

~ Morning Presentations ~

Morning Oral Presentation: U/P: Social Sciences and STEM

*First Place***Homologous recombination repair facilitates replicative transposition of the mPing element from rice***Lisette Payero*, Biology (major) - Senior; USC Aiken

Dr. C. Nathan Hancock, Department of Biology and Geology, USC Aiken

*Second Place-Tie***Nest monitoring of American wood storks via remote cameras***Michaela Day*, Biology (major) - Senior; USC Aiken

Dr. Kristina Ramstad, Department of Biology and Geology, USC Aiken

*Second Place-Tie***Impressions of Participants in a Chemical Mass Casualty Exercise***Ethan Start*, Biological Sciences (major), Chemistry minor - Senior

Dr. Joan Culley, College of Nursing

Dr. Abbas Tavakoli, College of Nursing

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Arts and Humanities A

*First Place-Tie***Appositive relative clauses (ARCs) and the foreground/ background distinction***Emily Bowling*, Experimental Psychology (major), Philosophy (major) - Sophomore

Dr. Anne Bezuidenhout, Department of Philosophy

*First Place-Tie***The Universe Under a Microscope***Claire Chabot*, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major), French minor - Junior

Dr. Doug Pittman, College of Pharmacy

*Second Place***Occultism in the Pre-Civil War South***Elisabeth Zoe Anderson-Horecny*, History (major), Southern Studies minor - Senior

Dr. Matthew Melvin-Koushki, Department of History

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Biology and Biomedical Sciences A

*First Place***The effect of HDAC inhibition on tbx5a and tbx5b expression in zebrafish***Alec Jones*, Biology (major), Chemistry minor - Senior; USC Aiken

Dr. April DeLaurier, Department of Biology and Geology, USC Aiken

*Second Place-Tie***Could Mast Cells Be Early Diagnostic Markers of Colorectal Cancer?***Nabihah Kumte*, Public Health (major), Chemistry minor - Junior

Dr. Carole Oskeritzian, Pathology, Microbiology, and Immunology

*Second Place-Tie***A TP53 Knockout system for oncology drug testing***John Warrington*, Biomedical Engineering (major) - Junior

Dr. Phillip Buckhaults, College of Pharmacy

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Biology and Biomedical Sciences B

*First Place***A study on the role of IL-17A in neuronal development and in autism pathogenesis***Mary-Kate Lawlor*, Biological Sciences (major), Medical Humanities minor - Junior

Dr. Sofia Lizarraga, Department of Biological Sciences

Second Place

ATF4 increases axon growth through altering neuronal gene expression

Austin Lewis, Biological Sciences (major), Religious Studies minor - Senior

Dr. Jeffery Twiss, Department of Biological Sciences

Dr. Pabitra Sahoo, Department of Biological Sciences

Honorable Mention

CST Influences AND1 Function in General DNA replication

Benjamin Caiello, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major) - Junior

Dr. Jason Stewart, Department of Biological Sciences

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Biology and Environmental Sciences A

First Place-Tie

Integration of natural selection across the lifecycle stabilizes a mussel hybrid zone

Allison Burrell, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major), French minor - Senior

Dr. Jerry Hilbish, Department of Biological Sciences

First Place-Tie

Downregulation of MAP Kinase Signaling Pathways by Protein Phosphatases in Response to UV-B Irradiation in Arabidopsis

Bradley Fasulo, Biological Sciences (major), Chemistry minor - Senior

Dr. Johannes Stratmann, Department of Biological Sciences

Ms. Claire Hann, Department of Biological Sciences

Second Place

Pollination Pockets: Promoting Community Engagement and Pollinator Abundance

Katherine Schultz, Biological Sciences (major) - Senior

Dr. Carol Boggs, School of the Earth, Ocean, and Environment

Dr. Thomas Syfert, Environmental Health and Safety

Ms. Audrey Jones, Green Quad Living and Learning Community

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Biology and Environmental Sciences B

First Place-Tie

Analysis of Benthic Microalgae Composition in Salt Pan and Marsh Sediments of North Inlet-Winyah Bay

Mary Frame, Marine Science (major), Chemistry (major) - Senior

Ashley Foulk, Marine Science (major) - Sophomore

Jesse Franz, Marine Science (major) - Sophomore

Abigail Davis, Marine Science (major) - Junior

John J. Freier, Marine Science (major) - Sophomore

Dr. Tammi Richardson, Department of Biological Sciences

Dr. James Pinckney, School of the Earth, Ocean, and Environment

First Place-Tie

Sedimentary Record of Laramide Uplift in the Cañon City Embayment, Colorado, USA

Nicholas Mitchell, Global Studies (major), Geological Sciences (major) - Sophomore

Dr. David Barbeau, School of the Earth, Ocean, and Environment

Second Place

Modeling Plant Response to Multiple Stressors: MAP-Kinase levels in Response to Salt and Wounding

Curtis Cecchi, Biological Sciences (major), Statistics minor - Senior

Dr. Johannes Stratmann, Department of Biological Sciences

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Chemistry, Physics, and Math A

First Place

Ligand Access, Substrate-Binding, and Electronics in P450 NikQ

Gabriel D'Agostino, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major) - Junior

Dr. Thomas Makris, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

Ms. Courtney Wise, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

Second Place

Purification and characterization of Fep1 and its interacting partners in *S.pombe*

