

THE 2020 PETER SCHNEIDER AWARD IN AMERICAN HISTORY

The UCR Department of History is pleased to announce the 2020 Peter Schneider essay competition in American History. An award of \$1000 will be made to the best undergraduate essay demonstrating outstanding potential and original research in the field of American history 1945– present.

Eligibility: The award is open to undergraduate students actively enrolled at UCR. Students may nominate themselves by submitting a historical research essay or research project proposal pertaining to any topic in American history 1945-present. Additionally, faculty may nominate students who have demonstrated potential in non-essay type projects or accomplishments in the study of American history by submitting a written nomination.

Application: Research proposals of five pages or an essay between ten and fifteen pages, not including bibliography, supplementary materials (eg. a budget) will be considered. Entries must be submitted via email to history@ucr.edu, and include a Department of History Award Application form in advance of the deadline. All entries will become the property of the Department of History.

Award Selection: Nominations will be judged by a panel of faculty and graduate students, and receive an award of \$1000*. Announcement of awards will be made in late May, 2020.

Deadline: 5:00 pm, Friday, May 8, 2020

*awards will be dispersed to students at the beginning of the FALL 2020 quarter