# STUDENT SYMPOSIUM

# CELEBRATING OUR COMMUNITY OF LEARNERS

FRIDAY, APRIL 12 | 12:30 PM - 6 PM

Tyler Haynes Commons, Modlin Center for the Arts, and Atrium at the Gottwald Center for the Sciences





# A TRADITION OF CELEBRATING OUR COMMUNITY OF LEARNERS

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# Dean's Welcome

#### Dear Friends:

Welcome to the School of Arts & Sciences' Student Symposium at the University of Richmond. We are thrilled to be celebrating the 34th year of this wonderful event, an occasion that highlights the dedication of our diverse community of learners, especially our students and their faculty mentors.

Last year, 266 Arts & Sciences students participated in a summer research experience with funding from UR Summer Fellowships, Arts & Sciences, or an external funding source. Many students continued their research pursuits during the academic year, or extended a project into a second or third academic endeavor. Several student researchers co-authored peer-reviewed journal articles with their faculty mentors, and others presented their work publicly at conferences, on stage, or in a gallery exhibit. Today, over 300 students share their research with friends, family, faculty, and peers in the form of posters, exhibits, performances, and oral presentations.

This year's Symposium includes such varied presentations as "The Effects of Health Literacy on Patients Health Optimism and Treatment Adherence;" "Race, Space, and Coal Waste: A Critical Environmental Justice Analysis of Central Appalachia's Prison Industry;" "Reconceptualizing the International Humanitarian Organization- IOM and UNHCR at Europe's External Borders;" and others within our annual theme, *Contested Spaces*, such as, "Contesting Voices: The Issue of Incorporating Outside Sources into an Argument."

With student presenters in disciplines across the arts, languages, cultures, humanities, social sciences, natural sciences, and applied sciences, the Student Symposium reflects the breadth and depth of the curriculum in the School of Arts & Sciences, the heart of the University of Richmond's liberal arts enterprise. We are committed to supporting the professional and psychosocial development of our students by providing them opportunities to pursue projects which further reflection, creativity, and the production of knowledge. Our students do this work alongside esteemed faculty.

Thank you for being here today to celebrate our students and their scholarship.

Yours truly,

**Patrice Rankine**, Professor of Classics Dean, School of Arts and Sciences



I designed this dress with an antebellum-style bottom and an Asian-style top to reflect my Asian-American heritage, melding old and new scraps, piecing history alongside the present. The un-apologetically vibrant visible exterior concealed the vulnerable interior; the same dress reversed completely into black to represent the quiet and the shy. To me, this balance represented in the fabric by its tactile familiar quality may have been lost in any other art form." —EMMA FELT, VMAP '17



# Symposium Locations & Times

#### TYLER HAYNES COMMONS | 12:30-5:00 P.M.

1<sup>ST</sup> FLOOR | 1:00-5:00 P.M.

ALICE HAYNES ROOM

Poster Presentations

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#### 2<sup>ND</sup> FLOOR | 12:00-5:00 P.M.

HANGING LOUNGE

Symposium Check-In

#### 3RD FLOOR | 12:30-5:00 P.M.

Oral Presentations

Rooms 305 | Room 310 | Room 321 | Room 346 | Room 348

#### MODLIN CENTER FOR THE ARTS | 1:00-5:00 P.M.

HARNETT MUSEUM OF ARTS | 1ST FLOOR

HARNETT PRINT STUDY CENTER | 2ND FLOOR

COUSINS STUDIO THEATRE, 1ST FLOOR | 2:45-3:00 P.M.

#### ATRIUM AT THE GOTTWALD CENTER FOR THE SCIENCES

ARTS & SCIENCES RECEPTION FIRST FLOOR | 5:00-6:00 P.M.

#### THE FORUM

TACO STAND | 12:00-1:30 P.M.

University themed balloons will mark each location.

# Artist Presentations

Artwork will be on display throughout Symposium 1-5 p.m.

# HARNETT MUSEUM OF ART, MODLIN CENTER FOR THE ARTS

3:00-3:40 P.M.

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Senior Thesis Exhibition

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Brittany Nelson

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FACULTY MENTOR: Brittany Nelson

# HARNETT PRINT STUDY CENTER, MODLIN CENTER FOR THE ARTS

3:40-5:00 P.M.

#### **CARSON WATLINGTON**

Reconstructing Recollected Landscapes Through Oil Painting

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Erling Sjovold

#### **CASEY MURANO**

Contemplative Maps

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Tanja Softic

#### **YUWEI LIN**

Art within Emotion

FACULTY MENTOR: Tanja Softic

#### **MORGAN MITCHELL**

The Human Comedy: Prints and Drawing by Isabel Bishop

FACULTY MENTOR: Richard Waller

# COUSINS STUDIO THEATER, MODLIN CENTER FOR THE ARTS

2:45-3:00 P.M.

#### **LIZ MINDER**

Can We Light "Green" and Still Create Art? Stage Four FACULTY MENTOR: Maja White



#### **PHOTOGRAPHY**

Video and photographs taken during the Symposium will be used in University publications and on the website. If you do not wish to be included in videos or photographs, please alert the photographer and/or videographer.

**NOTE:** All information was correct at the time of publication.

# Oral Presentations

All oral presentations will be held in the Tyler Haynes Commons, 3rd floor. Signage will guide you to each location. Please stay for the duration of each panel, to support all students who are presenting in the session.

#### **TYLER HAYNES COMMONS, ROOM 305**

12:30-2:10 P.M. RHETORIC AND COMMUNICATION STUDIES I

#### MARISSA BROWN, KEITH ODDO

Race and Racism Oral Histories

FACULTY MENTOR: Nicole Maurantonio

Rhetoric and Communication Studies I

#### KRISTI MUKK, JOSHUA KIM, CATHERINE FRANCESKI, TUCKER SHELLEY

Reflections on the Archive: Untold Narratives at the University of Richmond

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTORS: Irina Rogova, Nicole Maurantonio

#### MYSIA PERRY, AYELE D'ALMEIDA, JACOB ROBERSON

UR's Hidden History: Bringing Light to Marginalized Voices

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTORS: Patricia Herrera, Bedelia Richards

#### **JACOB ROBERSON**

The New Age Plantation: The NCAA's Effect on the Black Student

Experience at University

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTOR: Atiya Husain

#### **ZACHARY CAIN**

A Process, a Sound, a Spirit: Actor-Network Theory in a Richmond, VA Recording Studio

FACULTY MENTORS: Andy McGraw, Joanna Love

# 2:15-3:15 P.M. RHETORIC AND COMMUNICATION STUDIES II

#### **MARY MCKELLER**

Rhetorical Arguments of the Equal Rights Amendment

FACULTY MENTOR: MariLee Mifsud

#### **KRISTI MUKK**

Rhetorics of Cultural Hybridity/Diasporic Identity: A Case Study of Tennis

Player Naomi Osaka

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTOR: MariLee Mifsud

#### CORY SCHUTTER, DESTINY RILEY, MARY MCKELLER, SABRINA ESCOBAR

Rhetorics of Gender Violence

FACULTY MENTOR: MariLee Mifsud

# 3:20-4:20 P.M. WOMEN, GENDER, AND SEXUALITY STUDIES

#### **KYLIE BRITT**

Race In Feminist & Queer Thought Senior Capstone

FACULTY MENTOR: Ladelle McWhorter

#### **CORY SCHUTTER**

Yaaaaas Kween: Rhetorics of Appropriation in White Gay Culture

FACULTY MENTOR: Ladelle McWhorter

#### **KEXIN LI**

The Shame of Asian Comfort Women

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTOR: Monti Datta

### **Oral Presentations**

#### **TYLER HAYNES COMMONS, ROOM 310**

12:30-2:00 P.M. HISTORY

#### **JESSICA WINKLER**

Reconceptualizing the International Humanitarian Organization-IOM and UNHCR at Europe's External Borders

