteracyStudies@OSU will host a [Graduate Interdisciplinary Seminar in Literacy Studies on “Literacy and Dis/Ability.”](https://www.osu.edu/literacy/studies) Lunch is provided. RSVP is required. 12:00-1:30pm at the Humanities Institute (104 East 15th Avenue).

The Humanities Institute will host Kristina Garvin, an Andrew W. Mellon Fellow at the McNeil Center for Early American Studies, for a workshop of her project, "[Past and Future States: Reframing a National Legal Apparatus](https://www.osu.edu/humanities)." 4-00pm at the George Wells Knight House, 104 E. 15th Avenue.
Thursday, April 9, 2015
The Department of English will host the annual Kane Lecture, this year featuring Professor D.A. Miller (U California Berkeley). Miller's lecture is titled, "The Long Wrong Man." 4:00pm in 311 Denney Hall.

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Herman, Michelle. Reading and talk. Indiana University-Indianapolis/Purdue University-Indianapolis. April 2, 2015.


Honors, Awards, Appointments

**Ayendi Bonifacio** has been accepted to the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) Summer Seminar/Institute, *City of Print: New York and the Periodical Press*, as one of two graduate student scholars.

**Chelsie Bryant**'s short story “Fatherless Day,” which was published in *Passages North*, has been nominated for a Pushcart Prize.

**Colleen Kennedy** was awarded the Shakespeare Association of America Graduate Student Travel Award and the Edward J. Ray Travel Award for Scholarship and Service to present at the Shakespeare Association of America in Vancouver, BC, in April 2015.

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LiteracyStudies@OSU will host Ohio State Visiting Scholar Elizabeth Andrews Bond for their History of the Book Series. Bond's lecture is titled, "The Circulation and Reception of Popular Literature in Enlightenment France." 4:00pm in 311 Denney Hall.

**Wednesday, April 15, 2015**
The Ohio State Newark Department of English will host an Evening of Poetry and Music, featuring Aaron McCollough and opening music by hip-hop instrumentalist Jimi Juelz. 7:00pm at Sparta Restaurant & Cafe (16 West Main Street, Newark, OH).

**Thursday, April 16, 2015**
The Department of English MFA in Creative Writing program will host their final Student-Faculty Creative Writing Readings, featuring Lee Martin, Mikko Harvey, Nina Yun, and Cait Weiss. 7:30pm in 165 Thompson Library.

**Friday, April 17, 2015**
The Department of English and the Lord Denney's Players are proud to present the opening night of William Shakespeare's "The Tragedy of Richard II." Running time is approximately two hours. Buy tickets. 7:30pm at the Columbus Performing Arts Center.

**Saturday, April 18, 2015**
The Department of English and the Lord Denney's Players are proud to present the second showing of William Shakespeare's "The Tragedy of Richard II." Running time is approximately two hours. Buy tickets. 7:30pm at the Columbus Performing Arts Center.

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—. “Straight Talk: What the MFA Promises & What It Delivers.” Associated Writing Programs Conference. Minneapolis, MN. April 11, 2015.

**McHale, Brian.** “Periodizing Postmodernism, or, Beginnings and Endings.” Modernism’s Legacies: (Post)Postmodernism Symposium. Loyola University, Chicago, IL. April 11, 2015.


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**Honors, Awards, Appointments**

**Danille Elise Christensen** has accepted an appointment as Assistant Professor of Public Humanities in the Department of Religion and Culture at Virginia Tech, beginning August 2015.

**Victoria Muñoz** was awarded the Margaret Blickle Graduate Travel and Research Award and the Ohio State College of Arts and Humanities Small Research Grant to present at the Shakespeare Association of America in Vancouver, BC, in April 2015.

**Matthew Tidwell** has won the Ohio State Newark Teaching Excellence Award for Lecturers.

**Elizabeth Weiser** is the 2015 recipient of the Ohio State Newark Scholarly Accomplishment Award.

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  - The Department of English Lectures and Events Committee will hold a unique roundtable, titled “**Butts in Seats: The Budget and the Classroom,**” concerning how students/teachers are impacted by budget decisions. 12:30pm in 311 Denney Hall.

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—. "Situating Gender in Gender-Inclusive Housing." Midwest Bisexual, Lesbian, Gay,

Transgender, Ally College Conference. Illinois State University, Normal, IL. February 13-

April 10, 2015.

—. "Gender-Inclusive Housing 201." Northeast LGBT Conference.

Jani, Pranav

"Gender-Inclusive Housing 101." Northeast LGBT Conference. University at Albany

SUNY, Albany, NY. April 10-12, 2015.

Holmes, Jonathan

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Weiss, Cait. "Calabasas." FIELD 93 (Fall 2015).

—. "The Prophets." FIELD 93 (Fall 2015).

—. "Burlesque." The Pinch Literary Journal 35.2 (Fall 2015).

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Joey Kim has been awarded the Edward J. Ray Travel Award for Scholarship and Service to present at the British Women Writer's Conference in New York, NY, in June 2015.

Chase M. Ledin was featured on the College of Arts and Sciences website for his undergraduate research at The Ohio State University.

Tiffany Salter was awarded the DISCO (Diversity and Identity Studies Collective at OSU) Travel Grant to present at the Association for Asian American Studies Annual Conference in Evanston, IL, in April 2015.

Eddie Singleton was awarded the College of Arts and Sciences Outstanding Staff
Award for his work directing the First-Year Writing Program, developing an innovative curriculum, and mentoring new graduate teaching associates.

Christian Zacher, Emeritus Professor of English, was awarded the University's Distinguished Service Award. The Distinguished Service Award was established by the Board of Trustees in 1952 to recognize individuals who have rendered exceptional service to the university.

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Sunday, April 26, 2015
A memorial service will be held honoring the life and work of Dr. Marlene Longenecker. 3:00-5:00pm at The Ohio State University Faculty Club (181 Oval Drive South). Contact Susan Williams for more info.

Monday, April 27, 2015
The Department of English Lectures will host the annual English Awards Ceremony. 4:00pm reception, 5:00pm ceremony at the Longaberger Alumni House (220 Olentangy River Road). Parking pass required.

Thursday, April 30, 2015
Katherine Burkman (Professor Emeritus of English), The Short North Stage, and Wild Women Writing will host a night of short plays by Harold Pinter and Will Eno. Various dates and times at the Garden Theater's Green Room (1186 N. High Street).

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