## **President's Message**

It is my pleasure to introduce the 9<sup>th</sup> volume of the University of Victoria's *The Graduate History Review*.

Our university is committed to providing students and emerging scholars with experiential and research-enriched learning opportunities that empower them to explore and create knowledge. The creation and dissemination of knowledge through this publication advances that goal and is a great example of experiential learning in action.

This thought-provoking collection of articles explores historical periods and events of significance from across the globe. Within these pages, readers will be engaged in discussions about collective action within militaries, immigration and remittance migration, Indigenous community histories, racism and race-based policies and practices and more. The articles represent the vast diversity of historical thought and research that contributes to new perspectives and ongoing debate and dialogue.

The Graduate History Review also highlights collaborations between UVic history graduate students, faculty members and colleagues from University of Canterbury and Carnegie Mellon University, who have worked together to bring us this outstanding publication.

Congratulations to the talented and dedicated graduate students, faculty advisors and mentors for their contributions to this collection of articles. Thank you for sharing your passion and knowledge with us and for contributing to a better future for people and the planet.

Sincerely,

Professor Jamie Cassels, QC President and Vice-Chancellor University of Victoria