Sara Wallam, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major), Medical Humanities minor - Junior

Dr. Caryn Outten, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

Honorable Mention

Photometry of High Redshift Gravitationally Lensed Type Ia Supernovae

Annastasia Haynie, Physics (major), Astronomy minor - Senior

Dr. Steve Rodney, Department of Physics and Astronomy

Honorable Mention

Synthesis, Purification, and Characterization of Monosaccharide Inhibitors for Trypanosoma cruzi Hexokinase

Robert Lanier, Biology (major), Chemistry - Junior; USC Beaufort

Dr. Edward D' Antonio, Department of Natural Sciences, USC Beaufort

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Chemistry, Physics, and Math B

First Place

Structural and functional studies of 4-hydroxy tetrahydrodipicolinate reductase from Neisseria gonorrhoeae

Sarah Pye, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major), French (major) - Sophomore

Dr. Maksymilian Chruszcz, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

Ms. Swanandi Pote, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

Second Place-Tie

Development of a Platform for the Study of Transient High-Valent Cytochrome P450 Intermediates

Nicholas Leschinsky, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major) - Senior

Dr. Thomas Makris, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

Mr. Jose Amaya, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

Second Place-Tie

Bio-renewable, Biodegradable and Regenerable Antimicrobial Polymer Surface by Electrostatic Layer-by-Layer Assembly

Edgar Luat, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major), Medical Humanities minor - Junior

Dr. Chuanbing Tang, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Engineering, Computing, and Math A

First Place

Optimization of microfluidic chip fabrication via femtosecond laser ablation

Kenneth Aycock, Biomedical Engineering (major) - Senior

Dr. Guiren Wang, Biomedical Engineering Program

Second Place

Application of Electromicrobiology for In-situ Bioprocess Monitoring

Blake Devivo, Chemical Engineering (major) - Junior

Dr. John Weidner, Department of Chemical Engineering

Dr. Charles Turick, Savannah River National Laboratory

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Engineering, Computing, and Math B

First Place

The performance of CuMn₂O₄ oxygen carrier with and without the presence of sulfur dioxide in a chemical looping with oxygen uncoupling system

Sam Horlick, Chemical Engineering (major) - Senior

Dr. Bihter Padak, Department of Chemical Engineering

Ms. Turna Barua, Department of Chemical Engineering

Second Place

High Barrier Schottky Contacts for High-performance Silicon Carbide Based Radiation Detectors

Mason Fennel, Electrical Engineering (major) - Senior

Dr. Krishna Mandal, Department of Electrical Engineering

Mr. Cihan Oner, Department of Electrical Engineering

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Health Sciences A

First Place

The contribution of visual cue synchrony to recognition of temporally interrupted speech

Courtney Strickland, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major), Health Promotion, Education, and Behavior minor - Junior

Dr. Daniel Fogerty, Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders

Second Place

Validation of a novel task for designed to examine changes in heart rate variability related to arousal

Ryan McNutt, Exercise Science (major) - Junior
Dr. Troy Herter, Department of Exercise Science
Dr. Jay Ginsberg, Neuropsychiatry and Behavioral Science
Mr. Chris Perry, Department of Exercise Science

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Health Sciences B

First Place

Melody Contour Discrimination with Cochlear Implant Simulation

Anjali Amalean, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major) - Senior
Dr. Daniel Fogerty, Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders
Ms. Rachel Miller, Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders

Second Place

Muscle AKT Signaling Sensitivity to Short-Term Fasting in Tumor Bearing Mice

Nancy Kaura, Exercise Science (major) - Senior
Dr. James Carson, Department of Exercise Science
Mr. Brandon Vanderveen, Department of Exercise Science

Honorable Mention

Difference in prescribing patterns of antiplatelet therapy for patients with ischemic vascular disease between primary care and specialty providers

Reagan Kiger, Pharm.D.
Joseph Torrisi, Pharm.D.
Dr. Morgan Adams, Family and Preventative Medicine
Dr. Victoria Hetherington, Pharmacy

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Health Sciences C

First Place

Effects of high definition transcranial direct current stimulation (HD-tDCS) on motor reaction time during speech production and hand movement

Maggie Fitzpatrick, Exercise Science (major), Health Promotion, Education, and Behavior minor - Senior
Dr. Roozbeh Behroozmand, Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders

Second Place

Influence of Sex Differences in Concussion Recovery in a Pediatric Population

Chandler Melton, Exercise Science (major), Neuroscience minor - Junior
Dr. Robert Davis Moore, Department of Exercise Science
Mr. Jacob Kay, Department of Exercise Science

Honorable Mention

Dietary Behavior Differences of Children with Minority and Low-Socioeconomic Backgrounds

Hope Woolf, Public Health (major) - Senior
Dr. Andrew Kaczynski, Department of Health Promotion, Education and Behavior
Ms. Sarah King, Department of Health Promotion, Education and Behavior
Mrs. Caroline Dunn, Department of Health Promotion, Education and Behavior

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Health Sciences D

First Place

It Starts in Parks: Analyzing Average Park Quality for Park Prescription Programs in Greenville County, SC

Sarah Shepard, Biological Sciences (major), Health Promotion, Education, and Behavior minor - Senior
Dr. Andrew Kaczynski, Department of Health Promotion, Education and Behavior
Ms. Ellen Stowe, Department of Health Promotion, Education and Behavior

