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Mr. John Ferguson  
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Dear John,

On behalf of the Committee on Regional Studies—East Asia, I am pleased to inform you that your MA thesis, entitled "*PROJECT TERRA: U.S.-China-led Global Energy Diplomacy for Climate Change*", has been awarded the 2022 Joseph Fletcher Memorial Award. Congratulations!

This annual award was established in 1985 in honor of Joseph Fletcher, Professor of Chinese and Inner Asian History, and a past chairman of the RSEA Committee. This honor is given to a thesis that exemplifies the standards of excellence attained and encouraged by Professor Fletcher.

Your award will be announced at the Wednesday, May 25<sup>th</sup> Commencement Reception and we hope that you will be joining us to celebrate both your award and graduation.

Once again, my warmest congratulations on receiving recognition for your hard work in writing such an outstanding thesis! We are very proud of your academic achievements during your RSEA journey.

Sincerely yours,

Alexander Zahlten  
Chair, Regional Studies East Asia