INAUGURAL UNDERGRADUATE SYMPOSIUM ON DIVERSITY

Opportunities and Challenges for the Inclusion of Diversity in Higher Education and Society

Wednesday
January 13, 2016
9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Lenhart Grand Ballroom
Bowen-Thompson Student Union

Hosted by the Center for Undergraduate Research and Scholarship (CURS)

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The Different Aspects of Bullying through a Global Perspective

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Tegan Moore
Flannery Mummen
Jessica Luna
Victoria Del Signore
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The Gender Wage Gap Between Women and Men on a Global Scale

43 Kiyah Whaley
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Gabi Coker
Gretchen Draschel
Kobe Hoyh
Mentor: Vaughn Thornton, Global Village Learning Community
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Beauty Standards across the World

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Sidney Roberts
Kira Groile
Weihe Vossen
Kelsey Brownell
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Tina Hyunh
Wen Wang
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Samuel Panter
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Improving Diversity in Bowling Green

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PROGRAM

1  Andrea Danziger
Mentor: Melissa Miller, Political Science
Political Science
Gender-based Differences in Attitudes Toward Government Spending in the United States

2  Kelly Blakely
Ashanti King Johnson
Gabrielle McGill-Kapper
Brooke Miller
Mentor: Hee Soon Lee, Social Work
SOWK3120 Social Welfare Institutions
Racial Disparities within Medicaid

3  Kelly Brake
Samantha Brownlee
Erica Luthman
Sarah Lutten
Jessica May
Mentor: Hee Soon Lee, Social Work
SOWK3120 Social Welfare Institutions
An Evaluation of United States Drug Incarceration

4  Ryan Daniels
Tess Lohse
McKenzie Martin
Kaitlyn Rehbeck
Jordan Temple
Mentor: Hee Soon Lee, Social Work
SOWK3120 Social Welfare Institutions
Reintegration Issues Within Veterans and Their Families

5  Lauren Ross
Tiffany Garben
Heather Paramore
Jessica Darling
Jade Callum
Mentor: Hee Soon Lee, Social Work
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Sex Trafficking: A Social Injustice

6  Vivian Canney
Elle Garrick
Marissa Lindsay
Zack Hester
Mentor: Hee Soon Lee, Social Work
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Discrimination of LGBT Members in the Workplace

7  Chelsea Kennedy
Katie Molina
Kendra Vemmilion
Hillary Rozy
Michael Zech
Cailyn Neumann
Mentor: Hee Soon Lee, Social Work
SOWK3120 Social Welfare Institutions
Euthanasia Awareness and Legalization in Ohio

8  Gracie Henry
Jennifer Cook
Asha Speicher
Megan Sommers
Tiara Jackson
Emily Metzger
Mentor: Hee Soon Lee, Social Work
SOWK3120 Social Welfare Institutions
Lack of Services for Adults with Autism

9  Andrel McBrayer
Meghan Bishop
Yvonne Thompson
Margaret Scott
Mentor: Hee Soon Lee, Social Work
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The Crisis in Crisis Intervention

10  Destiny Norris
Miranda Wagner
Jessica Ricker
Monica Gupta
Mentor: Hee Soon Lee, Social Work
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Foster Care and the Transition to Adulthood

11  Claire Sherman
Bridget Dowell
Rachel Burren
Hope Brinker
Erica Kavalalas
Angela Gurach
Mentor: Hee Soon Lee, Social Work
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Pharmacological Treatment Options for Heroin Addiction

12  Elizabeth Wagner
Mentor: Hee Soon Lee, Social Work
CLRS Summer Project
Person-Centered Care and the Effect of a Personalized Playlist on Older Adults with Dementia

13  Heather Paramore
Mentor: Hee Soon Lee, Social Work
SOWK3120 Social Welfare Institutions
Northwest Ohio Community Readiness to Serve Sex Trafficking Survivors

14  Christel Ciolino
Elizabeth Richley
Mentor: Lynne Hewitt, Communication Sciences & Disorders
Communication Sciences & Disorders
University Students’ Knowledge of Autism Spectrum Disorders

15  Madison Rosenthal
Mentor: Mariana Mereoiu, Special Education
ECE 2210 Cul and Ling Diversity in ECE
Foster Children and Education

16  Stephanie WONNOLL
Mentor: Mariana Mereoiu, Special Education
ECE 2210 Cul and Ling Diversity in ECE
Transgender Children: Who Are They and How We Can Help Them

