**Student Awards 2012**

**Tanner Billingsley** received the Sharon Alt Piepenbrink Award for his paper “Beyond Gender: Black Women amidst the Feminist Movement in the 1960s.”

The Sharon Alt Piepenbrink award is given for the best history paper written in the past year. The award was established in memory of an outstanding history graduate of the 1970s.

**Stephen Shilling** received the Judie and Ralph Violette History Scholarship.

The scholarship is awarded to a history major with a minimum GPA of 3.5 and who has completed at least 15 credit hours of course work in the Department of History. The scholarship is endowed by Judie Violette, Dean Emeritus of Helmke Library, and Ralph Violette, Professor Emeritus of the History Department.