OLD WORLDS
NEW WORLDS
FUTURE WORLDS

Department of Romance Studies 9th Annual Undergraduate Research Symposium

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Friday March 22, 2019  10:00-2:45
Holsti-Anderson, Rm 153 Rubenstein Library
Thursday, March 22, 2019

10:00
Welcome and Introductory Remarks
Lamonte Aidoo, Director of Undergraduate Studies, Department of Romance Studies

10:15—11:00
Decolonial Epistemologies
Moderator: Walter Mignolo

Marco Vonderheide
A Reflection on Learning, Unlearning, and Relearning

Samantha Votzke
Un-learn to Understand: Recontextualizing Western Understanding of Indigenous Ways of Thinking

Michael Gulcicek
Butō Dance and the Questions of Movement

11:00-11:15 — Break

11:15—12:00
The Politics of Memory
Moderator: Stephanie Sieburth

Nicole Kiprilov
The Exclusion of Conservative Women from Feminism: A Case Study on Marine le Pen of the National Rally

Tyler Goldberger
Organized Forgetting and Exclusionary Memory: A Microcosm of Spain's Inability to Confront Its Past

Roey Vardi
Brigadistas from Mandatory Palestine: A Jewish History

12:00—12:30 — Lunch

12:30–1:00 — Keynote Address
“Immersing Myself in Romance Studies: A Rewarding Challenge”
Janani Arangan, Trinity 2015
Fulbright Grant Recipient, English Teaching Assistant in the Brazilian Amazon

1:00—1:45
Precarious Spaces and Identities
Moderator: Liliana Paredes

Heesu Park
Cultural Representations of “Illegality” in Don Quijote and the Modern World

Olivia Simpson
“To Do the Things That...Make One Human:” Cervantes and Migration as the Realization of Freedom

Paula Ajumobi
The Issue with Images of Displacement

Erick Aguilar
A Home of Our Own: Social Reproduction of a Precarious, Migrant Class

1:45–2:00 — Break

2:00–2:45
Community and the Ethics of Care
Moderator: Joan Clifford

Danielle Mayorga-Young
African Perspectives on MSF’s Humanitarian Work in Former French Colonies

Ivana Premasinghe
Patient-Physician Interactions with Minority Communities

Elayne Wang
The Dental Healthcare Experience of Hispanics in North Carolina