Second Place-Tie

Analysis of Time in Therapeutic Range (TTR) and Antiplatelet Dose Correlation to GI Bleeding in Patients with Continuous Flow Left Ventricular Assist Device (LVAD) Support

Meaghan Freiter, Pharm.D.
Bailey Mierzejewski, Pharm.D.
Dr. Morgan Adams, Family and Preventative Medicine

Second Place-Tie

Examining the Roles of Visual Processing and Eye-Hand Coordination in Parkinson's Disease Disability

Victoria Turnbull, Exercise Science (major) - Senior

Dr. Troy Herter, Department of Exercise Science

Dr. Becky Anprasertporn, Neurology and Neurosurgery

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Health Sciences E

First Place

Influence Of Visuospatial Memory On Visual Search And Motor Learning

Brianna Eberl, Economics (major), Psychology minor - Senior

Dr. Troy Herter, Department of Exercise Science

Second Place

Examining the Role of Social Support and Self-Efficacy Related to Healthy Eating During Pregnancy: A Mobile Health Approach

Rachel Desch, Public Health (major) - Junior

Ms. Alicia Dahl, Department of Health Promotion, Education and Behavior

Dr. Gabrielle Turner-McGrievy, Department of Health Promotion, Education and Behavior

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Health Sciences F

First Place

Propositional Density as an Indicator of Premature Language Decline in Women with the FMR1 Premutation

Ella Ahrens, Experimental Psychology (major), Communication Sciences and Disorders (minor) - Junior

Dr. Jessica Klusek, Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders

Second Place

Diabetic Care in the Latino Community

Karlye Denner, Exercise Science (major), Spanish minor - Sophomore

Dr. Christopher Goodman, Internal Medicine

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Psychology and Neuroscience A

First Place

Does the Central Bottleneck Occur in a Real-World Voluntary Choice Scenario?

Tessa McCoy, Psychology (major) - Senior; USC Upstate

Dr. Susan Ruppel, Department of Psychology, USC Upstate

Dr. Scott Meek, Department of Psychology, USC Upstate

Second Place-Tie

Parent and Family Research Center Independent Study

Briana Bice, Experimental Psychology (major), Health Promotion, Education, and Behavior minor - Senior

Dr. Ron Prinz, Department of Psychology

Ms. Rachal Hatton, Department of Psychology

Second Place-Tie

Insulin's Effect on Hippocampal Neuron Morphology

Hanson Cowan, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major), Spanish minor - Junior

Dr. Claudia Grillo, Pharmacology, Physiology, and Neuroscience

Dr. Lawrence Reagan, Pharmacology, Physiology, and Neuroscience

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Psychology and Neuroscience B

First Place

A Comparative Look at Social Interactions: Comparing Social Skills Between Males Diagnosed with Fragile X Syndrome and Males Diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder

Wyatt Marshall, Experimental Psychology (major), Neuroscience minor - Senior

Sunny Ross, Experimental Psychology (major) - Senior

Dr. Jane Roberts, Department of Psychology

Ms. Kelly Caravella, Department of Psychology

Second Place

Comparing Heart Activity and Anxiety Symptoms in Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder and Typically Developing Children

Mary Elizabeth Sullivan, Biological Sciences (major), Psychology minor - Freshman

Marisa Tetreault, Experimental Psychology (major) - Senior

Daniel Vazquez, Experimental Psychology (major), Social Work minor - Senior

Ms. Jordan Ezell, Department of Psychology

Dr. Jane Roberts, Department of Psychology

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Psychology and Neuroscience C

First Place

Physiological and Emotional Regulation to Frustration in Toddlers with Fragile X Syndrome

Jenna Smith, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major), Experimental Psychology (major) - Senior

Dr. Abigail Hogan, Department of Psychology

Dr. Jane Roberts, Department of Psychology

Second Place

Distinct differences in neuronal activation during stress predict enduring changes in corticotropin releasing factor in susceptible and resilient rats

L. Ande Hesser, Biomedical Engineering (major) - Senior

Dr. Susan Wood, Pharmacology, Physiology, and Neuroscience

Mr. Brandon Muniz, Pharmacology, Physiology, and Neuroscience

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Psychology and Neuroscience D

First Place-Tie

Heart Rate Associations to ADHD Symptoms in Infants and Preschoolers with FXS

Margaret Besse, Biological Sciences (major), Health Promotion, Education, and Behavior minor - Sophomore

Gabriella Mazzeo, Experimental Psychology (major), Business minor - Senior

Ms. Shannon O'Connor, Department of Psychology

Dr. Jane Roberts, Department of Psychology

First Place-Tie

Exploring Prevalence Rates and Behavioral Health Correlates of Cyberaggression and Cybervictimization among Adolescents and Young Adults

Lauren Hurley, Experimental Psychology (major), Dance minor - Senior

Mr. Kendall Moore, Department of Psychology

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Social Sciences A

First Place

Advancing Professional Development Strategies for Undergraduates in Chemistry and Biochemistry

Christian Brown, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major) - Senior

Dr. Amber Fallucca, USC Connect

Dr. Thomas Makris, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

Second Place

Ecovillages vs. Urban Villages... Is there a comparison?

