

## **Poster Sessions: Saturday, February 24**

**Location: Morris Library, First Floor Rotunda**

*\*We will have easels and cardboards for you to clip your posters on. The largest size we can post is 36X48.*

*\*\*You will leave your posters through the day, but please be present with your posters during your allotted time as that is when the poster judges will come around.*

*\*\*We will have easels with your names on it. Please bring your poster with you preferably on Friday when you come for the tour/dinner. Alternatively, please try to find your place and set up your poster by 9AM on Saturday.*

### **Poster Session I: Gaps and bridges: Families, education, institutions. (9:30-10:30 AM)**

**Judges: Lingguo Bu (Professor of Mathematics Education) & Tori McNary (Psychology)**

- Kelly Ritzke, (Governors State University), *General Education Dilemma: Bridging Gaps or Creating Barriers?*
- Ana Paola Zaragoza (Elmhurst university), *Mental Illness as Maladaptive Expertise*
- Delaney Redden & Ainsley Dunderdale (Southern Illinois University Carbondale), *Mini Golf Mathematics: Engaging Elementary Students in Geometric Concepts*
- Madelyn Swigart (Western Illinois University), *The Personality Problems Linked with Parent Child Relationships*
- Mateo Gomez Bedoya (Elmhurst university), *Interactive Spanish Teaching Resources*

### **Poster Session II: Media, arts, communication: Aesthetics and politics (10:40-11:40)**

**Judges: Mont Allen (Art History and Classics) & Jennifer Horton (Associate Dean, Morris Library)**

- Niyah Cannon (Governors State University), *Media Betrayal of Innocents: Children's Involvement in YouTube Family Vlogs*
- Alyssa Dillinger (Governors State University), *Causes of Children's Illiteracy.*
- Nicole Solick (Governors State University), *To Binge or Not to Binge: True Crime's Psychological Impacts on Viewers*
- Kirsten Whitlow (Governors State University), *True Crime is Becoming a Cash Cow: Desensitization, Exploitation, and Re-traumatization*
- Alejandra Galvan (Elmhurst University), *Quilting as a Means of Fostering Political Communication*

### **Poster Session III: Ecology and human health (1:20-2:20 pm)**

**Judges: John Farrish (Animal Science, Food and Nutrition) & Kwangho Choy (School of Mathematical and Statistical Sciences)**

- Emma Lingo (Governors State University), *Wildfires: How They Impact North American Ecosystems and their Communities*
- Lucia Rosario Zdenahlik & Tina I. Imanlihen (Elmhurst University), *BAP1 Expression Decreases with Melanoma Progression*

- Annabelle Barnes, Reese Billingsley & Gladis Sara Sunny (Southern Illinois University Carbondale), *Ring Splints: A Doorway to Explore Art, Design, & Medicine*
- Diana Luhechko (Harper College), *Light and Shadow of Radiation: From Death to Life*
- Sarah Lukavsky (Southern Illinois University Carbondale), *Over a century of data reveals climate-driven earlier flowering in a native annual*
- Teresa Puchalski (Harper College), *Antioxidants*
- Jacquelin Vanoni (Elmhurst university), *A Comprehensive Analysis of the Adsorption of Methylene Blue, Crystal Violet, and Congo Red on Activated Charcoal and Bentonite Clay*