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Grad Research: Julie Kantor in the LARB by American Studies

Congratulations to UT AMS graduate student Julie Kantor, who recently had some of the poems from her chapbook *Land* published in the “No Crisis” issue of the *Los Angeles Review of Books Quarterly*. We spoke to Julie about her work when *Land* came out last spring, and we’re excited to able to share a selection with you, below.

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from *LAND*

JULIE KANTOR

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From the distance looks so dark, & next to the trees, in the blackness of their dense & black-green we say, "we can stay right here, never go anywhere different," laid out like a target w/rings of rock types dipping away from the center, not say sorry for it, drawn back into these hills always. We stay on the same angular unconformity which lets us know it's only a matter of time before this gets more lopsided, one or the other both wanting transport through fire-control, interact in complex ways in trampling pressure, determine face of all the land around us before we knew but now together think it could be us in the rainshadow of higher elevation wedged in southern edge, first to go up, be over w/but keep all continuance ordered.

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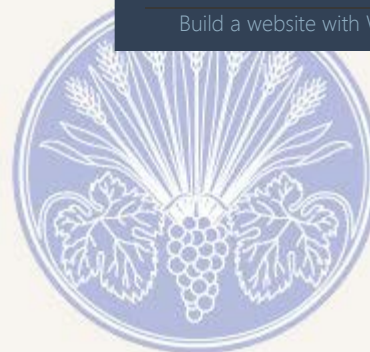
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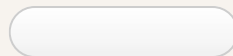
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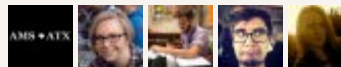
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