

Charles Redd Center ANNUAL REPORT

I. Goals for the Center

The Charles Redd Center for Western Studies was founded in March 1972 under a grant from Charles and Annaley Redd, Utah ranchers and philanthropists, and their family, who have continued to provide generous financial support. The John Topham and Susan Redd Butler Research Endowment was established in 1986 through the instrumentality of Karl D. Butler and funded by a substantial bequest from the estate of William Howard and Hazel Butler Peters, civic leaders of Glendale, California. The mission of the center is to promote the study of the Intermountain West through research, publications, teaching, and public programs in a variety of disciplines.

II. Personnel

Faculty: Brian Q. Cannon, Director

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Jason Thompson, Office Specialist

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Lemuel Hardison Redd, Jr. Professor of Western American History Emeritus:
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IV. Accomplishments

The Charles Redd Center seeks to enhance understanding of the American West by financially supporting a broad range of research efforts both at BYU and elsewhere. Accordingly, we fund a number of fellowships, awards, and publication prizes. These are listed below, along with the awards granted during the past year.

- 1) The **John Topham and Susan Redd Butler Faculty Fellowship** supports the study of the Mountain West (defined as Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah and Wyoming).

In 2006 the Redd Center received 23 applications for Faculty Fellowships. For the 2006-2007 academic year awards were made to the following:

Michael A. Elliott, Emory University, English Department, "Little Bighorn Forever," A Book Chapter of Custerology: The Nineteenth-Century Indian Wars and the U.S. Historical Landscape

Kirstin C. Erickson, University of Arkansas, Department of Anthropology, Inscribing Identity and Place: Pilgrimage and Native Christianities at Chimayo, New Mexico

Michael K. Johnson, University of Maine at Farmington, Humanities Department, Taylor Gordon: The Montana Voice of the Harlem Renaissance

Thomas A. Krainz, Framingham State College, History Department, Helping Refugees Fleeing the 1910 Forest Fires: People, Welfare, and the Community in the Northern Rockies

Ann E. Lundberg, Northwestern College, Department of English, Uplift and Erosion: The Geological Origins of 19th century American Landscape, Culture, and Identity

Kevin R. Marsh, Idaho State University, History Department, Slipping Through the Cracks: An Environmental History of the Snake River Aquifer

Jeffrey Nichols, Westminster College, History Department, Voices of Dissent in the Mormon West

Carol A. O'Connor, Arkansas State University, Department of History, A Most Western Life: The Pioneer Saga of Granville Stuart,

Richard D. Quartaroli, Northern Arizona University, Cline Library Special Collections, The Influence of George Eastman and the Use of Kodak Equipment on Early 20th Century Artists and Hopi Ceremonial Sensitivity

Brandon R. Schrand, University of Idaho, English Department, In History's Shadow: The Life and Lost Legacy of Captain John Codman (1814-1900)

Marsha Weisiger, New Mexico State University, Department of History, Breaking Ground: Environmental Art and Our Conceptions of Nature

Total Awarded for 2006-2007: \$19,200

In 2007 the Redd Center received 35 applications for Faculty Fellowships. For the 2007-2008 academic year awards were made to the following:

Ned Blackhawk, History, University of Wisconsin, Indians in the Pioneer State: Colorado Indian History to 1880.

Noel Carmack, Special Collections, Utah State University, James Henry Martineau diaries.

Robert F. Castro, Chicana and Chicano Studies, California State University, Fullerton, Liberty Like Thunder: Law, Racial Paradigms and Federal Liberation in Reconstruction America.

Susan Lee Johnson, History, University of Wisconsin The Traffic in Men: The Old Main, the Housewife and their Great Westerner.

Lawrence Culver, History, Utah State University, The Frontier of Leisure: The Urban Southwest and the Shaping of Modern America.

Jennifer Nez Denetdale, History, University of New Mexico, Navajo Women, Gender and the Politics of Tradition.

Robert J. Duffy, Political Science, Colorado State University, Coalbed Methane Regulation in the Mountain West: Data Collection Proposal.

Jared Orsi, History, Colorado State University, State of Nature: Zebulon Pike and the Ecology of the Early Republic, a book-length study to be published by an academic press.

Bonnie Pitblado, Sociology, Social Work and Anthropology, Utah State University, So High, So Early: Investigating the Colonization of the Southern Rocky Mountains,

ca. 10,000-8,000 Years Ago.