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTORS: Rania Sweis, David Brandenberger

#### **NORA GEER**

Mapping the Ford Foundation in the Middle East: A Visual Narrative of the Foundation's Evolving Development Objectives during the Cold War FACULTY MENTORS: Timothy Barney, Nicole Sackley

#### **ERIC BOSSERT**

Do No Harm: Orientalism and British Doctors in WWI Middle East

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTOR: Yucel Yanikdag

#### **NADIA NEMAN**

Bedros Kurkyasharian: An Armenian in the World War I Ottoman Army

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTOR: Yucel Yanikdag

2:00-3:15 P.M. HISTORY HONORS

#### **THOMAS VANDERBEEK**

"Wir gedenken der Opfer": German Public Memory and the Issues of Commemoration

FACULTY MENTORS: David Brandenberger, Michelle Kahn

#### **ELENA PALAZZOLO**

Free French "gentlemen of couleur": Reconsidering Race, Ethnicity, and Immigration in Philadelphia's Catering Industry, 1870-1930

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTOR: Sydney Watts

#### **CAITLIN LIVESEY**

Censorship of Confederate Newspapers during Union Occupation

FACULTY MENTOR: Robert Kenzer

# 3:20-4:20 P.M. LANGUAGES, LITERATURES, AND CULTURES

#### **ELENA PALAZZOLO**

"Il est bon, aujourd'hui, le boudin": Food Aestheticization and Taste in Zola's Naturalist Novels

FACULTY MENTORS: Sara Pappas, Olivier Delers

#### **ELIZA STURGEON**

Hell Overwhelmed with Millennials, Wardens Scrambling

FACULTY MENTOR: Lidia Radi

#### THOMAS VANDERBEEK

The "Protestant Work Ethic" in Death in Venice and Gustav von Aschenbach's Economic Deviance

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Caroline Weist

#### **MIKE LAPOSATA**

Rome Makes Laws: The Imperial Crown Controversy and its Influence on the

Crusades of Innocent III

FACULTY MENTOR: Martin Sulzer-Reichel

### **Oral Presentations**

#### **TYLER HAYNES COMMONS, ROOM 321**

### 12:30-1:30 P.M. ART HISTORY I

#### **FRANCES GICHNER**

The Preservation and Treatment of Sacred Spaces in Cyprus

FACULTY MENTORS: Agnieszka Szymanska

#### **ADRIANA SALMERON**

Ideas of the Afterlife in Ancient Egypt, Greece and Christianity FACULTY MENTORS: Agnieszka Szymanska, Elizabeth Baughan

#### **ALEXANDRA CASTIGLIA**

Medici Women: Considering Art Patronage in Renaissance Florence

FACULTY MENTORS: Agnieszka Szymanska, Elena Calvillo

#### **REID DICKIE**

Ballerinas Through the Lens of Degas

FACULTY MENTORS: Agnieszka Szymanska, Elena Calvillo

### 1:30-2:30 P.M. ART HISTORY II

#### **SOFIA NICOLET**

Richard Neutra: Redefining the Architect-Patron Relationship FACULTY MENTORS: Agnieszka Szymanska, Jeannine Keefer

#### **RAELYN WILLIAMS**

Performance Art and the Other

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTORS: Agnieszka Szymanska, Elena Calvillo

#### **SOPHIE BROOKE**

The Art Market

FACULTY MENTORS: Agnieszka Szymanska, Elena Calvillo

### 2:40-4:00 P.M. GEOGRAPHY, ANTHROPOLOGY & CRIMINAL JUSTICE

#### **PEYTON CARTER**

Marketing Disability: Navigating the Ethics of Nonprofit Marketing and Development

FACULTY MENTOR: Jan French

#### **CHERELLE COTTON**

Shattering the Glass Ceiling: Black Women in Politics

FACULTY MENTOR: Jan French

#### **ALICIA JIGGETTS**

The Criminal (In)Justice System of Virginia

**Contested Spaces** 

FACULTY MENTOR: Jan French

#### **ALEXIS SZEPESY**

Race, Space, and Coal Waste: A Critical Environmental Justice Analysis of Central Appalachia's Prison Industry

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTOR: Mary Finley-Brook

4:10-4:50 P.M. ECONOMICS

#### **ELIZABETH MEJIA-RICART**

The Sustainability and Longevity of Pioneer Black Banks

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTOR: Robert Dolan

#### **RUHI NAHATA**

Economics in Arranged Marriages in India

FACULTY MENTOR: Chad Curtis

### **Oral Presentations**

#### **TYLER HAYNES COMMONS, ROOM 346**

12:30-1:25 P.M. PSYCHOLOGY

#### **MIA CASTAGNERO**

Evaluating the Effects of Health Literacy in Patients with Chronic Kidney Disease

FACULTY MENTOR: Camilla Nonterah

#### **HEATHER GARDINER**

The Effects of Health Literacy on Patients' Health Optimism and Treatment Adherence Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTOR: Camilla Nonterah

#### **MINRU ZHAO**

Forgiveness and the Psychological Well-being of Patients with CKD

FACULTY MENTOR: Camilla Nonterah

1:30-2:50 P.M. BIOLOGY AND PHYSICS

#### **RUHAN FARSIN**

Investigating Heme Toxicity in Sodalis glossinidius FACULTY MENTOR: Laura Runyen-Janecky

#### **RACHEL LANTZ**

The Impact of Elevation on Pollen Viability and Limitation of Mimulus tilingii

FACULTY MENTOR: Carrie Wu

#### **OMAR AGUILAR**

Spectroscopic Ellipsometry Investigation of the Optoelectronic Properties of Zn1-xCdxO Thin Films Deposited via Spray Pyrolysis

FACULTY MENTOR: Mariama Rebello de Sousa Dias

#### **KYLIE BRITT**

Fabrication and Characterization of Vanadium Pentoxide Thin-films via Spray Pyrolysis Method

FACULTY MENTOR: Mariama Rebello de Sousa Dias

### 3:00-4:40 P.M. POLITICAL SCIENCE AND INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

#### **CHRIS CASSELLA**

Shooting Blanks: A Commentary on Gun Control

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTOR: Jennifer Erkulwater

#### **KAY DERVISHI**

The Stars of Postcommunist Transition versus a Democratic Laggard: Causes of

Democratic Backsliding in Hungary, Poland, and Romania

FACULTY MENTOR: Aleksandra Sznajder Lee

#### **ANNIKA SAMPEDRO**

The Impacts of Deportation on Women in the Northern Triangle

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTOR: Jenny Pribble

#### **VIRGINIA SUN**

The Legal Scholarship and Social Activism of Jacobus tenBroek

FACULTY MENTOR: Jennifer Erkulwater

#### **HALEY NEUENFELDT**

The Effects of Climate Change on Poverty in Coffee Producing Regions of El Salvador

