

Past Recipients of Graduate Student Field Research Grants

2017 AWARDEE

- **Arthur D. Soto-Vásquez** (Ph.D. student in the School of Communication): "Digital Mobilization of the Latino Youth Vote: Race, Identity, and Organization"

Past Tinker Foundation Recipients

2015 AWARDEES

- **Kara Andrade** (Ph.D. student in the School of Communication): "Emerging Uses Of ICTS for Creating New Forms of Civic Participation and Accountability in Guatemala"
- **Cristiane Bena Dias** (Ph.D. student in the Washington College of Law): "Environmental Impact Assessment in Brazil: What needs to be changed?"
- **Elizabeth Geglia** (Ph.D. student in Anthropology, College of Arts and Sciences): "Corporate Zones and Local Governance: The Impacts of 'Model City' Development in Honduras"
- **Kenneth Leon** (Ph.D. student in Justice, Law and Criminality, School of Public Affairs): "Program Evaluation of the Plan Nacional de Vigilancia Comunitaria (PNVCC): A Study of the Colombian national Police"
- **Abby Lindsay** (Ph.D. student in Global Environmental Policy, School of International Service): "Multiscalar Complexities of Urban Water Politics: the role of scientific and technical knowledge"
- **Luciano Melo** (Ph.D. student in Government, School of Public Affairs): "Democratic Enclaves in Non-Democratic Regimes"

2014 AWARDEES

- **Erik Alda** (Ph.D. student in Justice, Law and Criminology, School of Public Affairs): "Measuring the Efficiency of the Police Force in Central America: A Stochastic Frontier Analysis (SFA) Approach"
- **Maya Barak** (Ph.D. student in Justice, Law and Criminology, School of Public Affairs): "A Reciprocal Approach to Legal Consciousness and Procedural Justice: A Study of United States Removal of Guatemalan and Salvadoran Immigrants"
- **Amberly A. Ellis** (M.F.A. student in Film and Media Arts, School of Communication): "Recent Cuban Cinema: Cultural Policy, Race and Religion"
- **Leah A. Germer** (M.A. student in Global Environmental Politics, School of International Service): "The Effects of the Dominican Republic-Central American Free Trade Agreement on the Costa Rican Pork Sector"
- **Olivia Gilmore** (M.A. student in Global Environmental Politics, School of International Service): "Participatory Water Management for Conflict Prevention: The Tarumã-Açu River Basin Committee, Amazonas, Brazil"
- **Laura S. Jung** (Ph.D. student in Anthropology, College of Arts and Sciences): "Survival Strategies: How Rural Hondurans Negotiate Relationships with Foreign Medical Brigades to Improve Health Outcomes"
- **Carlos Martínez Ruiz** (Ph.D. student in History, College of Arts and Sciences): "Making the Nation, Shaping Selves: Epidemics, Bio-Medical Interventions, and Resistance in Perú"
- **Katie Sizemore** (M.A. student in International Peace and Conflict Resolution, School of International Service): "Conflict Resolution and Crime: The 2012 Gang Truce in El Salvador"

- **Laura Daniela Stevens León** (Ph.D. student in Government, School of Public Affairs): "Uniting Behind Presidential Bills Even in a Divided Congress: Evidence from Mexico's National and Subnational Legislatures"