John Sillito, Stewart Library, Weber State University, *The Apprenticeship: B.H. Roberts in Tennessee, 1881-83.*

Thomas W. Simpson, Religion Department, Carthage College, *Authority, Ambition and the Mormon Mind: Latter-day Saints in American Higher Education, 1870-1940.*

Paul C. Rosier, History, Villanova University, *'They are Ancestral Homelands': Race, Place, and Patriotism in Cold War Native America.*

Total Awarded for 2007-2008: \$12,380

- 2) **The John Topham and Susan Redd Butler BYU Faculty Fellowship**, open to BYU faculty members, supports research designed to illuminate some aspect of the American experience in the Mountain West.

In 2006 the Redd Center received 6 applications for Faculty Fellowships. For the 2006-2007 academic year awards were made to the following:

Jay H. Buckley, History Department, *Jeffersonian Explorers in the Trans-Mississippi West: The Expeditions of Zebulon Pike, Dunbar and Hunter, Freeman and Sparks, and Lewis and Clark in Perspective*

Joel C. Janetski, Department of Anthropology, *Archaeological Research at North Creek Shelter: A Late Pleistocene/Early Holocene Site in Escalante Valley*

John Telford, Visual Arts, *Photographic Documentation of Lifestyle Found along US 89*

Total Awarded for 2006-2007: \$5,600

In 2007 the Redd Center received 10 applications for Faculty Fellowships. For the 2007-2008 academic year awards were made to the following:

Gary M. Booth, Plant and Animal Sciences, *Life Cycle and Host Specificity of a willow-feeding Leaf Beetle, Calligrapha verucosa (Coleoptera: Chrysomelidae).*

Todd Goodsell, Sociology, *Solidarity in Escalante, Utah: A Return to Lowry Nelson's Original "Mormon Village".*

Jerry L. Jaccard, School of Music, *Navajo Song Types: Forms and Functions.*

Joel C. Janetski, Anthropology, *Dating Fremont Occupations in Parowan Valley, Utah.*

Beverly L. Roeder, Integrative Biology, *Can altitudinal movements of free-ranging Utah black bears (Ursus americanus) be determined using stable isotope techniques?.*

Leslee Thorne-Murphy, English, *The Journals of Rhoda Ann Dykes Burgess.*

Total Awarded for 2007-2008: \$12,050

- 3) **The Charles Redd Summer Grant for Upper Division and Graduate Students**, open to undergraduate and graduate students, helps promising students begin serious research in the American West.

In 2007 the Redd Center received 48 applications for Summer Awards. For summer 2007 awards were made to the following:

Eric Busch, History, University of Texas, *Colorado's Culture of Environmental Reform, 1960-1980.*

Amy Canfield, History, Washington State University, *The 'Annoying Question of Water': Trust-Fund Violations and Federal Mismanagement on the Fort Hall Indian*

Reservation, 1891-1916.

Anthony E. Carlson, History, University of Oklahoma, Draining and Watering the Countryside: The Great Northern Railroad and Nature, 1879-1920.

Leisl Carr, History, University of Nevada Las Vegas, Barrel Racing and the Gender Segregation of Rodeo.

Benjamin Chatterton, Linguistics, Brigham Young University, Divided Dialect Similarity: A Study of Related Speech Patterns in Utah and Alberta.

Tonia M. Compton, , Imperial Unions: Controlling Land through Marriage in the American West, 1862-1924.

Christopher Kim Crockett, History, Brigham Young University, Council and Help: Utah's Spiritual Leaders Advise President Roosevelt.

Ryan Dearing, History, University of Utah, Frontiers of Progress and Paradox: Building Canals, Railroads, Manhood and Citizenship in the American West.

Sonia L. Dickey, U.S. Western History, University of New Mexico, Sacrilege in Dinetah: Indigenous Water Rights, Environmentalists and the Damming of Glen Canyon.

Mark Peterson, Biology, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, Diversity and Abundance of Small Mammals on Treated versus Untreated Pinyon-Juniper Woodlands on the Uncompahgre Plateau, Colorado.

Jay Logan Rogers, History, University of Utah, The West Turns Right: the 1976 U.S. Senate Elections in the Mountain States.