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Jenny Pribble

### **Oral Presentations**

#### **TYLER HAYNES COMMONS, ROOM 348**

12:30-1:20 P.M. CLASSICAL STUDIES

#### **LAUREN COSTELLO**

The Significance of Epiphany Dreams in Ancient Greece

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Julie Laskaris

#### **JASMINE COUSINS**

The Evolution of Hysteria

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Julie Laskaris

#### **LILLIANNA IZO**

"They Used to Call Me Chaos": An Interpretation of Janus in Ovid's Fasti

FACULTY MENTOR: Julie Laskaris

1:30-2:30 P.M. ENGLISH HONORS

#### **JACK DEANGELIS**

Social Skepticism, Penetralia, and Hawthorne's Veiled Ethics

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Kevin Pelletier

#### **HUNTER MOYLER**

The Confederate Lost Cause in Literature and Film

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTOR: Abigail Cheever

#### **ROSINA D'ANGELO**

Analyzing Empathy in George Eliot's Novels

FACULTY MENTOR: Elisabeth Gruner

# 2:30-3:50 P.M. FICTION, AND TRANSLATION

#### **EMILIE KNUDSEN**

Tasting Hwaet

**FACULTY MENTOR:** David Stevens

#### JESSICA WINKLER

Storytelling to Live: Global Experiences of Truth and Reconciliation

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTOR: Bert Ashe

#### **KYRA BENFORTE**

Anilda Ibrahimi, Rosso Come Una Sposa: A Translation and Analysis

FACULTY MENTORS: Lidia Radi, Anthony Russell

#### **ALEXANDRA SMITH**

Racconti di Cristina Ali Farrah

FACULTY MENTORS: Lidia Radi, Anthony Russell

### 4:00-4:40 P.M. PHILOSOPHY

#### **KRISHNA LOHIYA**

Character, Responsibility, and Moral Obligation

FACULTY MENTOR: Nancy Schauber

#### **JULIAN SCOTT**

Forgiveness and Blame: Finding Compatible Accounts

FACULTY MENTOR: Nancy Schauber

All poster presentations will be held in the Alice Haynes Room of the Tyler Haynes Commons. To locate specific posters please consult room layout maps posted at the entrance.

#### TYLER HAYNES COMMONS, ALICE HAYNES ROOM

1:00-2:15 P.M.

#### FRANCY CABRERA PAZ, FAITH PINCKNEY

Induction of M2 Regulatory Macrophages Through Adrenergic Receptor Signaling in the RAW264.7 Macrophage Cell Line

FACULTY MENTOR: Krista Stenger

POSTER #1

#### **BRIANNA LEBECK**

Investigating the Impacts of Hurricanes on Marine Life

FACULTY MENTOR: Malcolm Hill

POSTER #2

#### **JAMAR WASHINGTON**

An Investigation into the Mechanism by which a Wave of F-actin Propagates through Mitochondria

FACULTY MENTORS: Omar Quintero. Erika Holzbaur

POSTER #3

#### **JARED DYKE**

Identifying Muscle-like Contractile Machinery in Sponges

FACULTY MENTOR: Omar Quintero

POSTER #4

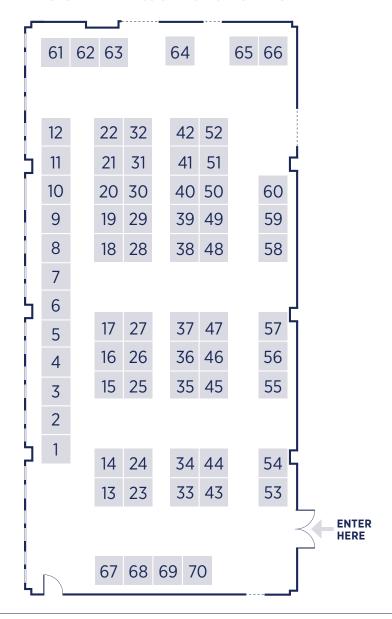
#### **WILLIAM LORD**

Tip60 Acetyltransferase in a Drosophila model of Spinocerebellar Ataxia Type 3

FACULTY MENTOR: John Warrick

#### POSTER PRESENTATION FLOORPLAN

ALL POSTER PRESENTATIONS WILL BE HELD IN THE ALICE HAYNES ROOM, ORGANIZED BY ASSIGNED SPACE NUMBERS.



1:00-2:15 P.M. continued

#### **SIWANTA THAPA**

The Influence of Tip60 on Axonal Blockages and Neuronal Dysfunction in a Drosophila Model of Machado-Joseph Disease

FACULTY MENTOR: John Warrick

POSTER #6

#### **JUSTINA CHOO**

Examining Aggregate Formation in Glial Cells of a Drosophila Model of Machado-Joseph Disease

**FACULTY MENTOR:** John Warrick

POSTER #7

#### **JONATHAN HUANG**

Retinoic Acid Receptor Function in Hindbrain and Spinal Cord Development

FACULTY MENTOR: Isaac Skromne

POSTER #8

#### **PRIZER BENJAMIN**

The Effect of Wnt Knockdown on Motor Neuron Development

FACULTY MENTOR: Isaac Skromne

POSTER #9

#### **VALERIE GALATI**

Regional and Interspecific Variation in Crown Feather Reflectance in Two Hybridizing Warblers

FACULTY MENTORS: Kristine Grayson, Lesley Bulluck

POSTER #10

#### **ASHLEY APPOLON**

Gypsy Moth Mortality and Performance at Increasing Temperatures Across the Invasion Front

FACULTY MENTORS: Kristine Grayson, Lily Thompson

#### **GRIFFIN MYERS**

Comparing Patterns of Activity in Different Tick Populations Across Virginia

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Jory Brinkerhoff

POSTER #12

#### WALKER BLACK, MOLLY MCCOY

Effect of Polysubstituted Pyrroles on Macrophage Activity

FACULTY MENTOR: Krista Stenger

POSTER #13

#### **JASMINE FENG, ANNA LEIGH WHITE**

Transcriptomic Analysis of CAD Cell Differentiation

FACULTY MENTOR: Omar Quintero

POSTER #14

#### **BARBARA FUJITA, NATALIE MELTON**

MYO19 Interacts Weakly with Miro-family GTPase on Mitochondrial Outer Membrane

FACULTY MENTOR: Omar Quintero

POSTER #15

#### **PETRA HAFKER**

The Effect of Geographic Region on Chill Coma Recovery Time in Lymantria dispar

FACULTY MENTORS: Lily Thompson, Kristine Grayson

POSTER #16

#### J. PARR MCQUEEN

A Two-Year Report of Nematode Communities under Jungle Chocolate Farms

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Amy Treonis

POSTER #17

#### **BRYLE BARRAMEDA, LESLY CORADO-SANTIAGO**

Detection of Bone Mineralization in Larvae and Adult Zebrafish Using Carbon Nanodots

FACULTY MENTOR: Isaac Skromne

POSTER #18

#### **BRIER CLOUGH**

Dorsal-Ventral Regulation of the Cdx4 Gene in Chicken Embryos

FACULTY MENTOR: Isaac Skromne

1:00-2:15 P.M. continued

#### **MARIA SEITZ**

Invertebrates of the Forest Floor in the James River Park System

FACULTY MENTOR: Kristine Grayson

POSTER #20

#### **ROBERT OSTROM**

Hymenopteran Biodiversity within Richmond City FACULTY MENTORS: Kristine Grayson, Art Evans POSTER #21

