
FROM THE EDITOR

Dear Readers,

This past year has been one of immersion for me. Immersion in history, the graduate program and its community, and in the *Crimson Historical Review*. I have spent more hours reading and writing history this year than I ever thought possible. I can therefore say, with confidence, that we are presenting six phenomenal articles to you in this edition. I am thrilled to spend one more semester with this organization before handing it off to our Editor-in-Chief Elect, Hallie Brill.

I will be staying at the University of Alabama for another year to complete my graduate work, and I am excited to watch it continue to grow. This is a unique and valuable opportunity for undergraduates to learn about historical scholarship, source analysis, and theoretical frameworks. I am so glad I immersed myself in the CHR, and hope to continue to watch undergraduates learn and grow from this experience. I am proud to say that we are composed of a hard-working and brilliant staff, and we were incredibly impressed by the articles we are publishing.

I am so grateful for the executive staff, review board editors, copy editors, and proofing editors. We hope that our collaboration provides you with well-written, well-researched, and hopefully even entertaining reads.

My best,



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