Julia Schweiss, Marketing (major), Management Science (major) - Senior

Dr. Conor Harrison, Department of Geography

Honorable Mention

Computational Analysis of Insurance Complaints: GEICO Case Study

Noelle Pendergraft, Mathematic (major), Management Science (major) - Sophomore

Dr. Amir Karami, School of Library and Information Science

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Social Sciences B

First Place

Perceptions and Impacts of HIV-Specific Criminal Laws

Morgan Deal, Public Health (major) - Senior

Dr. Shan Qiao, Department of Health Promotion, Education and Behavior

Second Place

Dietary Recommendations and Egg Expenditures Across Generations

Lacey Wilson, Economics (major), International Business (major) - Senior
Dr. Orgul Ozturk, Department of Economics

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Social Sciences C

First Place

Social Media and LGBTQ+ Health Analytics

Frank Webb, Biological Sciences (major), Data Science minor - Sophomore
Dr. Amir Karami, School of Library and Information Science

Second Place

Analyzing the feasibility of a central warehouse strategy

Amy Cartier, Management Science (major), Marketing (major) - Senior
Dan Egan, Management Science (major), Finance (major) - Senior
Chandler Holgate, Management Science (major), International Business (major) - Senior
Sara Johnson, Management Science (major), Marketing (major) - Senior
Andrea Sponsale, Management Science (major) - Senior
Dr. John Jensen, Department of Management Science

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: Social Sciences D

First Place

Incarcerated Women and Their Motherhood Identities

Kaiya Trask, Criminology and Criminal Justice (major), Political Science (major) - Senior
Dr. Barbara Koons-Witt, Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice

Second Place

Computational Social Science: The Unfiltered Everyday Stories of Sexism in the Workplace

Kayla Ford, Experimental Psychology (major) - Senior
Dr. Suzanne Swan, Department of Psychology
Dr. Amir Karami, School of Library and Information Science
Ms. Cynthia White, Department of Psychology

Honorable Mention

Does the structure of a flipped classroom allow students to have a better understanding on the applicability of mathematics and the way it influences their learning and reasoning?

Danielle Wood, Music (major), Mathematics minor - Junior
Dr. Patrick McFaddin, Department of Mathematics

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect and GLD A

First Place

Participant Observation: A Sociological Approach to Study Abroad

Leigh Nye, Sociology (major), Business minor - Senior

Second Place

Perpetual Learning Through Professional Eongagement

Hunter Stricklin, Finance (major), Management Science (major) - Senior

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect and GLD B

First Place

More than a Student-Athlete

Jordyn Augustus, Political Science (major), Experimental Psychology (major) - Senior

Second Place

Modern-Day Storytelling

Madeleine Vath, Mass Communications (major), Psychology minor - Senior

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect and GLD C

First Place

Keeping the Lights On

Emily Baumstark, Electrical Engineering (major) - Senior

Second Place

Sustainability Abroad in South Africa

Lauren Disbennett, International Business (major), Business Economics (major) - Senior

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect and GLD D

First Place

Preparation for the Field of International Business

Elena Lucherini, International Business (major), Finance (major) - Senior

Second Place

Combining Communication with Service

Emma Lynch, Public Relations (major), Psychology minor - Senior

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Cultural Diversity themes A

First Place

Equity in Education

Tanisha Goff, Early Childhood Education (major) - Senior

Second Place-Tie

Project Vida

Mary Branham, Experimental Psychology (major), Health Promotion, Education, and Behavior minor - Senior

Second Place-Tie

It's Not About What You Know, It's How You Know

Brienne Okuda, International Business (major), Marketing (major) - Senior

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Cultural Diversity themes B

First Place

GLD Presentation: Global Learning

Callie Norton, International Studies (major), German (major) - Senior

Mrs. Moryah Jackson, Administration Offices

Second Place

The Power of Cultivating an Inclusive Environment

Payton Miller, Experimental Psychology (major), General Education minor - Senior

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Cultural Diversity themes C

First Place

¡Enseñame inglés!

Heather Pusey, Risk Management and Insurance (major), Finance (major) - Senior

Second Place

Lily House

Grace Whitbeck, Experimental Psychology (major), Medical Humanities minor - Junior

Honorable Mention

Balancing Feminism, Expression, and Politics

Alexandra Ingrassano, Political Science (major), Journalism and Mass Communications minor - Senior

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Education themes A

First Place

Student Teaching Takeaway

Paula Ruiz, Early Childhood Education (major) - Senior

Second Place

Assessment of Inquiry of Teaching

Resa Scaturro, Elementary Education (major) - Senior

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Education themes B

First Place

WHO Do You Want to be When You Grow Up? : Why First-year Students are our Best Investment

Julia Martirano, Mechanical Engineering (major) - Senior

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Entrepreneurial themes A

First Place

A Comparison Between the Boeing Company Internship and Class Consulting Project

Jaime Alessio, Management Science (major) - Senior

Second Place

Refreshing Old Ideas with New Technology: EZGO ELITE Golf Carts

Amy Landau, Electrical Engineering (major) - Senior

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Entrepreneurial themes B

First Place

Finding My Passion in Leadership

Kathryn Taylor, Public Relations (major), International Studies minor - Senior

Second Place

Management through Motivation

Lauren Martin, Retailing (major), Spanish minor - Senior

Honorable Mention

How I Developed Myself Professionally by Interning at Solvay

Zachary Marker, Chemical Engineering (major) - Senior

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Health themes A

First Place

Camron Edrissi -Professional and Civic Engagement Pathway of Graduation with Leadership Distinction