#### DANA ORIANA MORCILLO

Demographic Effects of a Major Hurricane in a Non-Human Primate Population FACULTY MENTOR: Raisa Hernández Pacheco

POSTER #22

#### STEPHEN OWEN, BERKE NURI, ABHISHECK SHILPARKAR

Mitigating Risk While Complying with Data Retention Laws

FACULTY MENTOR: Douglas Szajda

POSTER #23

#### **SINAN KIVANC**

Liver Allocation Algorithms

FACULTY MENTOR: Prateek Bhakta

POSTER #24

#### SHUZHI ZENG, AHMED AUNGWIN

Modeling the Role of Plasmids in Antibiotic Resistance

FACULTY MENTOR: Lester Caudill

POSTER #25

#### **MICHAEL WYATT**

Catastrophic Outlier Identification in Photometric Redshifts with Effective Probability Distributions

FACULTY MENTOR: Jack Singal

#### **SYED JIBRAN HAIDER**

Particle Creation in Electric Fields and Curved Spacetimes

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Jack Singal

POSTER #27

#### MICHAEL KITIMET

Halogen Bonding as a Mechanism for Aromatic and Non-aromatic Explosive Detection

FACULTY MENTOR: Carol Parish

POSTER #28

#### **JUSTIN AIRAS**

Investigating the Structure-Function of MYO19 FACULTY MENTORS: Carol Parish, Omar Quintero

POSTER #29

#### **TRAVIS TERRY**

Synthesis and Investigation of Transition Metal Complexes with Benzimidazole-Based Ligands for Electrochemical Reduction of Carbon Dioxide

**FACULTY MENTOR: Michael Norris** 

POSTER #30

#### **ZACHARY ORACHEFF**

Trimethylsilyl-trifluoromethanesulfonate Mediated Additions of Indoles to Aldehydes and Nitrones

FACULTY MENTOR: Wade Downey

POSTER #31

#### **GEORGES LECONTE**

Synthesis of 8-thio-2'-deoxyguanosine FACULTY MENTOR: Michelle Hamm

POSTER #32

#### **EBERARDO RAYMUNDO**

Modeling Sponge-Algae Symbiosis with Agent-Based Simulation

FACULTY MENTOR: Barry Lawson

POSTER #33

#### **MAXINE XIN**

Connectivity of Coloring Graphs
FACULTY MENTOR: Prateek Bhakta

1:00-2:15 P.M. continued

#### **RACHEL MORRIS, MILES CLIKEMAN**

Ineffective Sets and Region Crossing Change

FACULTY MENTOR: Heather Russell

POSTER #35

#### **YANG YANG**

Diffusion of Innovations: Adoption of New Strategy in Grid Networks

FACULTY MENTOR: Michael Kerckhove

POSTER #36

#### **EDWARD JANG, EMILIO DELTORO CALDERON**

Stochastic Chemical Reaction by Loop Closing Method

FACULTY MENTOR: Ovidiu Lipan

POSTER #37

#### **SALMIKA WAIREGI**

Spin-Flip Characterization of the Bergman Cyclization of the Hepta-1,6-diyne System

FACULTY MENTOR: Carol Parish

POSTER #38

#### **MIKAELA ROSEN**

Characterization of the Isofunctional Clusters of Arsenate Reductase Proteins using Molecular Dynamics

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Carol Parish

POSTER #39

#### **KEVIN KIM**

In Situ Silyl Ketene Acetal Formation-substitution Reactions of N-acetyloxazolidinone

FACULTY MENTOR: Wade Downey

POSTER #40

#### **SAMUEL BOTTUM**

Aldol Condensations and Nitrile Aldol Reactions Promoted by Trimethylsilyl Trifluoromethanesulfonate

FACULTY MENTOR: Wade Downey

#### **NATHAN DINH**

Sintering-Induced Nucleation and Growth of Noble Metal Nanoparticles for Plasmonic Resonance Ceramic Color

FACULTY MENTORS: Ryan Coppage, Michael Leopold

POSTER #42

#### **AALOK SATHE, ALEE BONHAM**

Investigating the Time Course of Word Reading

FACULTY MENTOR: Cindy Bukach

POSTER #43

#### **GLENN ROSE**

Individual Differences in Attractiveness Perception Predict Social Inferences,

but not All Altruistic Desires

FACULTY MENTORS: Edwin Burns, Cindy Bukach

POSTER #44

#### **TIMOTHY WING**

The Relationship Between Suspense & Advertisment: Responses to Tension-Inducing Stimuli

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Kristjen Lundberg

POSTER #45

#### **ALLY MARRINAN**

The Changes in Perceptions of Heroes Over Time

FACULTY MENTOR: Scott Allison

POSTER #46

#### SMARAGDA SPYROU, ALEXA M. BERTRAND

Cultural Differences in Perception of Heroes: Greece, India, and the US

**FACULTY MENTOR: Scott Allison** 

POSTER #47

#### **ARRMAN KYAW**

Richmond and Recovery

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Thomas Mullen

POSTER #48

#### TANA KUPTANON

Image and Propaganda in "Soviet Life" Magazine

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Yvonne Howell

1:00-2:15 P.M. continued

#### **CATHERINE DONOVAN**

Why there is no #MoiAussi: Translating the French #MeToo

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Olivier Delers

POSTER #50

#### **NIA CAMBRIDGE**

Mapping Vulnerability of Island Communities to Climate Change and Globalization: A Case Study of Ragged Island, Bahamas

FACULTY MENTOR: David Salisbury

POSTER #51

#### **RONG BAO**

Mapping Green Philanthropy and Sustainable Development: A Case Study of the Ford Foundation, 1952-2004

FACULTY MENTORS: David Salisbury, Timothy Barney

POSTER #52

#### GRACE LYNCH, GIBRAN MERCHANT, ROSIE ARMSTRONG, MAYA WRIGHT

Parental Mental Health and Parenting Practices

FACULTY MENTOR: Lisa Jobe-Shields

POSTER #53

#### PEIZHI LI, OLIVIA HARDING, XIAODI HU

Teaching Rats to Drive: A Novel Method for Spatial Navigation Research in Rats

FACULTY MENTOR: Elizabeth Crawford

POSTER #54

#### **MEGAN WIRTZ**

Further Examining the Relationship between Social Class and Empathic Accuracy

FACULTY MENTOR: Kristjen Lundberg

#### **DOMINIQUE HARRINGTON**

But I'm Not Racist...Am I?: Implicit Bias and Confronting Prejudice at the Individual and Systemic Levels

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Kristjen Lundberg

POSTER #56

#### **SARA CLOONAN**

"It's part of my responsibility to help": Developing a Measure of Motivations

for Extrinsic Emotion Regulation

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Kristjen Lundberg

POSTER #57

#### **MEGHANN LEWIS**

Barriers to Minority Access to Healthcare in Central and Eastern Europe and Latin America

FACULTY MENTOR: Aleksandra Sznajder Lee

POSTER #58

#### **JIEYI DING**

Leadership and Intergroup Relations

**Contested Spaces** 

**FACULTY MENTOR:** George Goethals

POSTER #59

#### **BENEDICT ROEMER**

Self-interest versus Social-interest Policy Framing: The Case of Inter-district School Choice

