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- Keith Brown delivered the keynote address at the 25th Annual Conference of EuroClio, the European Association of History Educators, in Marseille. The theme of the conference was "Mediterranean Dialogues: Teaching History beyond our Horizons." Professor Brown's address drew on his work on international terrorism in the inter-war period, and was entitled "Object lessons in Global Microhistory: Rewatching the 1934 assassination of King Alexander I of Yugoslavia in Marseille."

- Professor Richard Herrera provided a briefing on "Law-making in the U.S, Arizona and Phoenix" to members of the Kazakh Parliament visiting Phoenix through the Open World Leadership program.

- In May, Daniel Rothenberg will be speaking on the future of international law and the changing character of war at the 4th Major General John L. Fugh Symposium on Law and Military Operations at The Judge Advocate General's Legal Center and School, the center for training military lawyers.

- Henry Thomson was interviewed on the BBC World Service broadcast show The Food Chain during an episode titled "Absolute Food: Part I." You can listen to the segment here.

- Richard Davis co-authored the article “The Islamic State’s Lingering Legacy among Young Men from the Mosul Area” which comes from his research team’s efforts to identify threats of an ISIS resurgence in Sunni Arab Iraq. Many of the questions were designed in concert with senior advisors in The White House and HMG’s Prime Minister ISIL Task Force.
ASU student selected as 2018 Truman Scholar

Political science online student Alexa Scholl was expecting to talk to a reporter last Tuesday about qualifying as a Truman Scholar finalist.

But that’s not what happened when she logged onto a Skype call.

It was ASU President Michael M. Crow on the screen, telling her that she had just won the $30,000 scholarship.

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Graduating ASU Army ROTC cadet continues family legacy

This May, Daina Nicole Cing, a Talofofo, Guam native, will receive her bachelor’s degree in political science and commission as an officer in the U.S. Army Reserve.

The family’s history of service started with her grandfather, who served in World War II. Now Cing will be the third generation to serve in the military.

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Global studies student explores the world

Global studies majors focus on the globalized world and traveling to learn about the problems we face. Emily Gough is a senior at ASU studying global studies and women and gender studies; thanks to the Barrett Global Explorers Grant, Gough was recently able to conduct research across three different countries.

After completing a capstone project in high school on postcolonial literature, Gough gained an interest in indigenous theory. Wanting to continue her research on indigenous rights, Gough focused on Australia and its indigenous population for study abroad.

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Dual bachelor’s graduate finds success through ASU Online

Political science student Stephani Watson is graduating from ASU this May. During her time at ASU, Watson said she received support from multiple scholarships, including the William D. Kavan Political Science Scholarship.
“I can’t express how much I love ASU and hope to have a long future relationship with ASU. Once I get into my career and start earning an income, I want to set up pledges for all the scholarships I was blessed to have,” she said.

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