



HONORS THESIS DEFENSE SPRING 2007

April 23, 2007

1:00 Christine Cadelina

Title: Integrative Medicine: A Study of Acute Care Nurses' Perceptions, Beliefs, and Attitudes towards the use of Complementary and Alternative Medicine

Reader 1: Prof. Chris Bolla

Reader 2: Prof. Olivia Catolico

1:45 Olga Sukhenko

Title: Labor and Delivery Nurses' Perceptions of Risk in a Low-Risk Client Undergoing Elective Induction of Labor

Reader 1: Prof. Luanne Linnard-Palmer

Reader 2: Prof. Kathy Beebe

2:30 Michelle Venter

Title: Children at-risk for Learning Disabilities: Occupational Therapists' perceptions about pre and post early intervention services

Reader 1: Prof. Stacy Frauwirth

Reader 2: Prof. Bonnie Napier

3:15 Beverly Kit

Title: The Biracial Experience in America: Memoirs of a Mixed-Race Girl

Reader 1: Prof. Arthur Scott

Reader 2: Prof. Julia van der Ryn

4:00 Tamara Nance

Title: Reflections on the Medical Maze: Individuals, The System, and Ethics

Reader 1: Prof. Robert Traer

Reader 2: Prof. Julia van der Ryn

4:45 Amy Stasch

Title: Three Seasons as a Park Ranger: The Confluence of Wilderness, Management, and Human Experience in Katami National Park and Preserve

Reader 1: Prof. Julia van der Ryn

Reader 2: Prof. Arthur Scott

April 24, 2007

1:00 Jennifer Jensen

Title: The Bride of Flowers

Reader 1: Prof. Joan Baranow

Reader 2: Prof. Penny Jackson

1:45 Mea Chavez

Title: "Shop Dummy," a one-act by Mea Chavez

Reader 1: Prof. Joan Baranow

Reader 2: Prof. Carlos Rodriguez



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April 24, 2007

2:30 Cheramie Johnson

Title: Mirage: An Exploration of Myth and Illusion in the Mojave Desert

Reader 1: Prof. Joan Baranow

Reader 2: Prof. Chase Clow

April 26, 2007

1:00 Kathleen Smith

Title: Education in the hands of the United States Supreme Court: Why is racial segregation still an issue?

Reader 1: Prof. Christian Dean

Reader 2: Prof. Martin Anderson

1:45 Colleen Shorey

Title: Three Strikes, You're Out, Belongs in Baseball: Why the Three Strikes Law Continues to Defeat its Purpose.

Reader 1: Prof. Christian Dean

Reader 2: Prof. Alison Howard

2:30 Joshua Demitro

Title: Tech Chaos – 2008 Business Plan

Reader 1: Prof. Chris Leeds

Reader 2: Prof. Asayehgn. Desta

3:15 Summer Bolen

Title: Eco-Fabulous: Going Green in the Fashion Industry

Reader 1: Prof. Chris Leeds

Reader 2: Prof. Liz Capener

4:00 Salvatore Crivello

Title: Serving San Rafael: The Go-Taxi/University Partnership

Reader 1: Prof. Chris Leeds

Reader 2: Prof. Liz Capener

5:00 Kristin Freiburger

Title: What are effective strategies for learners with Autism Spectrum Disorder in a Reading and Language Arts classroom?

Reader 1: Prof. Carolee Freedman

Reader 2: Prof. Mary Ann Sinkkonen

5:45 Lindsay Summers

Title: What are effective strategies for teaching English Language Learners in the subject of Language Arts?

Reader 1: Prof. Carolee Freedman

Reader 2: Prof. Mary Ann Sinkkonen



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April 27, 2007

8:10 Gurleen Sidhu

*Title: Recovery of Neurons and Dentate Gyrus Volume in Alzheimer's APP
Transgenic Mice by Mutation of Asp664*

Reader 1: Prof. Mohammed El Majdoubi

Reader 2: Prof. Diara Spain

8:50 Desaree Williams

*Title: Photosynthetic Pigments of Halimeda tuna and Dictyota spp in Relation to
Depth in Little Cayman, Cayman Islands*

Reader 1: Prof. Vania Coelho

Reader 2: Prof. Mietek Kolipinski

9:30 Diana Paula Hallare

*Title: Effects of Epigallocatechin Gallate on Somatostatin Receptor-Positive Cancer
Cells and on Cadmium Toxicity in C. elegans*

Reader 1: Prof. Christelle Sabieter

Reader 2: Prof. Maggie Louie

April 30, 2007

1:00 Lisa Georgetti

*Title: The Characteristics of Success: Appearance and Personality as Predictors of
Being Hired*

Reader 1: Prof. Afshin Gharib

Reader 2: Prof. Matt Davis

1:45 Arjun Verma

*Title: Improving Musical Recall Memory for Simple Melodies among Piano Students:
Comparing the Method of Loci to a Numeric Mnemonic*

Reader 1: Prof. Matt Davis

Reader 2: Prof. Bill Phillips

2:30 Katie Wilson

*Title: Cross-Cultural Differences in Child Temperament: A Comparative Study
Between in United States and Ecuador*

Reader 1: Prof. Matt Davis

Reader 2: Prof. Jan Kristal

3:30 Michael White

Title: Interpretation Through Visual Imagery

Reader 1: Prof. Steven Polacco

Reader 2: Prof. Lynn Sondag

4:15 Michael Perekrestov

Title: The Artistic Process: Portraying the Same Subject in Different Media

Reader 1: Prof. Steven Polacco

Reader 2: Prof. Lynn Sondag