

Undergraduate Research & Creative Activity Conference

2015 Award Recipients

College of Arts & Sciences

Fine Arts & Humanities – Oral Presentations

1 st Place	Emily Vork (Faculty Mentor: Merinda Simmons)
2 nd Place	Brianna Adams (Faculty Mentor: Yolanda Manora)
3 rd Place	Kaylee MacKnight (Faculty Mentor: Stacy Alley)
4 th Place	Amanda Bennett (Faculty Mentor: Trudier Harris)

Honorable Mention:

Mark Ortiz (Faculty Mentor: David Meek)
Mallory Herring (Faculty Mentor: Rebecca Salzer)
Megan Cole (Faculty Mentor: Deborah Weiss)

Fine Arts & Humanities – Poster Presentations

1 st Place	Mary Fair (Faculty Mentor: Andrea Trotter)
2 nd Place	Rachel Burton (Faculty Mentor: Lawrence Jackson)
3 rd Place	Haley Davenport (Faculty Mentor: Angela Barber)
4 th Place	Randy Arnold (Faculty Mentor: William Doty)

Fine Arts & Humanities – Internationally Focused*

Award Recipient – Jamie Bowman (Faculty Mentor: Albert Pionke)

Natural Sciences & Mathematics – Oral Presentations

1 st Place	Genevieve Miller (Faculty Mentor: Ryan Earley)
2 nd Place	Shuwen Yue (Faculty Mentor: David Dixon)
3 rd Place	Samantha Durfey (Faculty Mentor: Carol Duffy)
4 th Place	Ryan Hacherl (Faculty Mentor: Carolyn Cassady)

Honorable Mention:

Sean Miller (Faculty Mentor: David Dixon)
Richard Seeber (Faculty Mentor: Ryan Earley)
Anna Moyer (Faculty Mentor: Janis O'Donnell)
Danny Laderberg (Faculty Mentor: Stephen Secor)

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Natural Sciences & Mathematics – Poster Presentations

- 1st Place Hunter Dean (Faculty Mentor: Janis O'Donnell)
2nd Place Andrew Davis (Faculty Mentor: Laura Reed)
3rd Place Kindle Williams (Faculty Mentor: Stephen Woski)
4th Place Sam Stanley
 Bryan Martinez (Faculty Mentor: Kim Caldwell)

Honorable Mention:

- Lynda Truong (Faculty Mentor: Stephen Woski)
Brian McWilliams (Faculty Mentor: Matthew Jenny)

Natural Sciences & Mathematics – Internationally Focused*

Poster Award Recipient - Ansley Griffith

Collin Williams (Faculty Mentor: Fred Andrus)

Oral Award Recipient – Joseph Cardosi

Jeremy McDoniell (Faculty Mentor: Juan Lopez-Bautista)

Social Sciences – Oral Presentations

- 1st Place Daniel Klein (Faculty Mentor: Joseph Smith)
2nd Place Leigh Terry (Faculty Mentor: Douglas Gibler)
3rd Place Gwen Gardiner (Faculty Mentor: Alexa Tullett)
4th Place Taylor Lawhon (Faculty Mentor: Ian Brown)

Honorable Mention:

Alexis Williams (Faculty Mentor: Laura Myers)

Social Sciences – Poster Presentations

- 1st Place Margaret Holland (Faculty Mentor: Joan Barth)
2nd Place Kaitlin Burchett (Faculty Mentor: John Lochman)
3rd Place Cole Cecchini (Faculty Mentor: Debra McCallum)
4th Place Nicole McFarland
 Bethany Turner
 Olympia Karageorgiou (Faculty Mentor: Dana Patton)

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Honorable Mention:

Ann Durand (Faculty Mentor: Dana Patton)
Spencer Yeamans
Alexandra Bushelli
Sarah Sheahan (Faculty Mentor: Dana Patton)
Young Kim (Faculty Mentor: Theodore Tomeny)
Amy Hase (Faculty Mentor: Nicole Powell)

Social Sciences – Internationally Focused*

Poster Award Recipient - Elizabeth Rogers
Sarah Sawyer (Faculty Mentor: Nicholas Kerr)

Oral Award Recipient – Leigh Terry (Faculty Mentor: Douglas Gibler)

Culverhouse College of Commerce

Poster Presentations

1st Place Derek Carter (Faculty Mentor: Peter Brummund)
2nd Place Alexa Gardner (Faculty Mentor: Paan Jindapon)
3rd Place Katherine O'Connor (Faculty Mentor: Paan Jindapon)
4th Place Jeffrey Wysong (Faculty Mentor: Glenn Richey)

Oral Presentations

1st Place Siddhartha (Neil) Chakraborti (Faculty Mentor: Robert Reed)

Honorable Mention:
Jason Arterburn (Faculty Mentor: Peter Brummund)

College of Communication and Information Sciences

Poster Presentations

1st Place Daniel Hughes (Faculty Mentor: Darrin Griffin)
2nd Place Kathryn Gallagher (Faculty Mentor: Karla Gower)
3rd Place Liz Alley (Faculty Mentor: Chip Brantley)
3rd Place Samuel Evans
 Keelin McNamara
 Amanda Hydrick
 Chandler Dare
 Ashley Robbins (Faculty Mentor: Yonghwan Kim)

