

6TH ANNUAL STUDENT RESEARCH SHOWCASE

Best Presentation Awards

Best Oral Presentations

1st Place

Danae Christerson

Department of Social Work, Master of Social Work Program

Mentor: Dr. Karen Lee

Project Title: *Psychological Distress and Life Satisfaction Among Transgender Individuals*

2nd Place

Kasey Markell

Department of Kinesiology, Master of Science in Athletic Training Program

Mentor: Dr. Shawn Hanlon

Project Title: *Physical Activity Levels and Tendon Pain Predict Short-term Outcomes in Patients with Achilles Tendinopathy*

Best Poster Presentations

1st Place

Enrique Flores

Department of Kinesiology, Undergraduate

Mentors: Dr. Daniela Rubin, Dr. Kathleen Wilson, Dr. Koren Fisher, and Dr. Do Kyeong Lee

Project Title: *Participation in Physical Activity Program and Health-Related Quality of Life*

2nd Place

Ranya Oubeid

Department of Social Work, Master of Social Work Program

Mentor: Dr. Gordon Capp

Project Title: *Islamic Coping Skills and Spiritual Connection: How Does Islam Serve as a Protective Factor Against Negative Well-being and Depression among Muslims?*

**3rd Place
(tie)**

Eliana McElderry

Department of Social Work, Master of Social Work Program

Mentor: Dr. Brittany Eghaneyan

Project Title: *The Relationship Between Basic Needs Security and Perceptions of Success for College Students*

**3rd Place
(tie)**

Erica Simmons

Department of Social Work, Master of Social Work Program

Mentor: Dr. Sean Hogan

Project Title: *Examining the Relationship Between Parental Monitoring and Behavioral Problems Amongst Youth with a History of Foster Care: A Secondary Analysis*