



Oral Presentations

University Center, Room 310

Session I

Faculty Moderator: Richard Wilson, Philosophy

9:15 – 9:30 a.m.	Dorothy Kenny “What’s in a Name?: Using DNA Barcoding to Identify Species of Oriole” Professor Kevin Omland, Mentor	Biological Sciences
9:30 – 9:45 a.m.	Matthew Morrison “Application of Scheduling Algorithms in Assigning Advisors during UMBC New Student Orientation Advisement” Professor Henry Emurian, Mentor	Information Systems
9:45 – 10:00 a.m.	Elizabeth Kudirka “Ten Reasons Biotechnology Will be Important to the Developing World” Professor Richard Wilson, Mentor	Philosophy
10:00 – 10:15 a.m.	Matthew Poland “‘Great Sofas in Vast Cathedrals’: Space and Moral Perception in Three English Country-House Novels” Professor Raphael Falco, Mentor	English
10:15 – 10:30 a.m.	Sarah Lichtner “Oscar Wilde: Degenerate or Revolutionary?” Professor Orienne Smith, Mentor	English

Session II

Faculty Moderator: Piotr Gwiazda, English

10:30 – 10:45 a.m.	Cheryl Jaworski “Christina Stead's Religion of Love and the New Science of the Mind” Professor Piotr Gwiazda, Mentor	Interdisciplinary Studies
10:45 – 11:00 a.m.	Charlene Kuo “Investigation of the Value of the Dependable Strengths™ Workshop for UMBC Alumni” Susan Martin, Mentor	American Studies



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- 11:00 – 11:15 a.m.** **Christina Hawkins** **Interdisciplinary Studies**
“Latin American Trade Alternatives for the 21st Century”
Professor Tim Gindling, Mentor
Professor Devin Hagerty, Mentor
- 11:15 – 11:30 a.m.** **Douglas Nivens, II** **Political Science**
“Appeasing Whom? The Use of Unilateral Initiatives and Inter-Korean Relations”
Professor Cynthia Hody, Mentor
- 11:30 – 11:45 a.m.** **Cally Brandt** **Ancient Studies**
“Two Media, Same Metamorphoses: The Works of Ovid and Bernini”
Professor Carolyn Koehler, Mentor

Session III

Faculty Moderator: **Orianne Smith, English**

- 1:15 – 1:30 p.m.** **Amanda Rosenbush** **Modern Languages and Linguistics**
“Reading beyond the Lines: The Discourse of Gender Violence in Spain”
Professor Denis Provencher, Mentor
- 1:30 – 1:45 p.m.** **Kayleigh Somers** **English**
“‘Dirt and Confusion’: Nature in Jane Austen’s Novels”
Professor Orianne Smith, Mentor
- 1:45 – 2:00 p.m.** **Nancy Tewell** **American Studies**
“Economic Diversity Decreasing in Planned City: Columbia, Maryland”
Professor Edward Orser, Mentor
- 2:00 – 2:15 p.m.** **Matthew Dolamore** **Modern Languages and Linguistics**
“National Identity in Monuments—Analysis of Interactions between Russia’s Youth and Moscow’s Public Monument Sites”
Professor Elaine Rusinko, Mentor
- 2:15 – 2:30 p.m.** **Christianna Stavroudis** **Modern Languages and Linguistics**
“Teaching Pragmatics to High-Functioning Individuals with Autism: An Outline for a Computer Learning Program”
Professor Thomas Field, Mentor