



**FACULTY AND GRADUATE
RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM
MAY 2, 2013
CENTRAL CAMPUS**

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PROGRAM OVERVIEW

All events take place on Central Campus

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| 9 am – 12 pm | MAT Spanish Presentations |
| 1 – 2:15 pm | Concurrent Panels Session I |
| 2:20 – 3:35 pm | Concurrent Panels Session II |
| 3:40 – 5 pm | Concurrent Panels Session III |
| 4:30 – 5:30pm | MEd Education Presentations |
| 5 – 6 pm | Poster Presentations, Publication Celebration, Reception |

9 AM – 12 PM CC111: MAT SPANISH PRESENTATIONS

Convener: Dr. Michele C. Dávila

Student Presenters:

Matthew Benner: ‘Chateando’ el ‘espanglés’: el uso moderno del fenómeno en la cultura popular de los Estados Unidos

Vilma Bibeau: La tecnología: su importancia en la clase de idiomas

Leanne Cirigliano: El machismo: las perspectivas psicoculturales a través del cine español y mexicano

Carolyn Giannini: La gramática: su adaptación en la nueva pedagogía de L2

Katherine Hanchett: El habla andaluza: percepciones sociolingüísticas

Anastasia Kolokithas: España dentro de la UE: el cambio de su estructura socio-económica

Rochelle McFarland: ¡Independencia ya!: la lucha por la separación de España de Cataluña

Jessica Massanari Sapp: Jugar es aprender: profundizando en el aprendizaje de lenguas y culturas por medio de juegos

Jennifer Scott: Los indígenas de Perú: entre la marginalización y la lucha por la igualdad

Dolores Morant Simonetti: Aprendizaje de lenguas asistido por computador (CALL): su futuro y su impacto en la educación en los EEUU

1 – 2:15 PM CONCURRENT PANELS: SESSION 1

CC111: Supporting Student Success

Moderator: Dr. Lee Brossoit

Student Presenters:

Dena Ruben: Understanding the *Wa* and its Impact on Japanese Students in the American Classroom: A Comparative Study of How Culture Influences Education

Nataliya Halavan: Supporting International Student Success: International Peer Mentor Program

Rachel Seavey: Students with Disabilities Studying Abroad

Constance Carmona: Are Salem State Students Utilizing Career Services Prepared for Post-Graduation?

Mirlesna Azor: Professors of Color in the Academy

Dr. Kathleen Neville: Race and Racism in the Classroom: White Students' Perceptions of African American Faculty

CC112: From Knowing to Doing: A Social Work Model for Teaching Research

Conveners: Dr. Monica Leisey, Dr. Jonathan Lukens

Student Presenters:

Lauren Baker, Mei Lee-Hanrahan, Katelyn Revell, Catherine Michaud, Cristina Benitez, Jennifer Vessella

CC113: Nursing Research Projects

Convener: Dr. Susan Anderson, School of Nursing

Student Presenters:

Jeanette Albert, Jennifer Darfoor, Michelle Reedenauer,

Geraldine Wilson: Analyzing the Characteristics, Knowledge, Attitudes, and Perceptions of Influenza Vaccinated Nurses

Jillian Garabedian, Neia Illingworth, Karen Nigrelli: Knowledge and Attitudes of Providers Regarding Pertussis Control Measures and Public Health Reporting

CC114: Permeable Boundaries: Biography, History, Literature, Genealogy

Moderator: Dean Jude Nixon

Faculty and Staff Presenters:

Beth Bower: Ordinary Women: A Biography of Three Mary Longs

Lucinda Damon-Bach: Catharine Maria Sedgwick and J.-C.-L. Simonde de Sismondi's Transatlantic Friendship and Literary Exchange: Reform and Revolution in 19th-Century Switzerland, the U.S., and Italy

Elizabeth T. Kenney: Marooning Parties and Melodrama: Hart's *Letters from the Bahama Islands, 1823-4*.