2013 AWARDEES

- **Michael Baney** (M.A. student in International Peace and Conflict Resolution, School of International Service): "The Word of Sendero: Shining Path's Use of *El Diario* in Lima"
- **Jacquelyn Dolezal** (M.A. student in Language and Foreign Studies, College of Arts and Sciences): "'Antes no era así' - Oral Histories of Young Adults in Monterrey, Mexico"
- **Emma Fawcett** (Ph.D. student in International Relations, School of International Service): "Tourism as a Mechanism for Economic Development: Cuba and the Dominican Republic"
- **Sonja E. Kelly** (Ph.D. student in International Relations, School of International Service): "'Banking the Bottom': The Financial Inclusion Policy and Regulation Network in Chile, 1990-2005"
- **Katy Lackey** (M.A. student in Global Environmental Politics, School of International Service): "Shifting the Paradigm: Sustainable Stormwater Management for Climate Change Adaptation"
- **Rachel Nadelman** (Ph.D. student in International Relations, School of International Service): "Sitting on a Gold Mine: Social Movement Strategies for Fighting the New Gold Rush"
- **Leah E. Stonefield** (M.A. student in Global Environmental Politics, School of International Service): "How Do Water Resource Vulnerabilities in Peru Contribute and Translate to Social Unrest: Implications for Water Management Strategies to Increase Security"

2012 AWARDEES

- **Brian D'Haeseleer** (Ph.D. student in History, College of Arts and Sciences): "Examining the United States' Counterinsurgency Efforts during the Salvadorian Civil War"
- **Adam Fenner** (Ph.D. student in History, College of Arts and Sciences): "The Path to Favor: Tiburcio Carias Andino and the United States, 1923-1941"
- **Milagros Haro** (M.A. student in International Development, School of International Service): "Examining Community-Based Approaches to Reduce the Incidence of Child Labor In Ciudad Vieja, Guatemala"
- **Douglas Keillor** (J.D./M.A. student, Washington College of Law and School of International Service): "Field Research into the Scope and Causes of Excessive Pretrial Detention of Juveniles"
- **Lindsey Murphy** (M.A. student in Language and Foreign Studies, College of Arts and Sciences): "Performance in Social Movement: Staging Student Protest in Chile"
- **Jennifer Yelle** (Ph.D. student in Government, School of Public Affairs): "Violence and Justice in Mexico"
- **Sonia Saini** (M.A. student in Global Environmental Politics, School of International Service): "Sustaining Sustainability: Seeds and Agrobiodiversity in a Changing Cuba"
- **Paula Silveira Orlando** (Ph.D. student, School of Communications): "Exploring the Relation Between Media and Women's Movements in Brazil"
- **Justine Strom** (M.A. student in Language and Foreign Studies, College of Arts and Sciences): "The Role of the Catholic Church in El Salvador: Defender of Human Rights?"
- **Marcela Torres** (Ph.D. student in Government, School of Public Affairs): "Politics of Identity in the Amazon: Similarities and Differences in Peru and Bolivia"

- **Tatiana Ware** (Ph.D. student in International Relations, School of International Service): "The Grammar of Poverty"
- **Lydia White** (M.A. student in Comparative and Regional Studies, School of International Service): "Central American Migrants in Mexico: Assessing and Responding to New Risks"

2011 AWARDEES

- **Hope Bastian Martinez** (Ph.D. student in Anthropology, College of Arts and Sciences):
"Economic Restructuring, State Discourse, and the Forging of a New Revolutionary Subject: An Ethnography of Everyday Life in Contemporary Cuba"
- **Aaron Bell** (Ph.D. student in History, College of Arts and Sciences): "The Republican Party, ARENA, and the Future of El Salvador"
- **Karina Berrospi** (M.A. student in International Relations, School of International Service):
"Determinants of Chilean Foreign Direct Investment into Peru"
- **Sebastian Bitar** (Ph.D. student in International Relations, School of International Service):
"Subordinate Sovereignty: International Hierarchy and Domestic Politics"
- **Rachel Cantave** (Ph.D. student in Anthropology, College of Arts and Sciences): "The Color of Faith: Racial Politics and Pentecostalism in Bahia, Brazil"
- **Jeanna Cullinan** (Ph.D. student in Public Administration, School of Public Affairs): "Municipal Police Reform in Mexico and the Problem of Trust"
- **Lindsay Shade** (M.A. student in Global Environmental Politics, School of International Service):
"Grassroots Alternatives to Neoliberal Development in Northwest Ecuador: Post-Development in Practice"