

URC 2007 AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE

Vice-President's University-Wide Symposium, April 27, 2007

Student Name	Class	Major	Faculty Adviser	Title of Presentation
Christopher Anason	Senior	Mechanical Engineering	Steve Hale, Barry Rock	Studying the Effects of Road Salt Spray and Runoff on the Foliage and Growth of White Pines
Jessica Bean	Senior	Sociology	Heather Turner	The Effects of Sociodemographic Variations and Strain on the Self-Concept of Rural Single Mothers
Karinne Brobst Maria Crossman Danielle DiFranco Allyssa Lanza	Senior Junior Junior Senior	Psychology & Justice Studies Psychology Psychology & Justice Studies Psychology	Ellen Cohn	An Implicit Measure of Victim/Perpetrator Responsibility: The Effect of Reputation
Kelly Byron	Senior	Social Work	L. Rene Bergeron	Navigating Your Way through Health Care
Stephen Calcavecchia, Jr.	Senior	Linguistics & International Affairs	Naomi Nagy	Sounding Gay: An Acoustic Analysis of Gay Male Speech
Laura Carpenter	Senior	Political Science	Jeannie Sowers	Wind: Bringing Renewable Energy Home
Kristopher Cui	Senior	Chemical Engineering	Ihab Farag	ASTM Biodiesel Gas Chromatograph Testing and Automation of Biodiesel Processor
Nicole Eckert	Senior	Communication & International Affairs	Lawrence Reardon	A Healthy Serving of Greens: The Role of the Green Party in Germany's Renewable Energy Policy
Adam Gould	Senior	Anthropology & International Affairs	Lawrence Reardon	Immigration and Tolerance - Castilian Primacy: Exploring the Role of Minority Languages in Peninsular Spanish
Nichole Guenard	Senior	Psychology	Ellen Cohn	Sexually Explicit Advertisements: Does Belief in Rape Myth Differ?
Derek Hubbard		Spanish & International Affairs	Nicoletta Gullace	CAFTA: Reasons for Resistance
Stephanie Hueter	Senior	Communication	Beverly James	Overcoming Adversity: The Struggle to "Girlfight"
Elyse Johnson	Senior	Spanish & International Affairs	Nicoletta Gullace	Expelling Dictatorial Influences from Chilean Education
Adrian Kerrison	Senior	Communication	Mardi Kidwell	The Three People You'll Meet at a Hockey Game
Myra Khan	Senior	Communication & International Affairs	Nicoletta Gullace	The Weight of Words: The Construction and Implications of Genocide Discourse in Bosnia and Sudan
Mark Kilens	Senior	Tourism Planning and Development	Lyndon Goodridge	Linking Market Valued Community Skill Profiles with Corporate Outsourced Functions to Identify Financially Attractive Sourcing Targets
Melissa Mangold	Senior	Sociology & Justice Studies	Sharyn Potter	Dating Abuse in College Relationships: A Qualitative Study
Susannah Pratt	Senior	Political Science & International Affairs	Lawrence Reardon	A Country on the Move: Overlooked Realities of Rural to Urban Migration in China
Brian Rebholtz	Senior	Anthropology	David Frankfurter	Behold the Virgin: Examining the Interpretation and Negotiation of the Sacred in Marian Apparitions
Bligh Reynolds	Senior	Psychology	Mary M. Moynihan	Power and Practice: Women Working in the Community
Christa Ricker	Sophomore	Kinesiology	Brent Bell	Transitioning to College Using Different Pedagogical Approaches
Alice Sheehan	Senior	Economics	Edinaldo Tebaldi	Bringing up Incentives: A Look at the Determinants of Poverty
Alicia Shotwell	Junior	Political Science & Philosophy	Lawrence Reardon	A Study of Increased Nuclear Tensions between the United States and North Korea

Emily Soderman	Senior	Political Science & International Affairs	Lawrence Reardon	The Rise of the Far-Right: The French Answer to Its Identity Crisis
Carli Stevenson	Senior	Women's Studies	Mary M. Moynihan	Women's Studies Works: Demonstrations of Community Activism
Juliet Tarantino	Senior	Anthropology & International Affairs	Lawrence Reardon	Profitable Business, Worthless Language: Commercial Success and Rejection of Tradition in Otavalo, Ecuador
Rachel Umberger	Senior	Communication	Michael Jackson	The Morality of Aesthetics: Using Robert Pirsig's Metaphysics of Quality to Objectively Evaluate Music
Jessica Williams	Senior	Linguistics	Nicoletta Gullace	Slouching Towards Babel: Language Policy, Linguistic, Identity, and Social Cohesion in the European Union

College of Life Sciences and Agriculture (COLSA) URC, April 28, 2007

Student Name	Class	Major	Faculty Adviser	Title of Presentation
Lena Collins	Senior	Ecology	James Byers	The Effect of the Invasive Seaweed, <i>Caulerpa taxifolia</i> , on Native Species Interactions in St. George's Basin, Australia
Nicholas Perros	Senior	Biochemistry and Molecular Biology	Rick Cote	The Regulation of Phosphodiesterase-6 by Glutamic Acid-Rich Protein-2af
Derek Thibault	Senior	Biochemistry and Molecular Biology	Aaron Argyros, Estelle Hrabak	Isolation of <i>Arabidopsis thaliana</i> Palmitoyltransferase Mutants
Jennifer Towle	Senior	Biochemistry and Molecular Biology	Wayne Fagerberg	Bio-Adhesion: Search for Vitronectin in <i>Caulerpa</i>

History Department Undergraduate Presentations, April 24, 2007

Student Name	Class	Major	Faculty Adviser	Title of Presentation
Daniel Jasinski	Senior	History	Lucy Salyer	The Severing of the Relationship between the Catholic Church and the French State
Elizabeth McFadden	Senior	History	Gregory McMahon	Living on the Edge: The Staffordshire Moorlands Pan and Life Along Hadrian's Wall