Nancy Schultz: "In a Trance of Dreamy Vagueness:" Stowe's Italian Poems and the Aesthetic Lure of Catholicism

CC236: Pedagogy for the ELA Classroom

Moderator: Dr. Theresa DeFrancis

Student Presenters:

Sarah Murray: The Damaging Effects of a Special Education Plan on Literacy, and Basic Strategies to Get Students Off IEPs and On Track in the ELA Classroom

Greg Dolan: Creating an Academic Community in the Classroom

Chenyu Bai: If Socrates Tweeted: Combining Socratic Seminar with Twitter in a Literature Class

Amanda Judd: A Close Reading Combination to Motivate Students

CC237: Genocide: History, Representation and Memory

Sponsored by the Center for Holocaust and Genocide Studies

Commentators: **Dr. Chris Mauriello, Dr. Stephenie Young**

Student Presenters:

Katelyn E. Giovannucci: Remembering the Victims: *The Sarajevo Red Line Memorial* and the Trauma Art Paradox

Beth Factor: Behind the Fence: The Tragedy of Kielce's Jews in Nazi-Occupied Poland

CC238: Animals and Things in Literature I

Moderator: Dr. Scott Nowka

Student Presenters:

Carolyn Strain: Modern Transformations: Representations of Object Narrative Form in Emily Brontë's *Wuthering Heights*

Alexandra Kirby: Embracing the Nonhuman Other: Richard Bach's *Jonathan Livingston Seagull*

Lyndsay Caron: Daenerys and Her Dragons: Half of Direwolves and Dragons and Humans, Oh My

2:20 – 3:35 PM CONCURRENT PANELS: SESSION II

CC111: Student Leadership Theory

Moderator: Dr. Kathleen Neville

Student Presenters:

Kathryn Wojcik, Edye Levin, Marilyn McCallum, Brian Pember

CC112: Research and Development in Organizations

Moderators: Dr. Teresa Lyons, Dr. Hinda Sterling

Student Presenters:

Shraddha Gaikwad, Kevin Loughlin, Matthew Lyle, Elizabeth Melillo, Sarah Mellen

CC113: Nursing Research Projects

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Student Presenters:

Sara J. Barker, Erin M. Halpin, Leigh K. Joseph, Anna L. Pullo:
Exploring Factors that Influence Use of Energy Therapies by Inpatient Nurses

Courtney Cassidy, Theresa Grady, Susan Lane Taricani:
Staff Nurses' Perceptions of Student Nurses across Clinical Inpatient Units

CC114: Samples of Faculty Research I

Moderator: Dean K. Brewer Doran

Presenters:

Dr. Joanna Gonsalves, Dr. Eric Metchik, Dr. Tiffany Keyes:
A Collaborative Approach to Assessing the Impacts of Service Learning on Retention and Success

Catherine Runge, Dr. Sophia Evett, Dr. Anne Marie Hakstian:

Behind the Scenes: A Review of Racial Influences on Jury Selection and Deliberation

Dr. Steven Silvern, Jessica Silveri: Mapping the Local Food Web of New England

Dr. Sandra Yudilevich Espinoza, Rachel Gannon: This Seems to be Working, but is it Best Practice?

Dr. Lisa J. Delissio: K-16 Science Education for the Next Generation

CC237: New England Puritanism

Convener: Dr. Dane Morrison

Student Presenters:

Amy Braid: "Elizabeth I: The Puritans' Neutral Queen"

Laura Cleary: Reverend Samuel Skelton: A Short Biography

Priscilla Anne Tennant Herrington: Informed Imagination: How Historical Is Historical Fiction?

CC238: Animals and Things in Literature II

Moderator: Dr. Scott Nowka

Student Presenters:

Michaela Gile: "I Too Was in Arcadia:" A Critical Examination of the Role of the *Bildungsroman* in E.T.A. Hoffmann's novel *The Life and Opinions of the Tomcat Murr*

Jon Bishop: Not all is Golden: Charles Gildon's *The Golden Spy* and his Critique of Libertinism

Jean Levasseur: Object agency: How the One Ring's value-manipulation drives events in *The Lord of the Rings*

