

Joe Collins, a 2010 graduate of the AMEC BA program and currently a graduate student in Geosciences doing a geoarchaeological thesis, was recently given the prestigious annual Kellogg Award for his work with a materials-science based thesis pertaining to archaeology. The title of Joe's thesis is ANSWERS IN DIAGENESIS: ASSESSING MUSSEL SHELL DIAGENESIS IN THE MODERN VADOSE ZONE AT LYON'S BLUFF (22OK520), NORTH EAST MISSISSIPPI.

Competition for the Kellogg Award involved students—many PhD candidates--from many other universities.