FACULTY MENTOR: Allison Archer

POSTER #60

#### **NATHAN BURNS**

Contesting Voices: The Issue of Incorporating Outside Sources into an Argument

Contested Spaces

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Joe Essid

POSTER #61

#### **CLAIRE NOPPENBERGER**

An Ultrasound of Womxn's Reproductive Health Rhetorics

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTOR: MariLee Mifsud

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#### NIHAL SRIRAMANENI, NATALIE GILLISSE, KENDRA O'CONNOR

Our Ideal School

FACULTY MENTOR: Elisabeth Gruner

POSTER #63

#### MAGGIE CASTELLI, EMMA HOHOLIK, MOLLY KRULAK, JOHN CRUZ

From the Actual to the Theoretical: How We Can Improve American Education

FACULTY MENTOR: Elisabeth Gruner

POSTER #64

#### CASEY MURANO, KAREN FLEMING, EDWARD JANG, RACHEL PERRY

Education in Fiction and Fact Capstone Project: Making School Cool

FACULTY MENTOR: Elisabeth Gruner

POSTER #65

#### **KATHERINE MURBACH**

Partners in the Arts: Arts Integrated Education

**FACULTY MENTOR: Mavis Brown** 

POSTER #66

#### **LIZ MINDER**

Can We Light "Green" and Still Create Art? Stage Four

FACULTY MENTOR: Maja White

POSTER #67

#### **EMILY LIMONCELLI**

Motional

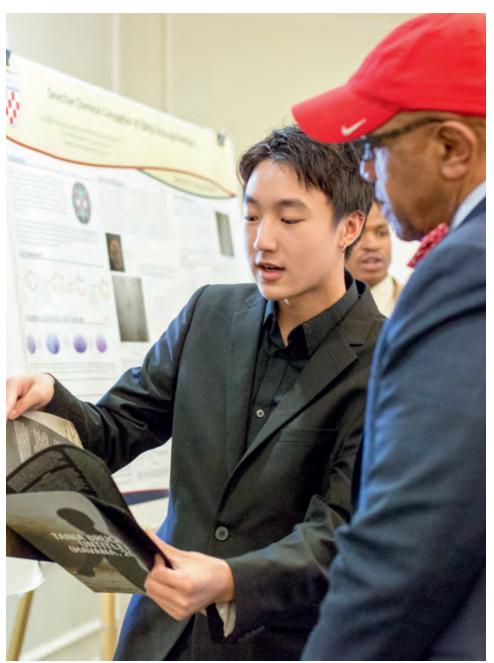
FACULTY MENTOR: Anne Van Gelder

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#### **LAUREN LAMBERT**

Eudaimonia: Creative Process and Performance

FACULTY MENTOR: Anne Van Gelder



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#### **MADISON ERNSTES**

Coalesce

FACULTY MENTORS: Alicia Diaz, Anne Van Gelder

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#### TYLER HAYNES COMMONS, ALICE HAYNES ROOM

2:15-3:30 P.M.

#### MAKAYLA CALLENDER, JACOB AIRAS, CHARLES MILLER, LAUREN STENSON

HIV: A Global Pandemic

FACULTY MENTORS: Shannon Jones, Kristine Nolin

POSTER #1

#### **BRENDA LIM**

Investigating the Cytotoxic Effects of Electronic Cigarettes with Varying Flavor Profiles

**FACULTY MENTOR: Shannon Jones** 

POSTER #2

#### **BAILEY PARSONS**

Analysis of the Effect of Epigallocatechin-3-gallate (EGCG) on Particulate

Matter-induced Immune Activation.

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Shannon Jones

POSTER #3

#### **MELISSA PERADO LEWIS**

Anti-Inflammatory Properties of Curcumin

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Shannon Jones

POSTER #4

#### **GEORGE QIAO**

Pro-Inflammatory Effects of Wood Smoke

**FACULTY MENTOR: Shannon Jones** 

#### **GABBIE BURNHAM**

The Effects of E-Liquids in Various Nicotine Concentrations on Cytokine Excretion, Gene Expression

FACULTY MENTOR: Shannon Jones

POSTER #6

#### SAVANNAH DEL CID, JAJSANI ROANE

Investigating the Applications of VirA as a Component of a Biosynthetic Defense System

**FACULTY MENTOR: Brian Pierce** 

POSTER #7

#### **KATRINA KUHN**

CRISPRi Knockdown of dnaK Expression in Sodalis glossinidius

FACULTY MENTOR: Laura Runyen-Janecky

POSTER #8

#### **KATIE WALL**

Characterizing the Sodalis glossinidius uspA Gene Through Expression in Escherichia coli

FACULTY MENTOR: Laura Runyen-Janecky

POSTER #9

#### **MCKENZIE MURVIN**

Methylation of Ded1 Affects Its Role in Translation

FACULTY MENTOR: Angie Hilliker

POSTER #10

#### HAILEY CONNOLLY

The Effects of Ded1 Methylation on mRNA Storage

FACULTY MENTOR: Angie Hilliker

POSTER #11

#### NINA VANATTA, ANDRÉ SHANNON, KEVIN KRUGE, BROOKLYN GRIFFIN

Interstellar Communication and the New Arecibo Message

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Amy Treonis

POSTER #12

#### CHANDLER, BARRETT, EMILY BREW, MICHELLE DEVLIN

An Investigation into the Pathogenesis and Treatment of HIV

FACULTY MENTORS: Shannon Jones, Kristine Nolin

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#### LORETO MALINOWSKI, CARMEN LIN, JEARICE BLACK

The Effect of HIV and its Scientific History

FACULTY MENTORS: Shannon Jones, Kristine Nolin

POSTER #14

#### **JULIAN STARKS, ELLE JACKSON, RASHEL AMADOR**

The Progression of Human Immunodeficiency Virus FACULTY MENTORS: Shannon Jones, Kristine Nolin POSTER #15

#### DIAMOND WALKER

The Effect of E Cigarettes on The Immune System FACULTY MENTOR: Shannon Jones

POSTER #16

#### AIDAN MURPHY, NICOLE WALKER, PETER PLOTAS, SABRINA MCCARRON

Rhizobium Radiobacter: Evaluating Virulence under Biofilm versus Planktonic Conditions

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Brian Pierce

POSTER #17

#### MAJD ABOUL HOSN, CAROLINA MONTOYA, ADDISON SWACKHAMMER

The Creation of a Phenol and Sugar Sensing Bacteria

FACULTY MENTOR: Brian Pierce

POSTER #18

#### **ABRA GRANGER**

Energetics of the Maleimide-based Acyclic Enediyne

FACULTY MENTOR: Carol Parish

POSTER #19

#### **KIANA GUNN**

Investigations of Selective Estrogen Receptor Modulators in Lung Cancer

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Julie Pollock

#### **PEACE NYECHE**

Transformation, Expression, Purification, and Characterization of  $Q\beta$ 

FACULTY MENTORS: Julie Pollock, Kristine Nolin

POSTER #21

#### YUCHEN XIE, TEJA KINNEY, YASHWI JAIN

Are We Alone? The Historical Journey of the Search for Alien Intelligence

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Amy Treonis

POSTER #22

# SARENNA ENRIGHT, BRIANNA CHARLTON, CATHERINE BAYAS, ALEJANDRO VILLALPANDO

The Progression of HIV

FACULTY MENTORS: Shannon Jones, Kristine Nolin

POSTER #23

#### **ABDUL QADEER REHAN**

Optical Properties of AlAu Alloyed and Intermetallic Thin Films

FACULTY MENTOR: Mariama Rebello de Sousa Dias

POSTER #24

#### **MIMI TRAN, GARRETT LANG**

The Effect of Collector Plates on the Modulus and Molecular Orientation

of Electrospun PEO Nanofibers

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Christine Helms

POSTER #25

#### **LILLIE MUCHA**

Neural Networks for Image Classification

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Lewis Barnett

POSTER #26

#### **HAMMAD HASSAN**

Adversarial Training

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Lewis Barnett

POSTER #27

#### **ELIZABETH HEAFNER, IVY ZHONG**

Alkylation of Ketones and Thioesters with Propargyl and Allyl Carboxylates

FACULTY MENTOR: Wade Downey

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#### **DANI SKLAR**

Alkylation-cyclization-aromatization Reactions of Ketones with (3-silyl)propargyl carboxylates to Yield 2-methylfurans

