

Introduction

Hello there! It is my honor to welcome you to the Eleventh annual volume of *The Alexandrian*.

This year's volume features pieces focused mainly on the twentieth century: research surrounding World War II, the Civil Rights Movement, and the Cold War are examined by our students here in the department. In addition, we include an essay on the self-made men of the early Republic.

We are so excited to share with you the hard work all the students, staff, and editorial team have been working on this last year.

Enjoy,

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