Thomas A. Rogers, Wildlife Biology, Montana State University, Lead Concentrations in Hair, Blood, Tissue, and Feces of Scavenging Carnivores Feeding on Hunter-Harvested Large Ungulate Offal Piles in the Southern Yellowstone Ecosystem.

Carol F. Sawyer, Environmental Geography, Texas State University-San Marcos, Surface clast movement in turf-banked terraces in Glacier National Park, Montana.

Scott K. Thomas, American West, Brigham Young University, Rise of the Vigilante: The Extralegal Structure of the American West, Including Utah and the Mormons.

Michael Van Wagenen, History, University of Utah, Battlefields and the Creation of Memory in the US-Mexican War.

Scott Warren, Geography, Montana State University, The Effect of Racial and Ethnic Identity on a Sense of Place in Poplar, Montana.

Total Awarded for 2007: \$18,900

- 4) The **Annaley Naegle Redd Student Award in Women's History** is given each year to an undergraduate or graduate student doing research on women in the American West. This year the award was given to:

Kendra L. Moore, History, Northern Arizona University, Conceptions of Crime, Punishment, Victimization and Gender in the Arizona Borderlands: 1871-1912.

Total Awarded for 2007: \$1,000

- 5) The **Annaley Naegle Redd Assistantship** is open to graduate students and upper-division undergraduates at BYU, and provides students an opportunity to work closely with leading scholars in Western Studies. Grants of up to \$12,000 enable faculty members to hire students of their choice to work as research assistants on significant projects dealing with Western American studies. Preference is given to applications that show clear benefits in terms of mentoring and acquisition of skills for students who are hired as research assistants.

In 2006 the Redd Center received 3 applications for Assistantships. For the 2006-2007 academic year awards were made to the following:

Mark Belk, Jerald Johnson, Department of Integrative Biology, Variation Within Species: Hidden Treasure of the American Great Basin. Jared Lee, Josh Rasmussen.

Joel Janetski, Anthropology, Fremont Archaeology in Parowan Valley: The UCLA Collections. Aaron Woods, Cady Waldrom, Molly Jones, Trent Noble.

Total Awarded for 2006-2007: \$23,240

In 2007 the Redd Center received 7 applications for Assistantships. For the 2007-2008 academic year awards were made to the following:

Heather Howard, Economics, Reuniting Family Ties: Chain Migration and the Perpetual Emigrating Fund.

John McBride, Geology, Revealing a Unique Archaeological Site in the American West: Application of Ground-Penetrating Radar at Iosepa, Utah.

C. Riley Nelson, R.L. Johnson and V.J. Anderson, Integrative Biology, Plant and Animal Science, Predicting insect diversity on rangelands of Rocky Mountain West of North America.

David L. Paulsen, Department of Philosophy, The Development of the Mormon Understanding of God.

Dennis K. Shiozawa, Russell B. Rader, R. Paul Evans, Integrative Biology and Micro and Molecular Biology, Dispersal, genetics, and endemism in east central Great Basin spring systems - can native fauna coexist with Las Vegas water development?

Total Awarded for 2007-2008: \$12,050

- 6) The **Education Award** is open to all educators K-12 who would like to develop course curriculum, fund classroom projects, or research some aspect of the American experience in the Mountain West.

In 2006 the Redd Center received 3 applications for Education Awards. For the 2006-2007 academic year awards were made to the following:

Kevin W. Rocque, Pony Express Elementary School, A Pioneer Experience
Caroline Cobia, Provost Elementary, Utah and Western History Resource Kit
Ellen Larson, Holt Elementary, Ancient Puebloans (Anasazi) times

Total Awarded for 2006-2007: \$2,500

In 2007 the Redd Center received 5 applications for Education Awards. For the 2007-2008 academic year awards were made to the following:

DeAnna (DeeDee) Mower, Rose Creek Elementary, Indigenous Historical Figures in Utah.

Sara Wall, Edgemont Elementary School, Remembering Winter Quarters.

Lisa Mighetto, American Society of Environmental History, Environmental History Project for K-12 classrooms.

Total Awarded for 2007-2008: \$1,990

- 7) The Charles Redd Center is a sponsor of the **Utah, Idaho, New Mexico and Colorado State History Fairs**, which provides opportunities for elementary, junior high school, and high school students to write papers, develop media presentations, and construct displays on Utah history. The Center supports these efforts to get young people involved in the study of their state's history by making cash awards to paper and display winners.

