

# 2017 ULM Student Research Symposium

## ORAL PRESENTATION LIST

### College of Arts, Education and Sciences

*School of Humanities, Undergraduate Oral Presentations*  
*Tuesday, April 11, Library, Room 106, 9:00 am – 10:00 am*

#### *Christianity Across Cultural Forms*

1. **Matthew Townsend**, History, *The Gospel of Thomas and the Synoptic Sayings Source Q*, Faculty Mentor: Dr. Roger Carpenter
2. **Adam Blackburn**, English, *An Examination of American Christian Denominations and their Positions on Climate Change*, Faculty Mentor: Dr. Jana Giles
3. **Xin You Chen**, Communication, *Michelangelo's Touch*, Faculty Mentor: Dr. Lesli Pace

*School of Humanities, Undergraduate Oral Presentations*  
*Tuesday, April 11, Library, Room 106, 10:00 am – 10:45 am*

#### *Queering the Text*

1. **Lee Cooper Doyle**, English, *Miracle on Ice: Radical Normalcy and Unremarkable Queerness in Yuri on Ice*, Faculty Mentor: Dr. Will Rogers
2. **Kimberly Doughty**, English, *Unleash His Inner Monster: Victor Frankenstein's 'Filthy Creation'*, Faculty Mentor: Dr. Jana Giles

*School of Humanities, Undergraduate Oral Presentations*  
*Tuesday, April 11, Library, Room 106, 10:45 am – 11:45 am*

#### *Women Around the Globe*

1. **Rachel Quimby**, English, *The Perils of Being a Trophy Wife in an Ibsen Play*, Faculty Mentor: Dr. Janet Haedicke
2. **Taylor Wollerson**, English, *Challenging Blanche: Female Gender Constructs in A Streetcar Named Desire*, Faculty Mentor: Dr. Janet Haedicke
3. **Carrie Williamson**, English, *Desexing Women: The Erasure of Gender Identity in Mao's China*, Faculty Mentor: Dr. Mary Adams

***School of Humanities, Undergraduate Oral Presentations  
Tuesday, April 11, Library, Room 106, 12:30 pm – 1:15 pm***

***Language in Cultural Context***

1. **Ethan Sims**, World Languages, *Social Factors Contributing to the Gradual Language Death of Minority Languages*, Faculty Mentor: Dr. Charles Holloway
2. **Allison Ogden**, World Languages, *Connections Within Spanish Art*, Faculty Mentor: Dr. Ruth Smith

***School of Humanities, Undergraduate Oral Presentations  
Tuesday, April 11, Library, Room 106, 1:15 pm – 2:15 pm***

***Reading the Image***

1. **D'Marius Gillespie**, Communication, *I Am a Man*, Faculty Mentor: Dr. Lesli Pace
2. **Grace Srichantra**, Communication, *The Swing': A Visual Analysis*, Faculty Mentor: Dr. Lesli Pace
3. **Kendyl Stubbleski**, Communication, *Face Value Impact*, Faculty Mentor: Dr. Lesli Pace

## **College of Business and Social Sciences**

***School of Behavioral and Social Sciences, Undergraduate Oral Presentations  
Tuesday, April 11, Media Room, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor Library, 8:00 am – 12:00 pm***

1. **Monika Paneru**, Social Sciences, *The Relationship between Empathy and Emotionality between Sexes*, Faculty Mentor: Dr. Jack Palmer

***School of Behavioral and Social Sciences, Graduate Oral Presentations  
Tuesday, April 11, Media Room, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor Library, 8:00 am – 12:00 pm***

1. **Christian Johnston**, Social Sciences, *Musical Mood Induction and its Effects on Analogical Reasoning*, Faculty Mentor: Dr. Jack Palmer

## **College of Health & Pharmaceutical Sciences**

***School of Pharmacy, Graduate Oral Presentations  
Tuesday, April 11, Media Room, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor Library, 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm***

1. **2:00-2:15pm: Quoc-Viet Duong** and Amal Kaddoumi. The Investigation of Plasma Rich in Growth Factors on the Enhancement of the Blood Brain Barrier.
2. **2:15-2:30pm: Hussain N. Alhamami** and Karen P. Briski. The Role of Hindbrain Glucose Sensing Neurons in Responding to Hypoglycemia Induced by Insulin.
3. **2:30-2:45pm: Sachin K. Khiste**, Zhijun Liu, Yong-Yu Liu. Ceramide-Rubusoside Nano-micelles Restores p53-Mediated Tumor Suppression in p53<sup>R248W</sup> mutation Ovarian Cancer Cells
4. **2:45-3:00pm: Selim Fakhruddin**, Wael A. Alanazi, Hussain N. Alhamami, Karen P. Briski, and Keith E. Jackson. Hyperglycemia Induced by Chronic Intraperitoneal and Oral Glucose Loading Leads to Hypertension through Oxidative Stress- and Angiotensin II-Mediated Na<sup>+</sup>-Retention in the Proximal Tubule.
5. **3:00-3:15pm: Rayan A. Ahmed** and Paul W. Sylvester.  $\gamma$ -Tocotrienol Reversal of Epithelial-to-Mesenchymal Transition in Breast Cancer Cells is Mediated by Suppression of Hedgehog Signaling Pathway
6. **3:15-3:30pm: Sweilem B Al Rihani**, Hisham Qosa, Loqman A Mohamed, Yazan B Batarseh, Jeffrey N Keller, Amal Kaddoumi. High-Throughput Screening for modulators of Blood-Brain Barrier Integrity: Drug repurposing approach for the discovery of potential therapeutics for Alzheimer's disease.