17  Emily Brad
Mentor: Mariana Mereoiu, Special Education
ECE 2210 Cul and Ling Diversity in ECE
Culture Portrayed in Television - Effects on Education

18  Jenna Renoe
Mentor: Mariana Mereoiu, Special Education
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Children with Parents in the Military

19  Paige Leposny
Christa Loring
Stephanie Worth
McKenna Gabriel
Allison Lakar
Gabby Dugger
Mentor: Sharon Subrindth, Teaching and Learning
Honors Project
Not Safe for Women (NSFW): Sexual Assault of Women in the Sex Trade

20  Annamarie Long
Will Seger
Pratton Smith
Nathan Higgins
Ben Myers
Savannah Baum
Mentor: Sharon Subrindth, Teaching and Learning
Honors Project
Islamophobia in Education

21  Emily Clark
Liz Geimer
Olivia Henderson
Cole Highhouse
Judah Kania
Kelsie Mothersed
Mentor: Sharon Subrindth, Teaching and Learning
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Foster Subdreaded, Teaching and Learning

22  Becca Ebert
Mia Eberts
Cary Flanders
Julia Gallatin
Joe Goldblum
Courtney Kermerling
Mentor: Sharon Subrindth, Teaching and Learning
Honors Project
Effect of Food and Family: The Bonding of Foreign Cultures

23  Valerie Skoruski
Mentor: Lisa Hansson, Media & Communication
Media & Communication
Communication Change: Social Media and Civic Engagement

24  Dow Ashley-King
Mentor: Lisa Hansson, Media & Communication
Media & Communication
BSAUniversity: Promoting Diversity and Inclusion on Social Media

25  Hunter Mercuson
Kevin Roberts
Mentor: Lisa Hansson, Media & Communication
Media & Communication
Diversity, Discrimination, and Dialogue: Exploring Social Media Activism

26  Dominique Seo
Mentor: Victoria Blaha, Ethnic Studies
ETHN 1010 Intro Ethnic Studies
The Regal Theater: The Forfront of Racial Desegregation in Chicago

27  Cooper Clarke
Mentor: Victoria Blaha, Ethnic Studies
ETHN 1010 Intro Ethnic Studies
St. Louis County and City Secondary Education

28  Dakota Patton
Mentor: Laura Landry-Meyer, Family & Consumer Sciences
Family & Consumer Sciences
Crossroads: Starting the Conversation and Creating Change

29  Landra Maschari
Mentor: Raymond Schuck, Communication (Firelands)
Communication (Firelands)
Facilitating Peace through Intercultural Education: Common Ingroup Analysis at the Hand in Hand School

30  Jose Diaz
Mentor: Raymond Schuck, Communication (Firelands)
Communication (Firelands)
We Need Better Representation in Video Games

31  Denzel Coleman
Mentor: Beaustine Guenther, Romance and Classical Studies
Romance and Classical Studies
Global Health Studies

32  Cory Obendorfer
Mentor: Lynne Hewitt, Communication Sciences
Communication Sciences
We Can Help Them: Transgender Children: Who They Are and How Much They Deserve

33  Emily Jayson
Mentor: Sharon Subrindth, Teaching and Learning
Honors Project
McNair (Political Science)
Black Spaces Exist: An Analysis of the Virtual Culture of Activism on Black Twitter

34  Philip Anthony
Mentor: Victoria Blaha, Ethnic Studies
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The Regal Theater: The Forfront of Racial Desegregation in Chicago

35  Katie Moran
Mentor: Beatrice Guenther, Romance and Classical Studies
Romance and Classical Studies

36  Leslie Potts
Mentor: Thomas Edge, Ethnic Studies
McNair (Political Science)
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37  Danrico Harris
Mentor: Ewart Skinner, Telecommunications & Global Health
McNair (Psychology)
Factors Influencing the Decisions of Black Males to Attend College

38  Annette King
Mentor: Brian Gwilliam, Cultural and Critical Studies
Cultural and Critical Studies
College Experience

39  Katelyn Lang
Mentor: Kevin Wauthier, Ethnic Studies
ETHN 1010 Intro Ethnic Studies
High Fructose Corn Syrup and Economic Disparity

40  Cory Ondorfer
Mentor: Jamie Stuart, Cultural and Critical Studies
WS 2000 Intro Women's Studies
Urban Renewal in Chicago

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