Camron Edrissi, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major) - Senior

Second Place

Turning a Passion into a Career Path within the Field of Physical Therapy

Taylor Cocuzza, Exercise Science (major), Psychology minor - Senior

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Health themes B

First Place

Bringing Patient Advocacy to Life

Megan Powlen, Nursing - RN (major) - Senior

Second Place-Tie

Advocating for a Healthy Campus

Destiny Byrd, Public Health (major), Medical Humanities minor - Senior

Second Place-Tie

Serving Trauma Survivors: The Impact of Graduation with Leadership Distinction in Professional & Civic Engagement

Briana DellaSala, Experimental Psychology (major), Women's and Gender Studies minor - Senior

Honorable Mention

Transformational Health Care Incentives

Carly Hildebrand, Nursing - RN (major) - Senior

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Health themes C

First Place

Rhetoric and Patient Care

Mary Copeland Paramore, Biological Sciences (major), Business minor - Senior

Second Place

Changing Carolina Peer Leaders- An Experience that Paves a Way to a Future

Terry Doan, Public Health (major), Psychology minor - Senior

Mr. Michael Crowley, Student Health Services

Honorable Mention

Student Nurse Internship at Palmetto Health Baptist

Greer Heinzen, Nursing - RN (major) – Senior

Morning Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Policy and Governance themes A

First Place

Female Leadership in Marching Music's Major League

Claire Albrecht, Public Relations (major), Business minor - Senior

Ms. Lisa Camp, USC Connect

Second Place

Global Learning; Global Service

Taylor Clarke, International Business (major), Management Science (major) - Senior

Dr. Charles Pierce, College of Engineering and Computing

Honorable Mention

Global Learning: A Journey to the Top of Many Mountains

Jessica Pelfrey, International Business (major), Marketing (major) - Senior

~ **Afternoon Presentations** ~

Afternoon Oral Presentation: U/P: Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences

First Place

South Carolina With Purpose

Jalesa Cooley, Public Relations (major) - Senior

Emily Stone, Public Relations (major) - Senior

Adena Rice, Public Relations (major) - Senior

Michala Ciambotti, Public Relations (major) - Senior

Christine Howell, Public Relations (major) - Senior

Second Place

Informal Justice Systems and Civil Conflict Duration

Kaitlin McClamrock, Political Science (major), European Studies (major) - Senior

Dr. Brad Epperly, Department of Political Science

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences A

First Place

A Neighborhood Transformed: Urban Renewal and University Expansion in Wheeler Hill

Sophie Kahler, History (major), Geography minor - Freshman

Dr. Conor Harrison, Department of Geography

Second Place

The Impressionists versus the Macchiaioli: Understanding the impact of Japonism on Western Painting

Alexandra Fleury, English (major), Finance (major) - Senior

Prof. Pam Bowers, School of Visual Art and Design

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Biology and Biomedical Sciences D

First Place

Does high folic acid alongside a gene knockdown of MTHFR induce histone modifications and altered neurobiology in a human neuronal cell line?

Rachael Schmelz, Biology (major) - Senior; USC Upstate

Dr. Kimberly Shorter, Department of Natural Sciences and Engineering, USC Upstate

Second Place

The Role of Resveratrol in the Cardiovascular Consequences of Social Stress

Akhila Padi, Public Health (major), Biological Sciences (major) - Senior

Dr. Susan Wood, Pharmacology, Physiology, and Neuroscience

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Biology and Biomedical Sciences E

First Place

Using siRNAs to downregulate HIV-1 Tat expression and decrease viral production in siRNA-protected T lymphocyte populations

Christian Fay, Biology (major) - Senior; USC Aiken

Dr. William Jackson, Department of Biology and Geology, USC Aiken

Second Place

Cellular Localization of RAD51D

Claire Chabot, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major), French minor - Junior

Dr. Douglas Pittman, College of Pharmacy

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Biology and Biomedical Sciences F

First Place

Analyzing a Tol2-Based activation tag construct in zebrafish and yeast

Allison Swiecki, Biology (major) - Junior; USC Aiken

Dr. C. Nathan Hancock, Department of Biology and Geology, USC Aiken

Dr. April DeLaurier, Department of Biology and Geology, USC Aiken

Second Place

Improving the Transposition Efficiency of the Harbinger3n_Dr Transposable Element

Sarah Zamiela, Biology (major), Spanish minor - Junior; USC Aiken

Dr. C. Nathan Hancock, Department of Biology and Geology, USC Aiken

Dr. Clint Page, Department of Biology and Geology, USC Aiken

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Biology and Biomedical Sciences G

First Place-Tie

Analysis of F2 Activation Tagging Wheat Lines

Amanda Askins, Biology (major) - Junior; USC Aiken

Dr. C. Nathan Hancock, Department of Biology and Geology, USC Aiken

First Place-Tie

Comparison of a prototype remote monitoring system with conventional video observations for rat drinking behavior

Heather Nall, Psychology (major), Biology minor - Senior; USC Aiken

Dr. Derek Zelmer, Department of Biology and Geology, USC Aiken

Dr. Michelle Vieyra, Department of Biology and Geology, USC Aiken

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Biology and Biomedical Sciences H

First Place

Investigating the mPing Transposition Complex Through Overexpression of ORF1 and Transposase Proteins