Total Awarded in 2007: \$725

- 8) The **Public Programming Award** is open to any organization that is planning a conference, museum exhibit, or lecture series focusing on the arts, humanities, or social behavioral sciences.

In 2006 the Redd Center received 18 applications for Public Programming Awards. For the 2006-2007 academic year awards were made to the following:

Dr. Andrew Gulliford, Animas Museum, Mesa Verde Centennial Book Series Speakers Program
Tara Penry, Boise State University, Western Literature Association Conference Readings and Lecture
John Gavin, Johnson County Jim Gatchell Memorial Museum, Frontier Wyoming
Kim Anderson, Montana Committee for the Humanities, Butte, America: A series of programs at the 2006 Montana Festival of the Book
Crystal Kolden, University of Nevada, Reno, Nevada Wildland Fire Research and Outreach Conference
Melody Graulich, Utah State University American Studies Program, Culture Across Borders: Mexican Immigration and Popular Culture
Margaret K. Brady, YourStory: Record and Remember, Reflections of Recent Refugees

Total Awarded for 2006-2007: \$16,400

In 2007 the Redd Center received 20 applications for Public Programming Awards. For the 2007-2008 academic year awards were made to the following:

Lisa Mighetto, American Society for Environmental History, "Agents of Change in the Intermountain West": Public Talk in Boise, Idaho by Mark Kurlansky.
Megan M. Cooke, Denver Art Museum, Allen True's West.
Lee Rostad, Friends of the Bair, Meagher County Festival of the Book--"How We Tell Our Story."
Tracey Mattoon, InfoZone News, Museum/Pueblo City-County Library District, Westward for Steel: Oral History Project.
Susan Whittaker, John Hutchings Museum of Natural History of Lehi, Transportation and Communication Repository of Western Utah.
Barbara Pioli, Utah Humanities Council, The Museum Initiative.
Jim Catlin, Wild Utah Project, User's Guide for the Rapid Assessment of the Functional Condition of Stream-Riparian Ecosystems in the American Southwest.
Ronnie Daniel, Utah Museum of Natural History, Bear River: Last Chance to Change Course
Melissa Proctor, Princeton University, Mormonism and American Politics Conference

Total Awarded for 2007-2008: \$18,500

- 9) The **Independent Research and Creative Work Award** is open to individuals who are not connected to an academic institution as a faculty member or student and who are interested in researching some aspect of the American experience in the Mountain West.

In 2006 the Redd Center received 4 applications for Independent Scholar Awards. For the 2006-2007 academic year awards were made to the following:

Paul H. Jensen, Daniel, WY, *Hard and Noble Lives: A Living Tradition of Cowboys and Ranchers in Wyoming's Hoback Basin*

Melanie I. Sturgeon, Mesa, AZ, *On the Outside Looking In: the Life and Death of Olive Coombs Higbee*

Dr. Douglas D. Alder/ Bonnie B. Percival, St. George, UT, *Voices of Remembrance Oral History Collection*

Total Awarded for 2006-2007: \$3,550

In 2007 the Redd Center received 9 applications for Independent Scholar Awards. For the 2006-2007 academic year awards were made to the following:

William M. Adler, Denver, Colorado, *A Rebel True Blue: The Life and Legacy of Joe Hill*.

Mark Ratledge, Missoula, Montana, Research and interviews for my book "The Falls Creek Grizzly - Stories and Histories Along Montana's Rocky Mountain Front," forthcoming from the University of Nebraska Press.

Total Awarded for 2006-2007: \$2,400

- 10) The Redd Center offers **Publication Grants** ranging from \$1,000 to \$3,000 to presses to help offset the costs of publishing Intermountain West titles. Grants permit presses to improve the quality of the publication and/or make the book more affordable.

During 2007 publication grants were awarded to the following:

Ohio University Press, *New Stories of the Southwest* by Seth Horton.

Total Awarded in 2007: \$3,000

- 11) In 2003 the Redd Center established the **Mollie and Karl Butler Young Scholar Award** in Western Studies to promote significant scholarship in Western American Studies by faculty members at the assistant or associate professor levels at BYU. The award acknowledges outstanding academic promise, based upon a faculty member's record of research, teaching and university citizenship. The award carries a \$3,000 salary stipend and a \$5,000 annual research support award for three years.

Samuel Otterstrom from the Geography Department received the award in 2007.