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Oral Presentations

1st Place	Ben Flores (Faculty Mentor: Kathryn Seigfried-Spellar)
2nd Place	Candice Ji Joel Hafer
3rd Place	Larissa Magera (Faculty Mentor: Teri Henley) Samantha Rudelich (Faculty Mentor: Meredith Bagley)

College of Education

Oral Presentations

1 st Place	Bethany Carter (Faculty Mentor: Wayne Urban)
2 nd Place	Dustin Atchison (Faculty Mentor: Cory Callahan)
3 rd Place	Katherine June (Faculty Mentor: Margaret Stran)
3 rd Place	Ashley Seiss (Faculty Mentor: Kathy Wetzel)

Poster Presentations

1 st Place	Megan Smith (Faculty Mentor: Stacy Hughey-Surman)
2 nd Place	Josh Oriez (Faculty Mentor: Mary Givens)
3 rd Place	Eric Roddy (Faculty Mentor: Rick Houser)

Emerging Scholars Program

Fine Arts & Humanities

1 st Place	Rachel Madey (Faculty Mentor: Kathryn Oths)
2 nd Place	Sommer Hallquist Madeline Anscombe (Faculty Mentor: Ian Brown)
3 rd Place	Katie Gatti (Faculty Mentor: Meg Lamme)

Science, Mathematics & Engineering

1 st Place	Matt Bowen (Faculty Mentor: Jeff Gray)
2 nd Place	Brandon McChristian (Faculty Mentor: Steve Shepard)
2 nd Place	Jacob Zarobsky (Faculty Mentor: Jeff Gray)

Social Sciences, Business & Education

1 st Place	Michael Scaglione Kathryn Reynolds
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	Lauren Browning (Faculty Mentor: Philip Gable)
2 nd Place	Matthew Barrett (Faculty Mentor: Karl DeRouen)
3 rd Place	Madison Elmore (Faculty Mentor: Phillip Bishop)

Internationally Focused*

Fine Arts & Humanities

1 st Place	Rachel Madey (Faculty Mentor: Kathryn Oths)
2 nd Place	Katie Gatti (Faculty Mentor: Meg Lamme)
3 rd Place	Jared Tubbs (Faculty Mentor: Amir Zaheri)

Social Sciences, Business & Education

Science, Mathematics & Engineering

1 st Place	Matthew Barrett (Faculty Mentor: Karl DeRouen)
2 nd Place	Clare Ols (Faculty Mentor: Eben Broadbent)
3 rd Place	Sarah Harden (Faculty Mentor: Shadi Martin)

College of Engineering

Poster Presentations

1 st Place	Michael Ikegami (Faculty Mentor: Dawen Li)
2 nd Place	Connor Smith (Faculty Mentor: Susan Burkett)
3 rd Place	Andrew Raddatz (Faculty Mentor: Yonghyun Kim)

College of Human Environmental Sciences

1 st Place	Hunter Sartain Joseph Clark Ledford Kenya Donovan Sabrina Gerlich Megan Ingram (Faculty Mentor: Maria Hernandez-Reif)
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2 nd Place	Megan Ingram (Faculty Mentor: Maria Hernandez-Reif)
2 nd Place	Carson Parker Katherine Jordan Caroline Brantley Katelyn Reichardt

3 rd Place	Katie Bain (Faculty Mentor: Linda Knol) Bria Robinson LaQuoya Robinson Elle Darby (Faculty Mentor: Marcy Koontz)
3 rd Place	Caitlin Wall

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	Sarah Kidwell (Faculty Mentor: Shinae Choi)
3 rd Place	MaryPat Peeples (Faculty Mentor: Melissa Wilmarth)
4 th Place	Jordan Stone (Faculty Mentor: Tricia Witte)
4 th Place	Loren Schouest (Faculty Mentor: Casey Totenhagen)
4 th Place	Mercedes Lightfoot (Faculty Mentor: Jen Nickelson)
5 th Place	Lauren Curtner-Smith (Faculty Mentor: Mary Elizabeth Curtner-Smith)
5 th Place	Demi Eckhoff (Faculty Mentor: Amy Ellis)

Conference Faculty Award:

Dr. Maria Hernandez-Reif

Conference Faculty Honorable Mention:

Lori Greene

Internationally Focused*

Award Recipient – Simoen Tere Warren (Faculty Mentor: Kristin Maki)

Capstone College of Nursing

Poster Presentations

1 st Place	Barbara Thornton Emma-Caitlin Pitts Katie Meredith Kristina Collins Ashley Mixson Virginia Farlow Lauren Higginbotham Staci Shea (Faculty Mentor: Stephanie Ragland)
2 nd Place	Katie Chapman (Faculty Mentor: Paige Johnson)
3 rd Place	Molly McCain Laura Harris Alison Brock Carla Keith Shanice Baldwin Madeline Krams Asia Dawson (Faculty Mentor: Michele Montgomery)

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School of Social Work

Oral Presentations

1st Place Aubrey Smith
 Erika Rogers
 Sara Langley
 Jonathan Harrell
 Sonya Barnes
 Erin Delaney
 Alexa Argianas
 Ashley Gullap (Faculty Mentor: Kevin Corcoran)

Poster Presentations

1st Place Regina Williams
 Jenna Corley
 Jessica Perkins
 Heather Bryant
 Shellie Parrish
 Susan Slay
 Jonta Moore (Faculty Mentor: Kevin Corcoran)

Internationally Focused*

Award Recipient – Carly Dethrage (Faculty Mentor: Javonda Williams)