FACULTY MENTOR: Wade Downey

POSTER #29

#### **ANISHA PATEL**

Structural Preferences of Beryllium and Magnesium Dihalides

FACULTY MENTOR: Kelling Donald

POSTER #30

#### **ULRICK GAILLARD**

Structural Preferences of Group 2 Dihalide Clusters (cases of Ba and Sr)

FACULTY MENTOR: Kelling Donald

POSTER #31

#### **TUAN LE**

Finding Low Energy Isomers of Water - Sulfuric Acid Clusters Using Genetic Algorithm

FACULTY MENTOR: Samuel Abrash

POSTER #32

#### **EMILY CHURCHILL**

Voices of Conquest: The Fall of Nasrid Granada

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTOR: Aurora Hermida Ruiz

POSTER #33

#### **ALESSANDRO MANUEL SERRANO**

Fabrication of Neodymium Acetate Oxide Thin Films through Spin Coating Method

FACULTY MENTOR: Mariama Rebello de Sousa Dias

POSTER #34

#### **AAQIL ZAKARYA**

Group Flocking in Partially Known Environments

FACULTY MENTOR: Jory Denny

#### **BASIL ARAFAT**

Implementing Neural Networks as a Sampling Technique in the Motion Planning Problem

FACULTY MENTOR: Jory Denny

POSTER #36

#### **KEVIN JOHN ULEP**

Quantum Mechanics Study of Polyaromatic Diradical Formation through Domino Cyclization

FACULTY MENTOR: Carol Parish

POSTER #37

#### **YESIRETH SOLIS**

Understanding the Molecular Dynamics of the HIV-1 Protease

FACULTY MENTOR: Carol Parish

POSTER #38

#### **KARI FLICKER**

Reactions between Acetonitrile and Nitrones

FACULTY MENTOR: Wade Downey

POSTER #39

#### **GABRIEL STEWART**

Investigations into the Nature of Bonding Group 5 OxyHalides: Sigma-Hole

Interactions or Charge Transfer?
FACULTY MENTOR: Kelling Donald

POSTER #40

#### **SUPREETH PRASAD**

Investigations into  $\sigma$ -hole Interactions and Consequences for Structure

FACULTY MENTOR: Kelling Donald

POSTER #41

#### **KELLEY LEE**

Finding Low Energy Isomers of Sulfate - Water Clusters Using

Computational Model Chemistry

FACULTY MENTOR: Samuel Abrash

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#### **CHRISTIAN DAIGLE**

One Third of a Nation: Housing Crisis in Depression America, Hold the Immigrants

FACULTY MENTOR: Laura Browder

POSTER #43

#### **MEGAN MCLAUGHLIN, SHANNON MCEVOY**

Attitudes Towards Transplants

FACULTY MENTOR: Camilla Nonterah

POSTER #44

#### KACY WORKMAN, SYDNEY GARDNER, ALYSSA ROMANO, JEAN GONZALES

Evidence Based Practices in Child Welfare: Stakeholder Perceptions to Inform the

Implementation of the Family First Prevention and Services Act

FACULTY MENTOR: Lisa Jobe-Shields

POSTER #45

#### **EMILY KAMINSKY**

Parent-Child Interaction Therapy in Early Childhood Physical Abuse: Relation

to Internalizing Symptoms

FACULTY MENTOR: Lisa Jobe-Shields

POSTER #46

#### **EMILY BRAUNEWELL, BRADLEY FISCHER**

Moral Injury in Incarcerated Individuals FACULTY MENTOR: Lisa Jobe-Shields

POSTER #47

#### BETH COOPER, PETER KADE, MALLORY HASKINS

Don't Worry, Be Happy: Insights into Longevity

FACULTY MENTOR: Jane Berry

#### **HANNAH WOLFE**

The "Neglecting Negativity" Effect: How Emotional Valence of Words and Gaze Patterns During Encoding Impact Recognition Ability for Younger and Older Adults

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Jane Berry

POSTER #49

#### **SHARON SHIN, ALLISON CHOE**

An Investigation of Long-term Enriched Environment Exposure on Neurobehavioral Responses in Female Long-Evans Rats

FACULTY MENTORS: Kelly Lambert, Molly Kent

POSTER #50

#### **DMITRY KOVALEV, BEN HART**

Coping Styles and Psychological Loss: A Rodent Model for the Preclinical Investigation of Depression-like Symptoms

FACULTY MENTORS: Kelly Lambert, Molly Kent

POSTER #51

#### KATHERINE GILLENWATER, KELLY BREAKALL, SALLY WATANABE

Living the High Life: Investigating the Effects of Rat-Loft Enriched Environments on the Wellbeing and Emotional Resilience of Female Long-Evans Rats

FACULTY MENTOR: Kelly Lambert

POSTER #52

#### MARIAH CHARLTON, LUCA O'BRIEN, HEATHER GARDINER, MIA CASTAGNERO

Effects of Social Support on Treatment Adherence in Depressed Transplant Patients

FACULTY MENTOR: Camilla Nonterah

POSTER #54

#### SYDNEY WEISKOPF, MINRU ZHAO

Psychological Well-being of Patients with CKD

FACULTY MENTOR: Camilla Nonterah

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#### **MADELINE WARD**

Does Social Competence Buffer Depression's Effects on Children's Peer Relationships?

FACULTY MENTOR: Karen Kochel

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#### **LAUREN LAMBERT**

Longitudinal Associations between Children's Self-worth, Perceived Control, and Peer Victimization Experiences

FACULTY MENTOR: Karen Kochel

POSTER #57

#### **JACOB ROBERSON**

Promoting Positive Interracial Interactions: An Experimental Intervention

Contested Spaces

FACULTY MENTOR: Crystal Hoyt

POSTER #58

#### **NICK NATALE**

An Investigation of Stress Responsivity and Neurobiological Effects of Probiotic-Supplemented Diets in Acutely Stressed Male Long-Evans Rats

FACULTY MENTORS: Kelly Lambert, Molly Kent

POSTER #59

#### DANIELLE LESERVE, CLARK GLORY, KELLY BREAKALL, ELI MEISEL

Driving Neurobiological Explorations: Preliminary Investigations of Biobehavioral Effects of Passive and Active Transportation on Emotional Resilience in Rattus norvegicus.