Michael Rossetti: Victor Frankenstein's Monster as a True Human

Jeanne Clifton: Modern Fantasy and Benjamin's Storyteller

3:40 – 5 PM CONCURRENT PANELS: SESSION III

CC111: Admissions, Retention and Persistence

Moderator: Dr. Kathleen Neville

Student Presenters:

Megan Wigton: The Evolution of Retention Theories for Underrepresented Student Populations

Theresa Jenkins: The Power of MAP-Works (Making Achievement Possible)

Samantha Bates: MAP-Works: Helping and Assisting Second Year Commuter Students Academically to Improve Retention

Siobhan Skerritt: A Proposal for a Financial Literacy Workshop

Brianne McDonough: The Evolution of Admission Standards at Salem State University: 1930 – 1965

Shannon Cormier: Increasing Latino Student Enrollment Rates at Community Colleges: Strategies for Admissions Counselors

CC112: Satellite Analysis of Environmental Change

Conveners: Dr. Stephen Young, Dr. Keith Ratner

Presenters:

Hom Adhikari, Sujan Joshi: Land Surface Temperature Change in Northeast North America, 2001 – 2012

Ram Chhetri, Stephen Coppola, Stephen LoChirco, Harry Simpson, David Strohschein: Sea Surface Temperature Change in Hudson's Bay, 2000 – 2012

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Zhenyang Hua, Megan Malerbi: Bird Species and the Changing Boreal Forests of Quebec

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Dr. Steven Silvern, Jessica Silveri: Boat to Table: The Emerging Geography of Community Supported Fisheries

Louise Jacques, Dr. Brad Hubeny: Using sediment records to track recent North Atlantic Oscillation patterns near Lake Vatnsdalsvatn, northwestern Iceland

Michael Horton: An Assessment of Community Characteristics Affecting Massachusetts Recycling Rates and Policy Review

Zhenyang Hua: The Story Bike Share Data Tell Us

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Student Presenters:

Meaghan McGinness, Jennifer Murphy, Lynne Patterson: An Exploration of Nurses' Education with Regard to End-of-Life Care

Laurie A. Casale, Cassandra Durgin, Lesley McDermottroe, Amanda Sullivan: Investigating the Compassion Status of Nurses Working in Long-Term Care

CC114: Samples of Faculty Research II

Moderator: Dr. Jeffrey Theis

Faculty Presenters:

Vanessa Ruget: Conducting Research in Central Asia: Challenges and Promises

Annette Chapman-Adisho: Bishops in the East: The Debate on the Civil Constitution of the Clergy in the *Métropole de l'Est*

Brad Hubeny: Carbon Cycling in a Subarctic System: the Rekavikurvvatn/Hálsavatn Drainage System

Ann Taylor: *The Exquisite Truth: Heloise and Abelard*

Jennifer Jackman: Coexisting with Coyotes?: Findings from the Cape Cod Wildlife Survey

Keja Valens: Consent and the Transformation of Abuse

CC237: New England History

Convener: Dr. Andrew Darien

Student Presenters:

Charlie Grimes: Friends and Neighbors: Massachusetts: The World War One Military Draft in Selected Massachusetts Communities

Kimberly Whitworth: Into the Wilderness: Migration Patterns in Colonial Connecticut

Justin Favazaa: Reading and Gender: Attempting to Discover Anne Hutchinson

CC238: Text, Image and Memory: Emerging Ideas from Graduate English Students

Moderator: Dr. Stephenie Young

Discussant: Jill Sullivan

Student Presenters:

Adam Pieroni: Hunting for Horror: The Role of Metaphor in Photographic Interpretation

Julie Patrisso: The New Face of the Homeless in America

Lisa Abramowski: A Possible Reconciliation: Historical Fact and Personal Subjectivity in Image

Greg Dolan: Shaping the Narrative of the 'Real'

4:30 – 5:30 PM CC236: MEd EDUCATION PRESENTATIONS

Convener: Dr. Megin Charner-Laird

Student Presenters:

- Shannon M. Hanson:** Imperative Aspects of Transitioning ASD Children to Kindergarten
- Jacqueline M. Grelish:** Assessments in the classroom: What works for different learners?
- Susan K. Langlois:** Intersections of Societal Norms, Notions of Popularity, and Bullying
- Margaret W. Johnson:** Effective Teaching Methods in Elementary Mathematics [or Whole Group Learning vs. Small Group Learning in Math]
- Erin H. McAllister:** Parental Involvement and Children's Reading Comprehension

Convener: Dr. Cleti Cervoni

Student Presenters:

- Michael A. Breda:** The Effects of BSRI on Student Confidence and Self-Esteem
- Jolyn M. DeGeorge:** Appropriate Education and Severe Autism Disorders
- Lindsay M. Demars:** Effects of Explicit Embedded Vocabulary Instruction During Storybook Reading in Kindergarten
- Kathryn Lynch Little:** Effective Math Instruction in the Elementary Classroom
- Helena Paputseanos:** Implementing Brain-Based Strategies in the Classroom

POSTER AND DVD PRESENTATIONS

- 1 Poster:** Technology/Engineering Education in Middlesex County, MA Middle Schools: Economic Variations and the Relation to Science MCAS Scores
Presenter: **Kathleen Peterson**
- 2 Poster:** Do Salem State University Students Feel Ready to Teach after They Complete their Practicum?
Presenter: **Yolanda Darlington**
- 3 Poster:** The Relationship of the Complexity of Reasoning in Students and Their Outcomes in Graduate School
Presenters: **Dr. Patrice Miller, Amy Au**
- 4 Poster:** Internalizing Behavior and Risk in Low-Income Preschool Children
Presenters: **Dr. Patrice Miller, Paola Miranda**
- 5 Poster:** Effect of Access on Student Learning Outcomes
Presenter: **Michelle Fenwick**
- 6 Poster:** The impact of sensory-based coping strategies on adaptation of adolescents with mental health
Presenter: **Jean MacLachlan**
- 7 Poster:** An Occupation Based Self-Management Program for the Adult Type 2 Diabetic Client
Presenter: **Eileen Anderson**
- 8 Poster:** The Emotional Effects of Sensory Room Activities on Clients in an Acute Mental Health Setting
Presenter: **Lisa Burke**
- 9 Poster:** The effects of participating in meaningful activity on self-feeding performance of clients with mild dementia
Presenter: **Mallory Jaracz, Chris Varney**

10 Poster: The effects of sensory motor breaks on maladaptive behaviors of elementary school children with diagnosed disabilities

Presenter: **Sharon Johanson**

11 Poster: Caregiving Rewards: Experiences of Family Caregivers of Older Adults with Parkinson's Disease

Presenter: **Kimberly Morrisey**

12 Poster: COTA to OT: Impact of a Role Change on Job Satisfaction

Presenter: **Michael Wright**

13 Poster: A Multiproxy Analysis of Environmental Change from Pineo Pond, DeBlois, ME Since the late Pleistocene

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23 Poster: Forced Help and Feelings of Control in Real Life and Laboratory Situations

Presenters: **Kevin Loughlin, Dr. Teresa Lyons**

24 Poster: Predictors of Employee Engagement at a Lean Manufacturer

Presenter: **Brian Hirschfeld**

25 Poster: No More Hidden Secrets: Human Rights Violations and Remote Sensing

Presenter: **Tommy O'Connell**

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33 Poster: Is short-wavelength "blue" light necessary for treatment of Seasonal Affective Disorder?

Presenter: **Dr. Carol Glod**

34 DVD: MAT Art Final Student Project

Convener: Dawn Benski

Student Presenters:

Sean Bianchi: Digital Art and Student Accessibility

Joseph Luongo: The effects of integrating visual culture and technology in art education

Morgan Sharkey: Art One Self and Peer Assessment Study

Breanne Mahoney: Technology in Art

Heather LaRosa: The Relationship Between Resources for Art Teachers and Quality of Teaching

Pauline Nelson: Does art education encourage problem solving skills?

Jessica Hughes: The Pros and Cons of Teaching and Learning from an Art Cart

Charlotte Wilson: Drawings that Tell a Narrative

