

**NEW THEOLOGY SCHOLAR HONORED
BY CATHOLIC THEOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF AMERICA**

CHESTNUT HILL, MA (July 2008) -- Dominic Doyle, assistant professor in the Boston College School of Theology and Ministry, has received the 2008 Catherine Mowry LaCugna Award for new scholars from the Catholic Theological Society of America.



The award, presented at the society's annual convention earlier this month, honors the best academic essay submitted in the field of theology within the Roman Catholic tradition. Doyle's essay is entitled, "Retrieving the Hope of Christian Humanism: A Thomistic Reflection on Charles Taylor and Nicholas Boyle."

This fall, Doyle returns to Boston College, where he completed doctoral studies, after teaching for three years at Weston Jesuit School of Theology.

The Catholic Theological Society of America strives to promote studies and research in theology, to relate theological science to current problems, and to foster a more effective theological education by providing a forum for an exchange of views among theologians and with scholars in other disciplines. The Catherine Mowry LaCugna Award was established in the memory of the noted theologian who was the author of *God For Us* and, until her death in 1997, the Nancy Reeves Dreux Professor of Theology at the University of Notre Dame.

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