FACULTY MENTORS: Kelly Lambert, Molly Kent

POSTER #60

#### KIRA BARTNICK, ELIZ AKIN, ALEE BONHAM

Individual Differences in Neural Activity as Measured by the P300 Component

FACULTY MENTOR: Cindy Bukach

POSTER #63

#### CHRISTOPHER COTTER, CALLIE CINQUE, JANE SONG, KENDALL STEWART

Examining the Impact of Trauma and Post Traumatic Stress Disorder on Neural Measures of Vigilance

FACULTY MENTOR: Cindy Bukach

#### CALLIE CINQUE, OLIVIA STIBOLT, KENDALL STEWART, ELIJAH MEISEL

Investigating How the Removal of External Facial Features

Affects Other-race Processing

FACULTY MENTOR: Cindy Bukach

POSTER #65

#### **PASCALINE MUNEZERO, OLIVIA STIBOLT**

A Quick Read: Affective Empathy Reduces the Time to Recognize Identity in Video Morphs

FACULTY MENTOR: Cindy Bukach

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# BETTY DUAN, CATERINA ERDAS, MAX WALLACH, GRACE AHN, JENIFER YI, KESHAV JHA, MARCUS FREITAG

Something Smells Fishy: Fish Mislabeling in Richmond

FACULTY MENTOR: Carrie Wu

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# ASHTON WILLIS, NADIA IQBAL, HALEY HOM, ANTONIA KEMPE, ETHAN ROSS, STEFAN JENSS

Something's Fishy

FACULTY MENTOR: Carrie Wu

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#### **LILLIANNA IZO**

Site Cataloging for the Hacimusalar Project, Summer 2018

FACULTY MENTOR: Elizabeth Baughan

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#### **JESSIE BONILLA**

Holding On

FACULTY MENTOR: Kristin Bezio



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#### **RHIANNON EDWARDS**

Paeonol as an Anti-Inflammatory Treatment for Wood-Smoke Induce Lung Inflammation

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Shannon Jones

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#### **DOWHA KARAR**

Investigating Anti-Inflammatory Effects of Capsaicin in Woodsmoke and

Acrolein Induced Inflammation

FACULTY MENTOR: Shannon Jones

POSTER #2

#### **MELANIE CERRON**

How E-Cigarettes Affects Macrophages FACULTY MENTOR: Shannon Jones

POSTER #3

#### **FIONA CARTER-TOD**

Potential Nutritional Supplements to Combat the Inflammatory Effects of Woodsmoke and What This Could Mean for Developing Countries

**FACULTY MENTOR: Shannon Jones** 

POSTER #4

#### **DAJANAE BIVENS**

The Effect of Sulforaphane on Wood Smoke and Acrolein Induced Inflammation

**FACULTY MENTOR: Shannon Jones** 

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#### **SHANA BELLAMY**

The Effect of E-Cigarretes on RAW 264.7 Macrophages

**FACULTY MENTOR: Shannon Jones** 

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#### **MICHAEL PITTMAN**

Genetic Variants Identified in Ebstein's Anomaly Using Bioinformatic Analysis and Tools

FACULTY MENTOR: Denise Kay

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#### SAMUEL ZIELINSKI

Investigations in the Mutagenic Potential of 8-oxo-2'-deoxyguanosine with Human Bypass Polymerases

FACULTY MENTOR: Michelle Hamm

POSTER #8

#### **CHRISTINE ANCAJAS**

Quantum Studies of Important Diradical Species

FACULTY MENTOR: Carol Parish

POSTER #9

#### **MALIK BELL**

Low Energy Intermediate Donor Acceptor Cyclopropane Investigation

FACULTY MENTOR: Carol Parish

POSTER #10

#### **HUNTER EVANS**

Molecular Dynamics of MEMO1: Peptide and Ligand Binding and Analysis

FACULTY MENTORS: Carol Parish, Julie Pollock

POSTER #11

#### **EVAN CLARK, MATT MAHONEY, KRISTEN ELOFSON, JULIA SIEWERT**

Application of 3-Chloroenals to the Synthesis of 2-Arylquinolones

**FACULTY MENTOR:** John Gupton

POSTER #12

#### JANE CLELAND, ELIZABETH LOPEZ-LOPEZ

Genetics and Mating System of Invasive Wavyleaf Basketgrass

(Oplismenus undulatifolius)

FACULTY MENTOR: Carrie Wu

POSTER #13

#### **SOFIA BUSTAMANTE EGUIGUREN**

Characterizing Glandular Trichome Morphology and Secondary Chemistry in Mimulus

FACULTY MENTORS: Carrie Wu, Kristine Nolin

#### SHANNON LAUGHLIN, RITWIKA BOSE

External Modification and Characterization of a Virus-Like Particle

FACULTY MENTORS: Julie Pollock, Kristine Nolin

POSTER #15

#### JOSEPH MCEACHON

Characterization of Boronic Ester Pro-drug

FACULTY MENTOR: Julie Pollock

POSTER #16

#### STEPHANIE ELMALEH, SARA CAMILLI, MADDIE DELBEAU, CASSIE MARTIN

Development of a Model System to Study Sponge: Algal Symbiosis

**FACULTY MENTOR:** April Hill

POSTER #17

#### **ANTHONY ISENHOUR, HANNAH FULOP**

Investigating Conditional Mutants of Mtr4: An RNA Helicase Associated

with the Nuclear Exosome

FACULTY MENTOR: Angie Hilliker

POSTER #18

#### **JENNIFER PICIW**

Identification of DED1 Suppressors Using Genomic Sequencing

FACULTY MENTOR: Angie Hilliker

POSTER #19

#### **ELISE TATE**

Characterizing the C-Terminal 42 Residues of the Amyloid Precursor Protein

FACULTY MENTOR: Carol Parish

POSTER #20

#### **SURAJ BALA**

Mutation of the Qb Virus-Like Particle

FACULTY MENTORS: Kristine Nolin, Julie Pollock

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#### KRISTEN STARKS, KATARINA ACOSTA, A'KAYLA WILLIAMS, RICH DIEP

Investigating HIV Pathogenesis

FACULTY MENTORS: Kristine Nolin, Shannon Jones

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#### **KRISTOP ROSARIO**

Rapture, Blister, Burn: Sound and Properties Design, and Curation

FACULTY MENTORS: Maja White, Andy Mudd

POSTER #23

#### **LIZ MINDER**

Production Studies III: Lighting Design and Stage Management for Rapture, Blister, Burn

FACULTY MENTORS: Maja White, Walter Schoen

POSTER #24

#### JONATHAN RODRIGUEZ, PALMER ROBINS, SOPHIE BORCHART

Towards Simulating Emergency Scenarios Through Multi-Agent Systems

FACULTY MENTOR: Jory Denny

POSTER #25

#### **HANGLIN ZHOU**

Bézier Curve Local Planner
FACULTY MENTOR: Jory Denny

POSTER #26

#### MICHAEL BONIFONTE

Transfer Learning In Convolutional Neural Networks

FACULTY MENTOR: Lewis Barnett

POSTER #27

#### **YUHE ZHU**

Analysis of the Influence of Different Alignment Methods In Face

Recognition System Using Deep Learning

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Lewis Barnett

POSTER #28

#### **ISAIAH DUPLESSIS**

Study of Proazaphosphatrane Ligands and Their Complexes

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Miles Johnson

#### **HILARY DJOMNANG FOKWA, SOPHIE WEINBERG**

Synthesis of N-Phosphino-2-(phosphino)pyrrole Ligands for Catalysis

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Miles Johnson

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#### **SARAH SHEN**

Synthesis of Boronate Ester Derivates of Triphenylphosphine

**FACULTY MENTOR: Miles Johnson** 

POSTER #31

#### **CARLOS PEREZ MANDRY, MARIA FLORENTIN CORVALAN**

A Flow Chemistry Implementation of the "Gupton Vinylogous Amide Chemistry" for High-yield, Regiospecific Synthesis of Unsymmetrical Polysubstituted Pyrroles

