



Awards Ceremony

Opening Remarks

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Awards Presentation

Andreassi Prize in Psychology: Jennifer Mangels, Chair of Psychology Department

Marxe School of Public and International Affairs: Jerry Mitchell, Associate Dean

Weissman School of Arts and Sciences: Aldemaro Romero Jr., Dean

Arts and Humanities

Natural Sciences

Social Sciences

Zicklin School of Business: H. Fenwick Huss, Dean

The Lawrence N. Field Center for Entrepreneurship's Maker Hub: Lendynette Pacheco-Jorge

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John L. Andreassi Prize in Psychology

Cristina Arroyo, Matt Fong

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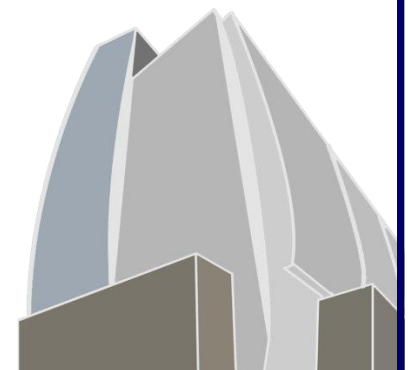
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John L Andreassi Prize in Psychology

Author	Project Title	Faculty Mentor
Austin Fischer	Hemispheric Asymmetry of Facial Perception	Steven Young
Iliana Gomez, Samantha Diaz	ASI 1: Environment by Personality	Mindy Engle-Friedman
Kristina Horne	The Effects of a Pre-Practice Nap on Mood and Self-Efficacy in Student Athletes	Mindy Engle-Friedman
Afia Hossain, Jenna-Lyn Roman	The Relationship Between Illegitimate Tasks and Job Outcomes	Erin Eatough
Minkyung Lee, Iliana Gomez, Goldy Alcindor, Elyse Tripp, Nnekora Wilson	Longitudinal Study of Sustainable Attitudes and Behaviors	Mindy Engle-Friedman
Matthew Liu, Kiley Cappetta, Karol Trochez	Idiographic Everyday Problem Solving in Adult Development	Daniele Artisticco
Brian Tang, Ruth Maouda	Scheduled Naps Impact Preferred Social Distance and Task	Mindy Engle-Friedman
Courtney Wheeler, Rachel Rodriguez	Matthew Effect: Gender Differences in Spatial Ability	Charles Scherbaum
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School of Public Affairs

Author	Project Title	Faculty Mentor
Nicolas Galang, Hafsa Tahir, Jamel James, Tasnia Chowdhury	Her Justice	Richard Hochhauser
Herminio Martinez, Mia McDonald, Giselle Belia-Feliz	Boston Public Housing Public-Private Partnership Proposal	Richard Hochhauser
Hanna Pahl, Saadia Santos, Tia Lewis, Fransico Gomez	Hearts on Wheels	Richard Hochhauser
Desiree Pena, Cheryl Lynch, Camila Fernandez, Daniel Dornbaum	Greater Roxbury	Richard Hochhauser
Nicole Zelenko, Elizabeth Alfonzo, Jessica Tan	Her Courage	Richard Hochhauser
Christine Zhou, Delphina Feige, Luna Giuong	Student Debt Initiative	Richard Hochhauser

Weissman School of Arts and Sciences: Arts & Humanities

Author	Project Title	Faculty Mentor
Ana Arias-Gonzalez	Q and A	Suzanne Dell'Orto
Carlos Avila	Signs	Suzanne Dell'Orto
Tamara Belmeni	Love, Life, Rhythm	Esther Allen
MD Abir Choudhury	Make Your Own Shoes	Allison Hahn
Brandon Drucker	A New York Minute	Suzanne Dell'Orto
Estefany Gonzaga	Don't Give Up: True Stories of Mothers in College	Suzanne Dell'Orto
Goldie Gross	Un/Identifiable	Karen Shelby
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Chian Huang	Offline	Suzanne Dell'Orto
Sania Iqbal	"Can I Get a Like?"	Suzanne Dell'Orto
Xiuyan Jiang	Life on Hands	Suzanne Dell'Orto
Kseniya Kosmina	Life is Beautiful	Suzanne Dell'Orto
Jasmine Li, Sania Iqbal, Ana Arias-Gonzalez	Wild Imagination	Suzanne Dell'Orto
Judy Li	More Than Just Shy	Suzanne Dell'Orto
Sihong Li	Where Does Loneliness Live?	Suzanne Dell'Orto
Jianjun Liang	Chronic Lateness	Suzanne Dell'Orto
Minxin Lin	Gentrification	Suzanne Dell'Orto
Kristy Mei	CelebriTEAS	Suzanne Dell'Orto
Stephanie Mesquita	Wavelength	Suzanne Dell'Orto
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Connor Rowland	Emotional Alexa	Suzanne Dell'Orto