Jay Buckley from the History Department received the award in 2006.

Jeff Durrant from the Geography Department received the award in 2005.

Dennis Cutchins. from the English Department received the award in 2004.
Susan Rugh from the History Department received the award in 2003.

- 12) The Redd Center invited BYU faculty members to apply for visiting lecturer grants of \$300 plus travel and lodging expenses in order to bring lecturers to BYU to speak to classes on topics related to western studies.

In 2007 Albert Smith and Benjamin Pykles were brought to campus.

This year the Center provided funds for **visiting lecturers** totaling \$1,022.

- 13) In 2005 the Redd Center established the **Charles Redd Fellowship in Western American History** sponsored by the L. Tom Perry Special collections and the Redd Center. The fellowship award designed to facilitate access to Western American manuscript collections in Special Collections has been greeted with excitement and enthusiasm by researchers.

In 2006 awards were given to:

Lane Demas, California, "Civil Rights and the Integration of American College Football, 1935-70"

Susan Williams, California, "Comparing A.J. Russell, The Great West Illustrated to F.V. Hayden, Sun Pictures of Rocky Mountain Scenery"

Clyde Milner, Arkansas, "A Most Western Life: The Pioneer Saga of Granville Stuart"
Julianne Newmark, New Mexico, "Finding a Neonativist Political Voice: Zitkala-Sa's Transitional Years in Utah 1902-1916"

Sterling Fluharty, Oklahoma, Warriors for Self-Determination: Student Movements in Indian America, 1954-1974

Total Awarded for 2006-2007: \$7,270

In 2007 the Redd Center received 9 applications for Fellowships For the 2007-2008 academic year awards were made to the following:

Elise Boxer, Department of History, Arizona State University, "They Shall be White and Delightful:" Decolonizing the racial label "Lamanite" in the The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

Jason LaBau, History Department, University of Southern California, The Rise of the Conservative Republican Party in Arizona.

Eve Mayer, History of American Civilization, Harvard University, Indigenous States: The Great Basin and Mid-Nineteenth-Century American Empire.

Tom Mould, Anthropology, Narrative Traditions of Personal Revelation Among Latter-day Saints.

Total Awarded for 2007-2008: \$5,200

In addition to giving funds, the Redd Center assisted two students with Redd Center oral histories and advice.

Elise Boxer, Department of History, Arizona State University, loaned copies of LDS Native American oral histories.
Mindi Sitterud, Department of History, University of Arizona, provided assistance in using L. Tom Perry Special Collections.

- 14) In 2007 the Redd Center announced the establishment of the **Senior Seminar/Capstone Project Grant**. The award will be given each year to undergraduate students who are writing a paper on some aspect of the Intermountain West. The award is up to \$250 to be used to cover gasoline, parking, copying, bus, and/or lodging expenses.

In 2007 the Redd Center received 5 applications for Capstone Grants. Awards were made to the following:

Andrew Webb, The Manly Art: Buffalo Bill's Wild West Influences on Modern Masculinity
John Brumbaugh, Fred Dubois and the Reed Smoot Hearings
Cali Dansie, Chief Washakie
Ashley Belnap, John Wesley Powell: Explorer, Geologist, Anthropologist
Casey Wilde, The Koyle Dream Mine Myth

Total Awarded in 2007: \$1,250

V. Oral History Program

In 2007 Farina Smith King, a BYU undergraduate history student and a former Miss Indian BYU, applied for a Redd Center summer student grant to conduct interviews with others who won the same contest. Instead of giving her a grant, the Redd Center offered to hire Farina if her interviews could become part of the Redd Center LDS Native American Oral History Project. Farina agreed. The Redd Center also asked Farina to do interviews with other LDS Native Americans. During fall semester Farina interviewed BYU students and Utah County residents. She also made trips to Page, Arizona and Gallup, New Mexico.

Jessie Embry worked briefly with Melanee Dahl to make preparation for a oral history of LDS family activities such as family home evening. Jessie has prepared an outline for the interviews, and Heather Seferovich's English class Winter Semester 2008 on editing oral histories will test out the outline. Jessie will be working with the School of Family Life, Special Collections William A. Wilson Folklore Archivists, and other BYU faculty to have students do interviews on the topic.

Jessie Embry continues to publish articles and give presentations using the Redd Center oral histories. (See Jessie Embry's report and the Oral History Program report for more details.

