



Catholic Record Society Awards

**In pursuance of its charitable aims, the CRS offers
the following awards**

The David Rogers Research Fund

This fund was established in 1997 from a bequest of Dr. David Rogers, a distinguished recusant historian and one-time Chairman of the Society. It seeks to encourage new writing on Reformation and post-Reformation British Catholic history, by helping to defray the cost of necessary travel to libraries and archives at home and/or abroad and the extra subsistence costs involved. The principal condition for an award is that the research should lead to written publication in a reputable historical forum.

The Michael Williams Research Fund

This fund was established in 2007 from a donation given by the Reverend Monsignor Michael E. Williams, DD. Its purpose is to encourage the study of the historical connections between Roman Catholicism in England and Wales with the situation in other countries in Europe in the post-Reformation era. The fund will help to defray the travel and basic subsistence costs of research on relevant material in English and European archives and libraries. The research should be intended to lead to written publication in a reputable historical forum or as a full-length paper accepted for presentation at a national or international ecclesiastical history conference. The fund will consider applications for subsidies towards such publication.

The deadline for both awards is 1st July 2020.

Annual Conference Student Bursaries

The Society offers up to five bursaries to postgraduate students researching the post-Reformation Catholic history of the British Isles to contribute to the cost of attending the CRS Annual Conference held in July. The value of a bursary will be equivalent to half the cost of attending the conference (excluding travel costs). Applications are invited from full or part-time students registered for higher degrees in any recognised institution in Britain or overseas. Applicants do not have to be members of the CRS. Recipients of bursaries are expected to deliver a Short Communication on the subject under study.

**For further information on all these awards visit
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INSTRUCTIONS FOR CONTRIBUTORS

British Catholic History acts a forum for innovative, vibrant, transnational, inter-disciplinary scholarship resulting from research on the history of British and Irish Catholicism at home and throughout the world. We publish peer-reviewed original research articles, review articles and shorter reviews of works on all aspects of British Catholic history from the 15th Century up to the present day. Central to our publishing policy is an emphasis on the multi-faceted, national and international dimensions of British Catholic history. The journal welcomes contributions on all approaches to the Catholic experience.

Manuscripts for consideration should be sent electronically to the Editor, Dr Katy Gibbons, at katy.gibbons@port.ac.uk. Detailed instructions concerning submission and style are available at: www.journals.cambridge.org/BCHcontributors.

Contributions must be original, unpublished and not under consideration for publication elsewhere. All contributions will be subjected to double-blind peer review.

CATHOLIC RECORD SOCIETY

The Catholic Record Society was founded in 1904 to make available the material for the study of Roman Catholicism in England and Wales. The Records series comprises transcripts of a wide range of primary source material, including diaries, letters, biographies; legal, court and official papers; and records of old Catholic missions, seminaries, colleges and convents. The Monograph series offers the opportunity to scholars to present original historical analyses of British Catholicism over a prolonged period in a particular place. There are now some ninety volumes of Records and Monographs. The Society launched its research journal in 1951, originally titled *Biographical Studies* (1951–1956), which developed into *Recusant History* (1957–2014) and is now published in the present form as, *British Catholic History* (2015–). Over more than sixty years the journal has published the work of both established and emerging scholars, engaging with British Catholic history and its role within the master narratives of history more broadly. The journal is published in print and online by Cambridge University Press.

The Annual General meeting of the Catholic Record Society is held during its annual conference to which all members are invited. Due to the coronavirus pandemic, the 2020 conference has been cancelled, but information about future conferences, including details of the bursaries available to postgraduate students who wish to attend, are available to download at the website: www.crs.org.uk; or from the Secretary: Dr Serenhedd James, Oriel College, Oriel Square, Oxford, OX1 4EW.

In pursuance of its charitable aims, the Society offers awards from the David Rogers Research Fund and the Michael Williams Research Fund. Full details and application forms for these are available at our website.

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