



The Honors College Undergraduate Research Day

December 8, 2017

Session I : 1:15-2:15 pm



LSC - AC 148

Judges: Prof. Steve Davis and Prof. Kelley Revuelto

Suffering Artist: Challenging the Stigma of Mental Illness Through Art

Rose Culver • Faculty: Prof. Mari Omori

Women in Pornography: Focusing on the Abuse and Objectification of Women in the Industry

Elizabeth Mathews • Faculty: Prof. Darlene Beaman

Party Affiliation and the Great Recession: How U.S. States Have Recovered

Monica Argumedo Rendon • Faculty: Prof. Shuang Xu



LSC - AC 150

Judges: Prof. Paul Blakelock and Mikha Mitchell

How Social Factors Impact Median Income Across Various U.S. Cities: A Multiple Regression Analysis

Natalee Bachant • Faculty: Prof. Shuang Xu

A Search for Geometric Intuition: Explanation of the Vector Cross Product in Terms of the Exterior Product

William Clampitt • Faculty: Prof. Loris Zucca

A Clash of Ideologies: Inconsistencies Between Alexander Hamilton and Adam Smith's Bank System

Erick Platero • Faculty: Prof. Stephanie Kelly



LSC - AC 151

Judges: Prof. John Barr and Judith Watson

Langston Hughes: The Voice of Harlem

Zoe Simmons • Faculty: Prof. Darlene Beaman

Undermining Uniformity: How Diversity Formed a Nation

Caleb Ford • Faculty: Prof. Stephanie Kelly

The Largest Environmental Issue You've Never Heard Of: Controversy in Bristol Bay, Alaska

Alison Vasterling • Faculty: Prof. Darlene Beaman

Session II : 2:30 - 3:30 pm



LSC - AC 148

Judges: Prof. Steve Davis and Prof. Kelley Revuelto

The Psychology of Standardized Testing

Audrey Owens • Faculty: Prof. Darlene Beaman

Color Blindness: An Undisclosed Issue in Texas Educational Institutions

Stephania Naranjo • Faculty: Prof. Stephanie Kelly

Future of American Safety

Kota Nagase • Faculty: Prof. Alicja Jac-Kucharski



LSC - AC 150

Judges: Prof. Paul Blakelock and Mikha Mitchell

The Cost of Chicken

Sarah Porter • Faculty: Prof. Shaung Xu

The Psychological Effects of Violent Video Games on Teenagers

Aleksandra Mulla • Faculty: Prof. Darlene Beaman

Artificial Insemination: The Relationship between A1, Venereal Diseases, and Conception Rates

Emily Bermudez • Faculty: Prof. Darlene Beaman



LSC - AC 151

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Contributing Factors to Delivery Charges

Danielle Stringfellow • Faculty: Shuang Xu

A Controversial Ruling: The Slaughterhouse Cases

Melanie Quijano • Faculty: Prof. Stephanie Kelly

Art and Activism: The Rhetoric of Zoot Suit

Emily Slater • Faculty: Prof. Icess Fernandez

Animal Welfare Act: A Proposal for a Change in Policy

Amy Palacios • Faculty: Prof. Alicja Jac-Kucharski