Reese King, Biology (major) - Sophomore; USC Aiken

Dr. C. Nathan Hancock, Department of Biology and Geology, USC Aiken

Second Place

Characterizing the Impact of the Gene ASH1L in the Regulation of Neuronal Gene Expression

Anna Bagnell, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major), Neuroscience minor - Junior

Dr. Sofia Lizarraga, Department of Biological Sciences

Mrs. Seonhye Cheon, Department of Biological Sciences

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Biology and Biomedical Sciences I

First Place

Defining the Role of Striatal Inflammatory Response During Nicotine Withdrawal

Lindsey Guerin, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major), Neuroscience minor - Senior

Dr. Jill Turner, College of Pharmacy

Second Place

The Ontogeny of Muscle Architecture in the Forearm Muscles of *Microcebus murinus*

Marissa Boettcher, Biological Sciences (major), Chemistry minor - Senior

Dr. Adam Hartstone-Rose, North Carolina State University

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Biology and Environmental Sciences D

First Place

Assessing genetic population structure of American wood storks

Austin Herbert, Biology (major) - Junior; USC Aiken

Dr. Kristina Ramstad, Department of Biology and Geology, USC Aiken

Dr. Natalia Bayona, University of Georgia

Dr. Stacey Lance, Savannah River Ecology Lab

Second Place

A Structural Geologic Approach to Understanding Tectographic Origins of Early Life in Durham County, NC: Part II

Megan Gross, Geological Sciences (major) - Senior

Dr. James Knapp, School of the Earth, Ocean, and Environment

Honorable Mention

Comparing researcher surveys with camera trapping in terms of the ability to capture species diversity in pollinator data.

Connor Rammacher, Biological Sciences (major), Chemistry minor - Junior

Dr. Carol Boggs, School of the Earth, Ocean, and Environment

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Biology and Environmental Sciences E

First Place

Seabed Geophysical Mapping Offshore South Carolina for Wind Energy Development

Jacob Burstein, Geophysics (major) - Junior

Gabrielle Herrin, Geophysics (major), German minor - Sophomore

Dr. Camelia Knapp, School of the Earth, Ocean, and Environment

Dr. Daniel Brantley, School of the Earth, Ocean, and Environment

Second Place

The Influence of Ionizing Radiation on the Inheritance of Developmental Abnormalities

Jackson Yow, Environmental Sciences (major), Biology minor - Sophomore

Matthew Waller, Biological Sciences (major), Statistics minor - Sophomore

Hannah Aycock, Marine Science (major) - Freshman

Chris Chaplin, Baccalaureus Artium et Scientiae (major) - Sophomore

Andrea Vargas, Biological Sciences (major), Spanish minor - Freshman

Ryan Hynes, Marine Science (major), Statistics minor - Freshman

Dr. Tim Mousseau, Department of Biological Sciences

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Biology and Environmental Sciences F

First Place

Preliminary Analysis of Blue Carbon Stocks in Tidal Wetland Habitats in the Coos Estuary

Mary Frame, Marine Science (major), Chemistry (major) - Senior

Dr. Bree Yednock, South Slough National Estuarine Research Reserve, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

Second Place

Magnetism and the Origin of Multicellular Life

Jake Niles, Geological Sciences (major), Geophysics minor - Junior

Jason Medlin, Geological Sciences (major), Geological Sciences minor - Senior

Dr. James Knapp, School of the Earth, Ocean, and Environment

Honorable Mention

Satellite calibration of HF radar for wave height extraction

Jack Gonzales, Marine Science (major), Music minor - Senior

Dr. George Voulgaris, School of the Earth, Ocean, and Environment

Mr. Douglas Cahl, School of the Earth, Ocean, and Environment

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Chemistry, Physics, and Math C

First Place

Structural studies of Cytochrome P450 enzymes that generate Biofuels

Julia Bian, Chemistry (major), Biology minor - Senior

Dr. Thomas Makris, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

Second Place

An LC/MS Assay for the Quantification of Analytes in the DAD-Catalyzed Reaction

Catherine Cave, Chemistry (major) - Senior; USC Aiken

Dr. Kenneth Roberts, Department of Chemistry and Physics, USC Aiken

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Engineering, Computing, and Math D

First Place

Improved Filtering of Electron Tomography EDX Data

Kelsey Larkin, Biological Sciences (major) - Sophomore

Dr. Peter Binev, Department of Mathematics

Second Place

Integration of Sustainable Solutions to Water Supply and Water Purification for El Cedro, Ecuador

Tyler Brant, Electrical Engineering (major), Computer Science minor - Sophomore

William Rivers, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major) - Junior

Andrew Re, Mechanical Engineering (major) - Junior

Sabrina Carroll, Mechanical Engineering (major) - Junior

Dr. Steve McAnally, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering

Honorable Mention

IIT Capstone Project: InfraGard's FBI/SC Cyber Public/Private Security Collaboration

Tamara Nurse, Integrated Information Technology (major) - Senior

Ben Hepner, Integrated Information Technology (major) - Senior

William McDowell, Integrated Information Technology (major) - Senior

Dr. Karen Patten, Integrated Information Technology Program

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Engineering, Computing, and Math E

First Place

Development of Microwell-Imprinted Thermoresponsive Hydrogel for Inducing Cellular Membrane Stress

Christopher Wu, Biomedical Engineering (major), Chemistry minor - Junior

Dr. Ehsan Jabbarzadeh, Department of Chemical Engineering

Dr. Maria Yanez, Department of Chemical Engineering

Ms. Maria Piroli, Biomedical Engineering Program

Second Place

Some Fundamentals of Group Theory in Homotopy Type Theory

James Hepburn, Mathematic (major), Philosophy (major) - Senior

Dr. George McNulty, Department of Mathematics

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Health Sciences G

First Place

Accuracy for Medicare Part B influenza vaccination billing amongst urban and rural SC pharmacies in 2014

Karan Patel, Pharm.D.

