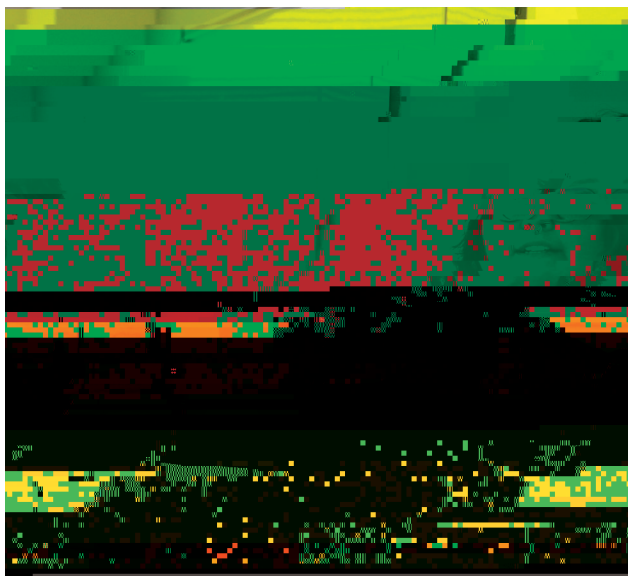




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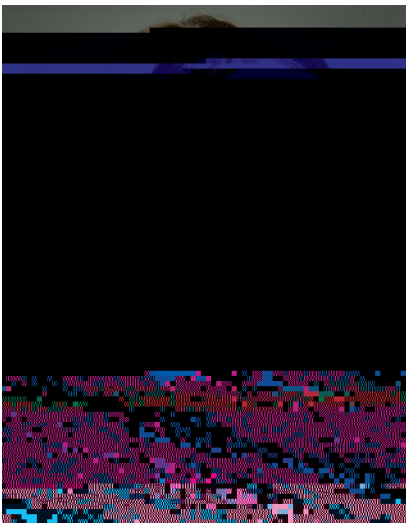
A Message from our Co-Chairs

Welcome to the 16th Annual Undergraduate Research Symposium! We would like to thank you for your interest and participation and for helping craft a learning experience where our students can pursue academic excellence. Along with the Honors Ambassadors, we are excited to play a role in bringing this incredible opportunity to life for each and every one of our students, staff, faculty, and audience members.

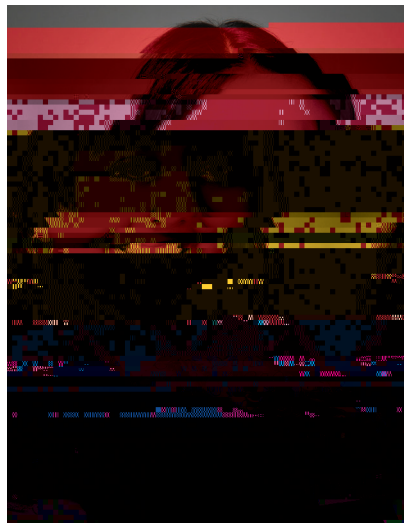
The Undergraduate Research Symposium is an incredible opportunity for undergraduate Bearkats to begin attaining valuable research experience and skills for future professional conferences. During the symposium, students have the chance to practice public speaking, network with fellow students and faculty, and develop as emerging professionals. The symposium serves as a launchpad for more advanced ideas

and research and is a gateway to a community focused on academic success. Above all, the URS fosters an environment that encourages the current and future success of all students, whether they present or attend as an audience member.

Of course, the conference would not succeed without you. Whether someone is a new or returning presenter, a volunteer or Honors Ambassador, a faculty member or advisor, an administrator, or a supportive audience member, we each play an integral part in creating a one-of-a-kind event every year. On behalf of each of the co-chairs, we thank you for your unique and valued contribution to the 16th Annual Undergraduate Research Symposium, and we hope to see you again in the future. We will continue to grow in number and success for many years to come.



Ellen Claassen
URS Co-Chair



Yadira Dominguez
URS Co-Chair

Regan Zivney
URS Co-Chair

Session A

9:00 - 10:20

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Anna Wentzlaff
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Steven Spears, Paige Kemp, Hannah Ross
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Katherine Shaver
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Evelyn Soto

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Session B

10:30 - 11:50

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Rubi Herrera
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Zariah Pettus
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Kade Ferguson

Session C

1:30 - 2:50

Jeremy Bryan
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Madhusudan Choudhary

Katelyn Knight
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Patrick Lewis

Kelby Been
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Chelsea Ratcli

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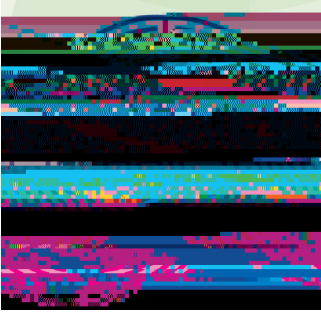
Session D

3:00 - 4:20

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Madeline Mize
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kimberly Bell

Emily Allen
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Tracy Bilsing



The Honors College Ambassadors would like to thank our faculty moderators for taking the time to share their expertise with our student scholars.

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