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Author	Project Title	Faculty Mentor
Alex Sun	Cuba's Growing Private Sector	Andrea Gabor
Rebecca Vicente	The Mini Museum of Infinite Possibilities	Karen Shelby
Rachel Viliusis	The Emergence of Psychology and the Creation of Mary Shelley's <i>Frankenstein: An Examination of Innovation and Narration</i>	Stephanie Hershinow
Benjamin Wallin	Life, As it Were	
Judy Yu	Goodbye Plastic	Suzanne Dell'Orto

Weissman School of Arts and Sciences: Natural Sciences

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Ilya Aronskyy	Cytoskeletal Dynamics and Axonal Retraction in an In-vitro Model of ALS	Pablo Peixoto
Frankie Benavides	Isomerization of Ibuprofen	Edyta Greer
Lauren Bialkowski	Anaerobic Digestion in New York: Food Waste, Biogas, and Reducing our Carbon Footprint	Chester Zarnoch
Sarah Bilinson	GMO? What is it?	Suzanne Dell'Orto
Michelle Borukhov	The Environmental Solution	Chester Zarnoch
Michelle Borukhov	Xerostomia/Mucositis Dry Mouth	Edyta Greer
James Brako-Mccomb	Assessing Runoff Pollution from Restaurant Garbage Areas and the Effectiveness of Simple Solutions	Chester Zarnoch
Kritelle Capistrano	Development of Carniofacial Muscles in <i>Drosophila Melanogaster</i>	Krista Dobi
Risham Chaudry, Sadia Khan, Olga Kucherina, Sharon Lu, Fady Gendy	Effects of Methoprene and Ethanol Treatment on Eclosion: a Study in <i>Drosophila Melanogaster</i>	Rebecca Spokony
Risham Chaudry	Current Practices in RNA Sequencing	Rebecca Spokony
Kelvin Chung	Impact of ElonginB mutation on Lethality and Somatic Muscular Morphology in <i>Drosophila melanogaster</i>	Krista Dobi
Ethan Gross	New York City, The City that Needs Some Sleep	Chester Zarnoch
Ruth Hartke, Victoria Slavinsky, Revekka Plotinskaya	3D Printed Rodding in Surgical Treatment of Osteogenesis Imperfecta	Edyta Greer
Zhen Huang, Chester Zarnoch, Jennifer Zhu	The Effects of Anthropogenic Litter on Microbial Diversity and Ecosystem Processes	Chester Zarnoch