Adam Pizzuti, Pharm.D.

Heather Wease, Pharm.D.

Dr. Eugene Reeder, College of Pharmacy

Second Place

Reliability of a measure of corticospinal integrity post-stroke

Jennifer Heiser, Exercise Science (major), Psychology minor - Senior

Dr. Jill Stewart, Department of Exercise Science

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Health Sciences H

First Place

Sedation Dentistry: An application of medical histories and observation records to create a protocol aimed at identifying high-risk patients

Matthew Bright, Biological Sciences (major), Southern Studies minor - Junior

Dr. Cynthia Nichols, Palmetto Health & PH-USC Medical Group

Dr. David Hicklin, Palmetto Health & PH-USC Medical Group

Dr. James Curtis, Palmetto Health & PH-USC Medical Group

Second Place

Long Term Effects of Childhood Sexual Trauma

Eleanor Walsh, Nursing - Generic (major) - Senior

Dr. Kathrene Brendell, College of Nursing

Dr. Abbas Tavakoli, College of Nursing

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Health Sciences I

First Place-Tie

Knockout of AMP-Activated Protein Kinase (AMPK) facilitates Exercise-induced Beige Fat Formation

Mackenzie Johnson, Public Health (major) - Senior

Dr. Ho-Jin Koh, Department of Exercise Science

Ms. Ran-Hee Choi, Department of Exercise Science

First Place-Tie

A Pilot Study to Assess Oncofertility Knowledge in Obstetricians and Gynecologists in China

Megan Kopp, Biological Sciences (major) - Junior

Dr. Shuo Xiao, Department of Environmental Sciences

Second Place

Examining brain damage associated with poor reading comprehension

James Sutton, Chemistry (major), Neuroscience minor - Junior

Dr. Julius Fridriksson, Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders

Dr. Brielle Stark, Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders

Dr. Alexandra Basilakos, Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Health Sciences J

First Place

Functional Neural Correlates of Hand Motor Function Differ Based on Level of Motor Severity in Individuals Post-stroke

Elizabeth Rizor, Exercise Science (major) - Senior

Dr. Jill Stewart, Department of Exercise Science

Second Place

HDL Anti-Inflammatory and Anti-Oxidative Responses to Endurance Exercise Training

Emanuel J. Ayala, Exercise Science (major) - Junior

William A. Clarkson, Exercise Science (major), Chemistry minor - Senior

Dr. Mark Sarzynski, Department of Exercise Science

Mr. Jacob Barber, Department of Exercise Science

Mr. Jonathan Ruiz-Ramie, Department of Exercise Science

Honorable Mention

GIS in Infectious and Chronic Epidemiology

Logan Lebron, Geography (major), Sociology Cognate - Senior

Dr. Jan Eberth, Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Health Sciences K

First Place

Relationship among screentime, body fat percentage, and measured physical activity in college student populations

Vanessa Grout, Associate in Science - Senior; USC Lancaster

Dr. Elizabeth Easley, Exercise Science, USC Lancaster

Dr. Sarah Sellhorst, Exercise Science, USC Lancaster

Dr. William Riner, Science, USC Lancaster

Second Place

A Review of Healthy Eating Interventions Using Faith Based Organizations in the Continental United States

Callie McLean, Public Health (major), Spanish minor - Junior

Prof. Caroline Dunn, Department of Health Promotion, Education and Behavior

Ms. Destiny Byrd, Public Health Programs

Dr. Gabrielle Turner-McGrievy, Department of Health Promotion, Education and Behavior

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Health Sciences L

First Place

Acceptability and Use of Long Acting Reversible Contraceptives (LARC) among Low-Income Women in South Carolina

Peyton Rogers, Public Health (major) - Senior

Dr. Emily Mann, Department of Health Promotion, Education and Behavior

Ms. Ashley White, Department of Health Promotion, Education and Behavior

Second Place

Comparison of published severity assessment tools and scoring systems to predict Clostridium difficile infection associated outcomes

Tyler Wagner, Pharm.D.

