

# **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 principle condition for an award is that the research should lead to written publication in a reputable historical forum.

Four copies of the application form, which can be downloaded from the CRS website: <a href="https://www.catholicrecordsociety.co.uk">www.catholicrecordsociety.co.uk</a>, accompanied by two references in sealed envelopes from knowledgeable and appropriate persons, should be submitted to the Chairman of the Awards Committee, Professor Alan McClelland, 91, St Catherine's Drive, Leconfield, Beverley HU17 7NY, by 1 July 2016.

### 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.

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### **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. Further details and application forms are available at the CRS website.



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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. The next conference will be held from 25 to 27 July 2016 at Murray Edwards College, Cambridge CB3 0DF. Full details including the conference programme, booking forms and details of the bursaries available to postgraduate students who wish to attend, are available to download at the website: <a href="https://www.catholicrecordsociety.co.uk">www.catholicrecordsociety.co.uk</a>; or from the Conference Secretary: Liesbeth Corens, Jesus College, Cambridge CB5 8BL.

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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