Concordia University, Department of Religion GRADUATING GRAD STUDENTS CELEBRATION/ SYMPOSIUM 1:30-3:30 pm, 17 February 2016, room FA 202 (2060 Mackay) To honour the following students who were awarded graduate degrees in calendar year 2015:

Brice Jones, Ph.D. "New Testament Texts on Greek Amulets from Late Antiquity and Their Relevance for Textual Criticism."

Laurie Lamoureux Scholes, Ph.D. "Making the Mosaic Work? A Study of the Canadian Interfaith Movement."

Andrea Lobel, Ph.D. "Under a Censored Sky: Astronomy and Rabbinic Authority in the Talmud Bavli and Related Literature."

Ali Ahmad Rasekh, Ph.D. "Agents of the Hidden Imam: Shiite Juristic Authority in Light of the Doctrine of Deputyship."

Eliza Tasbihi, Ph.D. "Ismā'īl Anqarawī's Commentary on Book Seven of the *Mathnawī*: A Seventeenth-Century Ottoman Sufi Controversy."

Anthony Easton, M.A. "Edmund Wood, Anglo-Catholicism and the Lability of Sainthood."

Pascale Greenfield, M.A. "The Patriarchs as 'Kulturbringers': The Dynamics of Empire & Hellenism in the works preserved by Alexander Polyhistor."

Sandra Hlavenka, M.A. "The Use of Divine Names in Late Antiquity: A Comparative Analysis."

Bradley Martin, M.A. "Jewish Memories of Amalek Constructing and Facing a Malleable Evil from the Hebrew Bible to the Early Rabbis."

Devorah Rosenberg, M.A. "Meaningful Eating: Charles Taylor's Theories Applied to Notions of Food, Eating, Health, and Beauty in the Contemporary World."

Matthew Secaur, M.A. "Rediscovering Science and Religion: a postmodern approach to the Science/Religion debate."

Shelley Thomas, M.A. "Pornography and the Master Slave Dialectic."

Elana Wenner, M.A. "In the Heart of the Prairies: A look into the Minds and Motives of the Saskatchewan Jewish Farming Communities."