2010 Scholarship and Creativity Day Schedule

PARTIAL SCHEDULE OF STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

SOCIAL SCIENCES SYMPOSIUM I — POLITICAL SCIENCE

*Main Building, CSB*
*First Floor*

Political Science 114: Public Policy Analysis and Recommendation —
Moderator: Jim Read

TRC Board Room
1 p.m. MAI XIONG — Protecting Hmong Refugees in Thailand and Laos.
1:10 p.m. VALENTIN SIERRA — The Federal Reserve and regulating financial risk.
1:20 p.m. KELSEY MINTEN — Education of women and girls in developing world.
1:30 p.m. RONGFEI GOU — Ending Military Sales to Taiwan.
1:40 p.m. SYDNEY HENDERSON — American Consulate for Tibet.
1:50 p.m. ADAM LISKE. High-speed passenger rail for the US.
2 p.m. IAN GOLDSMITH — Extending light rail to St. Paul.
2:10 p.m. AMY HOESCHEN. — Pedestrian and bicycle-friendly infrastructure for St. Cloud.
2:20 p.m. BRENNA FINLEY. Maple Grove planning for aging population.
2:30 p.m. KATHRYN HAUFF — Flood prevention in Fargo.
2:40 p.m. DAN WOLGAMOTT — Tax policies to stimulate economy.
2:50 p.m. SAM BROWN — Limiting pollution from Hennepin County incinerator.
3 p.m. FELIPE NIEVES-JIMENEZ — Making CSB/SJU more welcoming for cultural diversity.
3:10 p.m. TYLER CARLEN — Political involvement and Supreme Court justices
Main Building, CSB  
Ground Floor

Thesis Presentations in Political Science – Moderator: Kay Wolsborn

Main 006

2:30 p.m.  KELLIANNE M. LAUER (Dr. Kay Wolsborn, Political Science)
Shaping U.S. foreign aid: incrementalism, policy networks and food aid policies

2:50 p.m.  ZACHARY J. LIEBL (Dr. Kay Wolsborn, Political Science)
Project Fraternity: combating sexual aggression on college campuses

3:10 p.m.  VALENTIN SIERRA (Dr. Matt Lindstrom, Political Science)
Mission challenges of the U.S. Federal Reserve as systemic risk regulator

3:20 p.m.  MICHAEL R. JOHNSON (Dr. Philip Kronebusch, Political Science)
How to effectively & accurately measure judicial activism: an examination of current empirical approaches

3:40 p.m.
SOCIAL SCIENCES SYMPOSIUM II – ECONOMICS

Main Building, CSB

1-4 p.m.  Presentations will be on 1st and 3rd floors. A schedule is available at the entrance.

Main Building, CSB
Third Floor Rotunda

4-5 p.m.   Economics Reception
SOCIAL SCIENCES SYMPOSIUM III – PSYCHOLOGY

New Science Center, SJU

NSC 140  Psychology Poster Session — Moderator: Linda Tennison
8-10 a.m.

KATHRYN BARON, LINDSEY HOLM, EMILY MILER and JOY POHLAND (Dr. Laura Sinville, Psychology). The impact of jealousy and romantic love on our perceptions of others.

BRENT CRAWLEY, ANDREW J. GUSTAFSON, MICHELLE A. PICKLE and others (Dr. Aubrey Immelman, Psychology). The political personality of former presidential contender John Edwards

ALISON GRESBACK (Dr. Stephen Stelzner, Psychology). Emotional intelligence development in children through play.

CHELSEA JENSON (Dr. Richard Wielkiewicz, Psychology). The relationship between service-learning beliefs about leadership and morality.

STEPHANIE KAPLAN and EMILY NOVAK. Memory based on emotion.

ALEXANDRA L. LENZEN, GREGORY M. SULLIVAN, FERNANDO B. VILLARES and others (Dr. Aubrey Immelman, Psychology). The political personality of former Alaska Governor Sarah Palin.

AMY MARschALL and MICHAEL KEEGAN (Dr. Linda Tennison, Psychology). The effects of chronic mild stress on the ability to perform the DRL-72 schedule in rats.

GREGORY M. SULLIVAN (Dr. Aubrey Immelman, Psychology) The Political Personality of Russian Federation President Dmitry Medvedev
Psychology Honors Theses — Moderator: Pamela Bacon

NSC 146
1 p.m. 
ANNEMIEKE LAGERWAARD (Dr. Pamela Bacon, Psychology). 
The relationship between self-theories, emotion, and coping.

1:30 p.m. 
CHRISTY CATRINA OI YAN JING CHAN (Dr. Linda Tennison, Psychology). The relationship between family environments and the first year transition
ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES POSTER SESSION
Great Hall, The Quadrangle, SJU

2:30-4 p.m. In this session, senior Environmental Studies majors present their thesis research in poster format. Each thesis focuses on a specific environmental problem or issue which is addressed from an interdisciplinary perspective, illustrating the connections between Environmental Studies and a wide range of other disciplines. **Moderator: Jean Lavigne**

RICHELLE CAYA (Dr. Jean Lavigne, Environmental Studies). Restoring a legacy: reintroduction of the American Chestnut.

SHANNON CONK (Dr. Jean Lavigne, Environmental Studies, and Dr. Matt Lindstrom, Political Science). **A school food revolution: identifying and overcoming barriers to meaningful school lunch reform.**

PATRICK CRANE (Dr. Jean Lavigne, Environmental Studies). Revegetation of fly ash dumps.

TREVOR DRAKE (Dr. Jean Lavigne, Environmental Studies, and Dr. Matt Lindstrom, Political Science). Coop culture: urban chicken farming as a response to food distancing.