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Edwin Jacobellis, Brandon Schiro, Bella Guinea, Kelvin Chung, Lam Nguyen	Hormone Sensitivity in D.Melanogaster Linked to Manifestation of Melanotic Tumours	Rebecca Spokony
Thaiyeba Jalil	Air Quality in New York City Subways and Associated Health Risks	Chester Zarnoch
Rosen Jeong, Adona Pjetergjoka, Manelive Corzo	Esophageal Pacemaker: Utilizing Low-impulse Electrical Stimulation to Induce Swallowing in Patients with Dysphagia Caused By Neurological Deficit	Edyta Greer
Marina Juan	Urban Beekeeping as a Solution to Honeybee Population Declines Caused by Neonicotinoids	Chester Zarnoch
Nadina Latchman, Ma Su Su Aung	To Kill or Not to Kill: The Bak Protein Protects Cell Against Oxidative Stress	Pablo Peixoto
Minkung Lee	Variations of Endocrine Disruptor Sensitivity in Drosophila Melanogaster	Rebecca Spokony
Khrystyna Melnyk, Anastasis Capobianco, Kelvin Chung, Ethan Gross	KAKE Patch - A Hemostatic Preventing Infection without Sutures	Edyta Greer
Steven Nguyen	Will Upgrading Sewage Infrastructure Improve Estuarine Water Quality in New York?	Chester Zarnoch
Nicomedes Rivera, Stephen Madamba	Beyond The Bucket Challenge: Establishing the First Animal Model of Sporadic ALS	Pablo Peixoto
Malika Sampson, Brea Castro, Latifah Abdul-Malik, Kalia Murray, Audrey Guarino	Male Dominance: A Trend of Sex Inequality in Drosophila Mutants	Rebecca Spokony
Marium Sarder	Methoprene (Juvenile Hormone Mimic) Regulated Enhancer at the Foraging Locus	Rebecca Spokony
Brandon Schiro, Sadia Khan, Saharish Dhiri	Gum Guard: An Effective Defense Against Periodontal Disease	Edyta Greer
Sivanna Shusterman	Fecal Microbiota Transplantation and Irritable Bowel Syndrome	Pablo Peixoto
Joi Simon, Leysa Aquino, Diandra Ledee, Elizabeth Melkumova, Jaime Pagnotta	The Effects of Methoprene on the Development of Male Genitalia in Drosophila Melanogaster	Rebecca Spokony
Thuong Tran	Pulse Patch: Taking Pulse in Seconds	Edyta Greer
Thoung Tran	Exploring the Tautomerization of Thiotropocin and Tropodithietic Acid	Edyta Greer

Weissman School of Arts and Sciences: Social Sciences

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Alexander Grinberg	NATO, Russia, and European's Chessboard: How Mutual Distrust Will Lead to Conflict	Roseanne McManus
Deanna Pisacreta, Gabriela Dotel, Haolin Chen	Realities of Transnationalism in America	Nancy Aries
Christina Ramos, Irwin Gorodetsky	America: The Land of Refuge	Nancy Aries
Zoe Sailer, Victoria Cheng, Sophie Huang	Men's Influence on Women's Immigration	Nancy Aries
Olivia Sztanga	A Solution for Only a Few	Els de Graauw
Richard Tang	Identity Formation: Single or Aggregation	Nancy Aries
Ashley-Mei Torrenti	The American Experience of a Chinese Woman in the 1960's	Nancy Aries
Massy Vainshtein, Zoe Reda	The Vinales Valley and Its Emerging Entrepreneurs	Andrea Gabor
Julia Venditti	Presidential Strategy and Legislative Success	Till Weber

Zicklin School of Business

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Thi Thuy Linh Chu, Jose Tobon, Anastasiya Efremova, Julian Niemetz	Weight Watchers Case Study	Judith Ryba
Samantha Eng, Taruna Manni	Glitter Turned Gold	Sandip Basu
Jeremy Etwaroo	A Qualitative Approach: Understanding How Conflicts Affect a Company's CSR Policy	Sethi Prakash
Leonard Ho, Karen Lui, Dhwanish Patel, Adam Tyszka	Starbucks	Judith Ryba
Alex Lam, JanYing He, Carmela Ruffo, Cheng Dong	Jet Blue	Judith Ryba
Irene Lee, Kay Lee, Timothy Wong, Nursultan Djamalidinov	Procter & Gamble Case Study	Judith Ryba
Carly Murphy	The Evils of Accounting Fraud	Suzzete Andrews-Parker
Aygyul Mustafina, Kevin Parakkattu, Michael Goldberg, Evans Charles Augustin	Fresh Direct	Judith Ryba
Kerianne O'Dwyer, Feira Zayats, Nicole Wild, Chris Donovan	WWE Case Analysis	Judith Ryba
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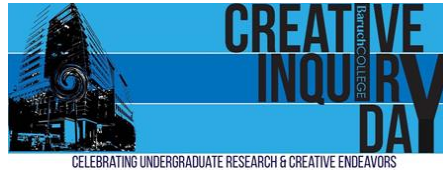
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