

Shepherd University's George Tyler Moore Center for the Study of the Civil War is pleased to announce that we will begin accepting applications for the 2017 undergraduate student scholarships to attend our annual Civil War and American Society Seminar series. This year there will be two recipients of the "Shepherd Student of Civil War Studies" selected. All Shepherd University undergraduates are eligible to apply. It is sponsored through the generosity of the members of "F.O.G." (Friends of Gabor Boritt)—a group of Civil War enthusiasts dedicated to public education and programming—along with the generous donations of seminar participants. The scholarships will cover the two recipients' full seminar tuition, meals, and transportation from campus to seminar events on the motor coach.

This year's seminar focuses on the 1862 Maryland Campaign. From Thursday evening, September 14, to Sunday morning, September 17, 2017, audiences will gain an intimate view of the Campaign's Union and Confederate armies and the terrain over which they fought. We will visit South Mountain State Battlefield and the Antietam National Battlefield to discuss key terrain and consider the critical decisions that shaped how the Campaign unfolded.

Those interested in applying should submit a one-page explanation of how participation in the seminar will advance their educational and career goals; this document should be sent to Jennifer Alarcon at [jalarcon@shepherd.edu](mailto:jalarcon@shepherd.edu) in either Word or PDF format. Submissions will be accepted until **August 25, 2017**. Interviews will be conducted in early-September to determine scholarship winners. After the seminar's conclusion, the student scholars will offer a brief two page report highlighting the seminar's content and its relationship to their undergraduate education due no later than **October 15, 2017**.