To: Graduate Students
From: Lynn Festa, Associate Director

This year the Marius Bewley Prize, the Catherine Musello Cantalupo Prize, the Catherine Moynahan Prize, the Spencer L. Eddy Prize, and the Bridget Gellert Lyons Prize, will be awarded at the Graduate Symposium on Thursday, April 21, 2016. If you wish to submit papers to any of these contests, please email your submission(s) Cheryl Robinson at cheryl.robinson.rutgers.edu by the Friday, February 19, 2016 deadline.

Since the judges are not to know the names of the contestants, please prepare a cover sheet for Cheryl listing your name, the title of the submission, the prize for which the paper should be considered, and any further information required for the prize you are submitting to. Your email should include two separate documents:

1. cover page
2. paper submission

Be sure to confirm with Cheryl that she has received your submission.

Papers will be read by faculty committees. Students may submit the same paper for more than one prize (please prepare separate cover sheets), but they may submit only one paper for each prize.

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**Marius Bewley Prize:** $200 for the best essay written in course work at Rutgers. Papers must be submitted no more than a year after the course (2013-2014 academic year papers are not eligible). Please indicate the course number and semester on your cover sheet.

**Catherine Musello Cantalupo Prize:** $500 for the best essay about some aspect of the relationship between literature and religion.

**Spencer L. Eddy Prize:** $100 for the best literary essay accepted for publication in a general or professional journal. Please indicate on your cover sheet the journal and the date of publication.

**Catherine Moynahan Prize:** $1,000 for an essay of merit on a literary topic.

**Bridget Gellert Lyons Prize:** $500 for the best essay published or accepted for publication in the field of English Renaissance studies.