

# LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

Welcome to the second published issue of *Zeitgeist*. Since our last issue the editorial team has been hard at work collecting pieces from across campus. We're excited to present our second issue's theme: Identity.

While reading, we encourage you to take the time to examine how identity is irremovable from history. Every person can be sorted into different identity groups: race, gender, sexual orientation, political ideology, age, economic class, religion, geographic location, ethnicity, the list is endless. Many of these essays aim to share the voices of minority groups throughout history. For instance, you'll find articles that examine Queer history in WW2, and share the perspective of Puerto Rican citizens in the twentieth century.

JSA is committed to engaging students of all political identities in respectful and purposeful ways. *Zeitgeist* is a physical representation of this mission. You'll notice student authors of all identities writing about historical and political topics that they care about. *Zeitgeist* articles are student's attempts to understand the world around us. Please take the time to read and learn about people, places, and events you might not have known about before.

Enjoy!

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