FACULTY MENTORS: Emma Goldman, Raymond Dominey

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#### **BAILEY DAIGLE**

Director for Production Studies III Showcase: Rapture, Blister, Burn

FACULTY MENTOR: Walter Schoen

POSTER #33

#### **EMILIE KNUDSEN**

The Scenic Design of Rapture, Blister, Burn

FACULTY MENTORS: Josafath Reynoso, Maja White

POSTER #34

#### **SOFIA NICOLET**

Curating an Exhibition

FACULTY MENTORS: Richard Waller, Elizabeth Schaltter

POSTER #35

#### **FINNEGAN HU**

Estimation of Human Judgement Ranking Error in Ranked Set Sampling

FACULTY MENTOR: Paul Kvam

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#### **DIKSHA KATARIA, ALAMBY HE**

Understanding Gerrymandering and Voter Distribution

FACULTY MENTOR: Paul Kvam

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#### **CONNOR MOONEY**

Polychromatic Map Reconstruction Using Telescopes with Asymmetric Antenna Patterns

FACULTY MENTOR: Emory Bunn

POSTER #38

#### **ERIC GOETZ**

Using 3-Dimensional Fast Fourier Transforms to Simulate Cosmic Microwave Background Maps on a Spherical Cap
FACULTY MENTOR: Emory Bunn

POSTER #39

#### **JOHN CAVALIERE, ALLISON SINICKI**

Novel Reactions of Benzynes with Oximes

FACULTY MENTORS: Raymond Dominey, Emma Goldman

POSTER #40

#### **JOANN CHONGSARITSINSUK**

Synthesis of Small Molecule Modulators of the MEMO1 Protein-protein Interface

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Julie Pollock

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#### **COURTNEY LABRECQUE, CASSIDY HILTON**

Identification of Modulators of the MEMO1 Protein-protein Interface

FACULTY MENTOR: Julie Pollock

POSTER #42

#### **ALEXIS HILLS**

Resistance to Removal: the 1806 Migratory Evasion of Free African American Populations

FACULTY MENTOR: Samantha Seeley

POSTER #43

#### **CHARLOTTE STONE**

Rhetoric and Equity: A Study of Richmond and Restorative Justice through Food

FACULTY MENTOR: Mari Lee Mifsud

#### **LAUREN SCHEFFEY**

Kenyan Settlement Schemes: Capturing the Data

FACULTY MENTORS: Sandra Joireman, Kimberley Browne

POSTER #45

#### **MEG CARROLL**

Kenyan Settlement Schemes: History and Use in Kenya FACULTY MENTORS: Sandra Joireman, Kimberley Browne POSTER #46

#### **GRIFFIN WALSH**

Kenyan Settlement Schemes: Using and Sharing the Data FACULTY MENTORS: Sandra Joireman, Kimberley Browne POSTER #47

#### **BILAL HINDI, KATHERINE GILLENWATER, ALLISON CHOE**

Effects of Lead Poisoning on Neural Cell Count, Cognitive Functioning and Behavioral Responses in Long-Evans Rats.

FACULTY MENTORS: Kelly Lambert, Molly Kent

POSTER #48

#### **BILAL HINDI, PETER SANTORE**

Feeding the Mind: The Effects of Probiotics and the Gut-Brain Axis on Immune and Bio-Behavioral Threats in Male Long-Evans.

FACULTY MENTORS: Kelly Lambert, Molly Kent

POSTER #49

#### **LAUREN COSTELLO**

Associations Between Children's Gender Atypical Behavior and Peer Relationships FACULTY MENTOR: Karen Kochel

POSTER #50

#### **TYLER ANDERSON**

The Utility of Teacher Reports of Children's Psychological Symptoms

FACULTY MENTOR: Karen Kochel

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#### **JACK DRAK, NICK NATALE, ANNIE LAI**

Behind the Mask: Neurobiological Investigations of the Raccoon (Procyon Lotor)

FACULTY MENTORS: Kelly Lambert, Molly Kent

POSTER #52

#### **SAVANNAH ETZLER**

The Southern Gothic in Virginia's Blue Ridge Mountains

FACULTY MENTOR: Samantha Seeley

POSTER #53

#### **ABBY MUTHONI**

Understanding Discrimination/Racism in the Makeup Industry

FACULTY MENTOR: Ladelle McWhorter

POSTER #54

#### THALIA VIRANDA, PASCALINE MUNEZERO

How Do Sense of Autonomy and Rewards Affect Self-Regulation?

FACULTY MENTORS: Cindy Bukach, Laura Knouse

POSTER #55

#### SAMANTHA PUGLIESE, ANNA MARTSON, LILLIE CREDLE

Parental Stress Related Growth: Associations with Parenting and Child Behavior

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Lisa Jobe-Shields

POSTER #56

#### **SUSIE SHEPARDSON**

Associative Memory Study FACULTY MENTOR: Jane Berry

POSTER #57

#### **JACLYN OPIE, EMILY KAMINSKY, GWYNNA RYAN**

Effects of Lexical Predictability and Syntactic Structure on Fixation

Times During Reading

FACULTY MENTOR: Matthew Lowder

#### **REBECCA PASCH**

Teaching People with Autism Spectrum Disorder to Drive: Description of a Simulator Method

FACULTY MENTOR: Laura Knouse

POSTER #59

#### STEPHANIE DESINOR, KATIE SCIANDRA, GABBY BOWEN

Neurobiological Influences in Early Development: Impact of Restricted Resources on Social, Emotional and Cognitive Responses in Male and Female Long-Evans Rats

FACULTY MENTORS: Kelly Lambert, Molly Kent

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#### **JAROD COHEN, TRAVIS FOSTER, HAOWEI CUI**

SETI@home: Searching for Extraterrestrial Life Through Crowd Computing. FACULTY MENTOR: Amy Treonis

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#### MIROSLAVA MARTINEZ, JISU SONG, TAYLOR GRINDLE

From Hollywood to NASA: An Analysis of Extraterrestrial Encounter

**FACULTY MENTOR:** Amy Treonis

POSTER #63

# MIRANDA THOMPSON, THALIA VIRANDA, ROSS ABRASH, NATALIE SZUMEL, VIDHI PATEL, LEAH MAIS

Perception Versus Reality: Changes in Study Habits Across a Semester

FACULTY MENTOR: Laura Knouse

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#### ROSS ABRASH, MIRANDA THOMPSON, LEAH MAIS

Aging, Functionality and ADHD FACULTY MENTOR: Laura Knouse

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#### **VIDHI PATEL, NATALIE SZUMEL, LEAH MAIS**

ADHD and Mindsets: the Impact of Implicit Theories

FACULTY MENTOR: Laura Knouse

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# BETTY DUAN, CATERINA ERDAS, MAX WALLACH, GRACE AHN, JENIFER YI, KESHAV JHA, MARCUS FREITAG

Something Smells Fishy: Fish Mislabeling in Richmond

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