

Junia Prize for Best Distinction Project

Katherine M Van Heuvelen
“Raskolnikov Redeemed?”

Students Receiving Distinction in Religion

Elizabeth A Bechtel

“The Mystical Henry David Thoreau (1817-1862)”

Advisor Anant Rambachan

Benjamin J Bedard

“The Conversion Narrative and the Creation of Guilt:
A Normative Evaluation of Religious Conversions”

Advisor John Barbour

Andrew R Douglass

“Christianity and the Healthcare Debate:
What does Christian support for Rawls’ Theory of Justice
mean for Healthcare Reform?”

Advisor Gary Stansell

Nicole B Herther-Spiro

“Patriarch Pavle and the Failure of Religious Leadership”

Advisor David Booth

Sarah M Larson

“The Evolution of the Kakure from
Traditional Catholicism to a New Religion”

Advisor Eric Lund

Kurt D Nelson

“Searching for God in a World of Evil:
Constructions of Post-Holocaust Theodicy”

Advisor Elizabeth Galbraith

Sarah K Peck

“Challenging the Rationality of War in Modern Culture:
A Shift from Patriarchy and Paternal Models to an
Ethic of Care Labor and “God as Mother”

Advisor David Booth

Andrea J Qualey

“As the Gaps Widen, Feminist Theologians Respond:
How Feminist Reinterpretations of Christianity Provide a
Countercultural Response that Mainstream American
Christianity Fails to Provide”

Advisor Gary Stansell

Gautham M Reddy

“Trinitarian Models of Divinity, Faith, and Grace:
A Comparative Study of
Sri Ramanuja and Saint Augustine”

Advisor Anant Rambachan

Mikkin B Steltenkamp

“Understanding Chinese Christian Conversion in
Historical and Cultural Context”

Advisor John Barbour

Katherine M Van Heuvelen

“Raskolnikov Redeemed?”

Advisor Edmund Santurri

Robert B Young

“Inter-Religious Dialogue and Conversion:
A Study of Hindu-Christian Relations”

Advisor John Barbour