VI. Activities of Redd Center Personnel and Grantees:

See attached reports.

In addition the Center contributed to or promoted the following activities:

- 1) An Annalee Naegle Redd Lecture was presented on February 20 by Jessie Embry on

“Redd Ranches Bull Sales, 1950s: The Livestock Industry as a Western American Business.” An Annaley Naegle Redd Lecture was also presented on March 21, 2007 by Clyde Milner II, on “A Big Western Life: The Challenging Biography of Granville Stuart.”

- 2) On March 13, the Center sponsored a luncheon with about thirty BYU faculty where John Telford from the Visual Arts Department presented preliminary results of his research to document people, places and things found along US 89 in Utah through photography.
- 3) The Center co-sponsored the Arrington-Prucha Prize along with the Western History Association for the best article of the year in Western American Religious History. The award went to Raymond Bucko for his article “St. Peter the Aluet: Sacred Iconography and the Iconography of Violence.” in *Boletín* (The Journal of the California Mission Studies Association). The prize was for \$500.
- 4) Through the efforts of David Magleby the Center sponsored a Best Paper on the Politics of the American West award at the Western Political Science Association meeting. The award went to John P. Casellas, University of Texas at Austin for his paper, “The election of Minorities to State Legislatures and Congress.” The prize was for \$250.
- 5) The Center sponsored the Western Museum Association Award for Exhibition Excellence. The award was given to the Oakland Museum of California for their exhibit, “Aftershock! Voices from the 1906 Earthquake and Fire.” The prize was for \$400.
- 6) The Center sponsored the Charles Redd Center for Western Studies Prize for the Best Scholarly Article in *Idaho Yesterdays*. A \$500 award was given to Hugh Lovin for his article, “Communism’s Struggle in Idaho.”
- 7) The Center sponsored the Best Paper Award at the Southwest Texas Popular Culture and American Culture Associations meeting. The award went to Ryan Dearing for his paper, “Building Railroads, Constructing Manhood and Defining Progress: Utah and the Transcontinental Railroad.” The prize was for \$300.
- 8) The Center sponsored the Bea Medicine Award for Scholarship in American Indian Studies at the Native American Literature Symposium. The award went to Jace Weaver, Robert Warrior and Craig Womak for their book *American Indian Literary Nationalism*. The prize was for \$250.
- 9) The Center sponsored the Charles Redd Center for Western Studies Award for the best general interest article of the year appearing in the *Utah Historical Quarterly*. The award went to Jeffrey Nichols for his article “The Boss of the White Slaves: R. Bruce Johnson and African-American Political Power in Utah at the Turn of the Twentieth Century.” The prize was for \$500.
- 10) The Center gave \$75 to the Western American Literature Association as a sponsor.
- 11) The Redd Center offered wagons, handcarts, and \$400 to buy books, to teachers attending a summer workshop. In 2007 three teachers requested the funds. \$4,400
- 12) The Center provided \$800 to the Mormon History Association for an opening reception and for conference travel scholarships for students and independent scholars.

- 13) The Center announced the creation of a Visiting Scholar Program for 2007-2008. University faculty of all ranks, independent scholars, freelance authors and other public intellectuals who are working on a significant article, or book-length student are eligible to apply. The Center will provide a housing stipend of \$750 per month, office space, a networked computer, telephone, access to fax, limited photocopying expenses and a part-time research assistant.
- 14) Jessie Embry and Brian Cannon have been working with the authors who prepared papers for the Utah in the Twentieth Century that the Redd Center supported in 2006. The authors have refined their papers. Jessie and Brian have written introductory material for the volume. The plan is to submit it to Utah State University Press for publication.
- 15) Jessie Embry presented workshops on Utah history to American History Academies and fourth and seventh grade teachers. She also gave two workshops—one on women in Utah and one on changing Utah communities at the Rural School Association meeting in Cedar City in June. At all the workshops, she discussed the Redd Center education awards and offered to give additional workshops. The workshops were:
 - Utah Peoples and Cultures: Washington School District, Box Elder School District, Tooele School District, South Summit School District
 - Utah Labor: Alpine School District
 - Writing Grants: Phi Alpha Theta

