

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, STANISLAUS

ANTHROPOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY AND ETHNIC STUDIES

Stanislaus Geography Students Win State Geography Honors!

For the <u>sixth</u> year in a row, Stanislaus Geography students win awards at the statewide California Geographical Society (CGS) Meeting. This year the conference was held at Cal Poly San Luis Obispo.

CGS Digital Map Competition:

Aldo Garcia, CSU Stanislaus (Geography) -Recreational Bicycling: An Interactive Online Map of Bicycle Trails Along the Stanislaus River, Ripon, CA

CGS Tom McKnight Undergraduate Paper Award:

Marisa Hultgren, CSU Stanislaus (Geography) – The Geography of Spies: Communism and American Intelligence in World War Two.

CGS Graduate Poster:

Elizabeth Machado, CSU Stanislaus (Geography) -Transnational Activities and its Impact on the Azorean Cultural Landscape in Southeastern Massachusetts.

Abstracts for the student presenters are available at:

http://www.csun.edu/~calgeosoc/meetings/SLO/home.html

Founded in 1946, the California Geographical Society (CGS) is the oldest and largest state-wide organization devoted to enhancing the understanding of geography and promoting interaction amongst academic and applied geographers, as well as members of the general public who share an interest in geography. The organization hosts an annual conference each spring drawing over 400 professional geographers from around the state. <u>http://www.csun.edu/~calgeosoc/</u>.

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