MELISSA GEARMAN (Dr. Jean Lavigne, Environmental Studies, and Dr. Bill Lamberts, Biology). **Toxic fire: effect of forest fires on mercury contamination in lakes.**


IPHIGENIE NSHUTINYAYO (Dr. Jean Lavigne, Environmental Studies, and Dr. Ernie Dietrich, Economics). Recycling yourself: the most sustainable option to dispose of human remains.

BRENDAN SHEEHAN (Dr. Jean Lavigne, Environmental Studies, and Dr. Jeffrey Anderson, Peace Studies). DDT and malaria.
MATTHEW STASICA (Drs. Derek Larson and Jean Lavigne, Environmental Studies). **Canada Thistle: best management practice**

RYAN WIMMER (Dr. Jean Lavigne, Environmental Studies, and Dr. Bill Lamberts, Biology).

**The Rusty Crayfish: Is it beneficial to Minnesota waterways?**

**Environmental Studies GIS Project Forum:** The GIS Project Forum provides an opportunity for students in the Geographic Information Systems course to share their final mapping projects with the larger campus community. The majority of the projects are collaborations between the students and faculty or staff members who have requested help with creating maps. Examples range from creating a new map of the St. Ben’s woods to looking for patterns in which Minnesota high schools have qualified for state sports tournaments in the past five years. Students will be looking for new projects in the fall, so stop by for inspiration for your own mapping project. **Moderator: Jean Lavigne**

MELISSA J. BACH, JENNIFER BORAN, SHANNON CONK, MATTHEW COULTER, STEVEN DAHLKE, JEFFREY GILBERTSON, SUSANA GONZALEZ, KYLE JANSKY, KELSEY KIRCHER, MARNIE McINNIS, HADLEY McINTOSH, COLIN OWENS, BENJAMIN RIETZ, BRYAN RODRIGUEZ, NICHOLAS SHULTE, JUSTIN STANGLER and ASHLEY VER BURG.
EDUCATION POSTER SESSION
Henrita Academic Building, CSB

Elementary education majors and secondary science education minors investigate issues in the field of education. Students address a range of topics including student achievement, teacher best practices and content standards.

HAB 128
1-2:30 p.m. KAITLIN L. BECKER, MARGARET S. BURBACH, ASHLEY M. CARLISLE, ELIZABETH A. DUBAY, KARA J. EHLERT, BENJAMIN S. HOGAN, RACHEL C. INDIHAR, TIMOTHY R. JUBA, LAURA E. KINOWSKI, PAUL W. LARSON, MELINDA M. LAWSON, ERIC P. LEE, MEGHAN M. LICHTER, NICOLE A. MASLOWSKI, DAVID G. MASSEY, SARA E. MIESEN, MOLLY L. PETERSON, KATHERINE M. SAUER, ASHLEY M. SINNEN, AMY E. STIFTER, KELCIE M. TSCHIDA, and LAUREN C. ZWOLENSKI (Dr. Karen M. Bengtson, Education)

FIRST-YEAR SEMINAR POSTER SESSION
Haehn Campus Center, CSB

Alumnae Hall
Janna LaFountaine’s (Physical Education) FYS class considered topics of sports and recreation and their place in society.

1-2:15 p.m.
OMAR ABDULLAHI — Soccer As a vehicle for peace.

ALEX CARLSON — Is it really an uneven playing field?

CHUHU A. CHA — Religion and sport being friends or foe.

MICHAEL CHHOUN — Can I have a piece?

SHOPIE KEM — Technology and sports.

ASHLEY LAUDENBACH — Building a better youth through strength training.

RYAN LONGLEY — The slippery slope of ski resorts: can going green save the mountains?

FATIMA MEDINA — Driven into disordered eating.
DAVID NAUGHTIN — BCS or college football playoff.

ASHLEY OLSON — Champions keep studying.

JASCHA PETTIT — Hunting benefits all.

MARY RYMANOWSKI — Effects of parent-coaches on children in sports.

DUSTIN SCHLANGEN — Opportunities from Title IX.

MEGAN SCHMIDT — Rebel without a brand.

ELIZABETH STOCKER — Fighting Sioux logo: a racist or respectful representation.

AXEL WIKSTROM — Participation or not — The U.S. debate over the 1936 Olympics.
SOCIAL SCIENCES SYMPOSIUM V  
Henrita Academic Building, CSB

HAB 119  
**Peace Studies Session I** — Moderator: Kelly Kraemer

8-10 a.m.  
ERIC DELUCA, KATIE EBBEN, MICHELLE EBERHARD, KRISTINA SESLIJA, BANJA SUDAR, CHRISTIN TOMY, ALEX TORIGIAN, STEPHANIE WEGMANN, JOE WONDERLICH (Dr. Kelly Kraemer, Peace Studies) Emcee: Llindsey Waytashek.  **How we made peace in the future.**

HAB 120  
**Peace Studies Session II** — Moderator: Ronald Pagnucco

1:30 p.m.  
Lindsey Waytashek (Dr. Dr. Ronald Pagnucco, Peace Studies)  
**Amani People’s Theater: teaching peace through theater.**

2 p.m.  
CHRIS MORGAN (Dr. Dr. Ronald Pagnucco, Peace Studies)  
**Raising warriors: Maasai male socialization.**

Simons Hall, SJU  
**Interdisciplinary Studies and Applied Social Sciences**

1-4:30 p.m.  
Student presentations will take place in Simons 310, 330. Revised schedule available in the 3rd floor lounge.
Gorecki Dining and Conference Center, CSB

**Building Communities Poster Session**

GDCC 204 A & B  
2:15-4 p.m.  
**Moderator: Mara Jacobson-Schulte**

The Service-Learning Program, Bonner Leader Program and Jackson Fellows Program foster civic engagement and social justice through community-based learning. Student participants in each of these programs will present their projects, describe what they learned, and answer questions about the communities they served.