VII. Plans for 2008

- 1) The Center will make fellowship awards for students and scholars this year.
- 2) The Oral History Program will continue to produce interviews on significant western topics related to Redd Center personnel research. Transcripts of the interviews will be transferred to the L. Tom Perry Special Collections Library where they will be catalogued and made available to researchers.
- 3) The Publication Grant program will continue to provide funding to presses publishing western studies.
- 4) We will continue to assist state history fairs in promoting the work of school children. We intend to continue to provide funds for this program and to offer prizes for the best projects and papers of students exemplifying the ideals of the American west.
- 5) Center personnel will continue to publish books and articles and present papers in national and international conferences.
- 6) The Center will sponsor lectureships named in honor of our benefactors Annaley Naegle Redd and William Howard and Hazel Butler Peters. On March 25 Louis Warren will give a lecture entitled "A Hole in the dream: The ghost Dance and the Making of Modern American." Dean David Magleby will also present a paper on Mormons and politics.
- 7) The Center will continue offering courses as part of an interdisciplinary western studies minor. The program is administered by the American Studies program through the College of Humanities and is sponsored by the Redd Center.

- 8) The Center will continue to sponsor the Western Political Science Association Best Paper award.
- 9) The Center will continue to sponsor the Western History Association Arrington-Prucha Prize for best article of the year in Western American Religious History
- 10) The Center will continue to sponsor the Jensen-Miller Best Article in Western American History Award, sponsored by the Coalition of Western Women Historians.
- 11) The Center will continue to sponsor the Western Museums Association Award for Exhibition Excellence.
- 12) The Center will continue to sponsor the Best Paper Prize at the Southwest Texas Popular Culture and American Culture Associations meeting.
- 13) The Center will continue to sponsor the Charles Redd Center for Western Studies Prize for the Best Scholarly Article in *Idaho Yesterdays*.
- 14) The Center will continue to sponsor the Bea Medicine Award for Scholarship in American Indian Studies at the Native American Literature Symposium.
- 15) The Center will sponsor the Charles Redd Center Prize for the best general interest article in the Utah Historical Quarterly.
- 16) The Center will award the Butler Young Scholar Award in Western American Studies to Jerry Johnson from the Department of Biology.
- 17) The Center will sponsor a luncheon and meeting for BYU faculty in western studies to promote collegiality and collaboration.
- 18) The Center will host seminars periodically in which grant and fellowship recipients present the results of their research to faculty and students.
- 19) The Center will continue to provide honoraria and travel funds for guest lecturers in western studies who visit BYU to speak to classes or to deliver public lectures.
- 20) The Center will provide workshops to fourth and seventh grade teachers on Utah history.
- 21) The Center will sponsor a new award for \$500 for a session dealing with the Mountain West region at the Association of American Geographers Meeting.

RESEARCH REPORTS

SUMMER AWARDS FOR
UPPER DIVISION AND GRADUATE STUDENTS
FY 2007

Eric Busch
Amy Canfield
Anthony Carlson
Leisl Carr
Benjamin Chatterton
Tonia Compton
Christopher Crockett
Ryan Dearing
Sonia Dickey
Mark Peterson
Jay Lynn Rogers
Thomas Rogers
Carol Sawyer
Scott Thomas
Michael Van Wagenen
Scott Warren

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ANNALEY NAEGLE REDD
STUDENT AWARD IN WOMEN'S HISTORY
FY 2007

Kendra Moore

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INDEPENDENT SCHOLARS

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Doug Alder and Bonnie Percival

Paul Jensen

Melanie Sturgeon

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Michael Elliott
Kristin Erickson
Michael Johnson
Tom Krainz
Ann Lundberg
Kevin Marsh
Jeff Nichols
Carol O'Connor
Richard Quartaroli
Brandon Schrand
Marsha Weisiger

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PUBLIC PROGRAMMING AWARD

FY 2006-2007

Animas Museum

Boise State University English Department

Johnson County Jim Gatchell Museum

Montana Committee for Humanities

Utah State University American Studies Program

YourStory: Record and Remember

Western Literature Association

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HBLL SPECIAL COLLECTIONS FELLOWSHIP
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Sterling Fluharty
Julianne Newmark
Lane Demas
Susan Williams
Clyde Milner

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ANNALEY NAEGLE REDD ASSISTANTSHIPS
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Mark Belk, Jerald Johnson
Joel Janetski

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Caroline Cobia

Ellen Larson

Kevin Rocque

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INDEPENDENT RESEARCH AWARD

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AMERICAN HISTORY

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