Honors English URC, April 27, 2007

Student Name	Class	Major	Faculty Adviser	Title of Presentation
Michael Luz	Senior	English Literature	Sarah Sherman	Performative Identity and Authenticity in "The Great Gatsby"
Kimberly Toth Watson	Senior	English	Lester Fisher	Danielle Marie Thompson: Working through Memories

Interdisciplinary Science and Engineering (ISE) Symposium, April 25, 2007

Student Name	Class	Major	Faculty Adviser	Title of Presentation
Michael Allard Kim Morris Katie Brown Tim Corrigan Danielle Laroche Amanda Loughlin Lonni Peterson	Senior Senior Senior Senior Junior Junior Junior	Political Science & International Affairs	Jenna Jambeck, Kevin Gardner	Students Without Borders: Helping Niger
Melissa Allen	Sophomore	Psychology	Barry Rock	Calcium Oxalate as an Indicator of Stress on Two Sites on Mount Moosilauke
Amanda Brown Don Carlson	Junior Senior	Physics	James Harper	Dependence of Crystal Orientation on Composition in Silver-Silicon Composite Thin Films

Andrew Clements Tiffany D'Amour Lisa Damiano Kathy Dietz Shawn Dupont Christopher Getman Steve Granese Michael Olson Jessica Tokson Bret Tolivaisa Ed Viel Amalia Wasiski-Kuhn	Senior	Environmental Engineering Business Administration Environmental Engineering Business Administration Business Administration Business Administration Civil Engineering Environmental Engineering Environmental Engineering Environmental Engineering Environmental Engineering Environmental Engineering	Jenna Jambeck	2006-07 UNH WERC Project: Microbial Fuel Cells
Joe Kiley Jonathan Zink	Junior Senior	Computer Engineering	John LaCourse	Carpal Tunnel Syndrome Early Warning System
Alison Spruce	Senior	Geology	Will Clyde	Paleomagnetic Analysis of the Chickaloon Formation Ashes: Implications for Dating the Paleocene-Eocene Boundary

Office of Community Service Partnerships, April 25, 2007

Student Name	Class	Major	Faculty Adviser	Title of Presentation
Lena Collins Cormac Griffin Elizabeth Joseph	Senior Junior Junior	Ecology Environmental Conservation Studies English	Larry Brickner-Wood	Community Dinners Feeding Folks with Sustainability and Nutrition

Philosophy URC, April 27, 2007

Student Name	Class	Major	Faculty Adviser	Title of Presentation
Kraig Lamper	Senior	Philosophy & Music	Willem deVries	Kant's Thing in Itself
Hannah Varn	Senior	Philosophy & English	Willem deVries	Regulative Ideals: A Practical Approach to Global Warming

Psychology Department George M. Haslerud URC, April 27, 2007

Student Name	Class	Major	Faculty Adviser	Title of Presentation
Emily Bolton	Senior	Psychology	Victoria Banyard	Defining Unwanted Sexual Experiences and Consent
Emily Carter	Senior	Psychology	David Pillemer	Verb Tense as a Predictor of Reader Reactions to Autobiographical Narratives

School of Health and Human Services Grimes Award Competition, April 27, 2007

Student Name	Class	Major	Faculty Adviser	Title of Presentation
Laura Palombo	Senior	Kinesiology/Exercise Science	Allison Sigler, Timothy Quinn	The Effects of a Long Distance Run on Creatine Kinase Levels 24, 48, and 72 Hours Post-Run

Thompson School of Applied Science Community Leadership Program, April 25, 2007

Student Name	Class	Major	Faculty Adviser	Title of Presentation
Nicole Finitis	Freshman	Community Leadership	Kate Hanson	Thompson School Community Leadership Program Portfolio Presentations

Thompson School of Applied Science Student Showcase, April 25, 2007

Student Name	Class	Major	Faculty Adviser	Title of Presentation
Michael Simmons	Senior	Forest Technology	Matthew Chagnon	Determining the Feasibility of a UNH Sugarbush

UNH Manchester URC, April 24, 2007 - Oral Presentations

Student Name	Class	Major	Faculty Adviser	Title of Presentation
Sean Tandy	Sophomore	History	Robert Macieski	The Hutchinson Family Singers and American Protest Song
UNH Manchester URC, April 25, 2007 - Poster Presentations				
Student Name	Class	Major	Faculty Adviser	Title of Presentation
Michelle Mitchell	Senior	History	Robert Macieski	"AME," A Referential Database of the City of Manchester, New Hampshire 1818-1850
Francoise Morison	Sophomore	Biology	Sarah Kenick	Sponge Squeeze: How Sanitary Can a Stinky Sponge Be? An Analysis of the Antimicrobial Activity of a Gulf of Maine Specimen of the <i>Halichondria sp.</i> Marine Sponge
UNH Manchester URC, April 26, 2007 - Cinema Arts Award				
Student Name	Class	Major	Faculty Adviser	Title of Presentation
Tavia Lee-Goldstein	Junior	Communication	Anthony Tenczar	Paper Hero: The Story of Origami Boy
Katherine Potter	Sophomore	Communication Arts	Anthony Tenczar	A Man and the Moon
UNH Manchester URC, April 23-26, 2007 - Honorable Mentions				
Student Name	Class	Major	Faculty Adviser	Title of Presentation
Kirsten Hildonen	Senior	History	Robert Macieski	The Spies Who Saw through Me
Devon Mercer	Junior	History	Jack Resch	Obedience Only to God: The Trial of Susan B. Anthony
Jacqueline Quintal	Senior	History	Robert Macieski	Entertaining the Cold War