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The Jimmy and Dee Haslam Dissertation Fellowship
Keith Taylor Graduate Student Promise Award
Anne Marie Van Hook Travel Award

The Marco Institute is pleased to announce the recipients of its Jimmy and Dee Haslam Dissertation Fellowship, Keith Taylor Promise Award, and Anne Marie Van Hook Travel Award. Congratulations to the recipients!

The Dissertation Fellowship has been awarded to **Katie Thompson Newell**, a Ph.D. candidate in the Department of History. Katie's dissertation, "The Matter of Jerusalem: The Holy Land in Angevin Court Culture and Identity, c. 1154-1216," argues for the role of Jerusalem and the Holy Land in court articulations of an increasingly English, as opposed to French or Norman, identity.

In its second year, the Graduate Promise Award has been given to **Kendra Slayton**, an incoming Ph.D. candidate in the English Department who focuses on the women and culture in medieval Britain.

The recipient of the Van Hook Travel Award is **Scott Bevill**, a Ph.D. candidate in the Department of History. Scott's dissertation, "The Lost Books of Antiquity: Antiquarianism and Identity in Early Modern England," studies the significance of antiquarian scholarship in the sixteenth century. He will use his funding to do archival research in England.