Dr. Brandon Bookstaver, College of Pharmacy

Dr. Kevin Lu, College of Pharmacy

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Psychology and Neuroscience E

First Place

Use of the Modified Hole Board Task in Examining Anxiolytic Behavior in HIV-1 Transgenic Rats Treated with Escitalopram

Anna Cook, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major), Neuroscience minor - Junior

Dr. Rosemarie Booze, Department of Psychology

Second Place

Examining Sex Differences in Disorders Comorbid with Fragile X Syndrome

Ramsey Coyle, Biological Sciences (major), Psychology minor - Senior

Brianna Thornton, Experimental Psychology (major) - Junior

Iris Sakamoto, Experimental Psychology (major) - Sophomore

Ms. Carla Wall, Department of Psychology

Dr. Jane Roberts, Department of Psychology

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Psychology and Neuroscience F

First Place

The Impact of News Media on Implicit Bias

Brittney "Estelle" Means, Associate in Arts - Sophomore; USC Union

Dr. Randy Lowell, Psychology, USC Union

Second Place

Modeling Gulf War Illness: neuronal activation and transmission in the rat prefrontal cortex

Erica Maissy, Biomedical Engineering (major), Neuroscience minor - Senior

Dr. Lawrence Reagan, Pharmacology, Physiology, and Neuroscience

Ms. Victoria Macht, Pharmacology, Physiology, and Neuroscience

Dr. Claudia Grillo, Pharmacology, Physiology, and Neuroscience

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Psychology and Neuroscience G

First Place

The role of the locus coeruleus-norepinephrine system in inflammatory priming during social stress

Casey Moffitt, Experimental Psychology (major), Neuroscience minor - Senior

Dr. Susan Wood, Pharmacology, Physiology, and Neuroscience

Second Place

Sensory Processing Differences across Personality Types

Analeigh Tucker, Psychology (major) - Senior; USC Upstate

Dr. Randy Lowell, Other, Psychology, USC Union

Honorable Mention

Comparing Cognitive and Neurological Profiles of Children With and Without Dyslexia

Hannah Thomas, Experimental Psychology (major), Neuroscience minor - Senior

Daniel Conroy, Experimental Psychology (major) - Senior

Michaela Sanner, Biomedical Engineering (major), Chemistry minor - Senior

Dr. Scott Decker, Department of Psychology

Mr. Michael Eason, Department of Psychology

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Psychology and Neuroscience H

First Place

Intranasal orexin-A administration increases neuronal activation of brain stem regions

Habiba Fayyaz, Biological Sciences (major), Neuroscience minor - Senior

Dr. Jim Fadel, Pharmacology, Physiology, and Neuroscience

Mr. Coleman Calva, Pharmacology, Physiology, and Neuroscience

Second Place

Effects of facial expression and coloration on electrodermal activity

Gabrielle Gray, Psychology (major) - Junior; USC Aiken

Sarah Przywara, Psychology (major) - Junior; USC Aiken

Collytte Cederstrom, Psychology (major) - Junior; USC Aiken

Dr. Adam Pazda, Department of Psychology, USC Aiken

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Social Sciences E

First Place

McLeod Physician Associates: Patient Flow Time Improvement

Ashley Hannon, Management Science (major), Finance (major) - Senior

Sasha Einziger, Management Science (major), Management (major) - Senior

Dr. Sanjay Ahire, Department of Management Science

Second Place

McLeod Regional Medical Center Capstone Project

Laura Harris, Management Science (major), Real Estate (major) - Senior

Jordan Keith, Management Science (major), Finance (major) - Senior

Lauren Norell, Management Science (major), Marketing (major) - Senior

Laura Anderson, Management Science (major), Finance (major) - Senior

Nicole Miller, Management Science (major), Finance (major) - Senior

Dr. Sanjay Ahire, Department of Management Science

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Social Sciences F

First Place

Capstone Consulting Project to Enhance PwC's Anti-Money Laundering Process

Christina Bisailon, Management Science (major), International Business (major) - Senior

Andrew Suther, Management Science (major), Finance (major) - Senior

Jonathan Haley, Management Science (major), International Business (major) - Senior

Anastasia Morgus, Management Science (major), International Business (major) - Senior

Trevor Schott, Management Science (major), Management (major) - Senior

Dr. Sanjay Ahire, Department of Management Science

Second Place

STEM Learning: Examining the role of youth educators in informal science learning sites

Melissa Weisberg, Biomedical Engineering (major), Biology minor - Senior

Tina Monzavi, Chemistry (major) - Senior

Courtney Wyche, Experimental Psychology (major) - Senior

Kyndra Gilmore, Experimental Psychology (major), African American Studies minor - Junior

Dr. Eric Goff, USC School of Medicine

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: Social Sciences G

First Place

Dual sexual victimization of underage males by adult females

Donna Davis, Criminology and Criminal Justice (major), Experimental Psychology (major) - Senior

Brooke Curry, Criminology and Criminal Justice (major), Philosophy minor - Senior

Dr. John Burrow, Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice

Second Place

Project Sandbox: Exploring the Effectiveness of Augmented Reality Sandbox Technology in Geoscience Education

Akilah Alwan, Environmental Sciences (major) - Senior

Dr. Katherine Ryker, School of the Earth, Ocean, and Environment

Dr. Claudia Benitez-Nelson, School of the Earth, Ocean, and Environment

Dr. Raymond Torres, School of the Earth, Ocean, and Environment

Honorable Mention

Closing the golden door: Effects of the political climate on refugee resettlement centers

Hannah Marks, Experimental Psychology (major), Sociology minor - Senior

Dr. Breanne Grace, College of Social Work

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect and GLD F

First Place-Tie

Inspiring the Next Generation of Marine Scientists in South Carolina and Beyond

Alexa Dean, Marine Science (major) - Senior

First Place-Tie

How Summer Internships and Carolina Coursework Helped Me Build the Go-To Women's Media Brand on Campus

Alexa Hill, Journalism (major) - Senior

Second Place

Sandhills Middle School

Alexandria Booth, Middle Level Education (major), Art Studio minor - Senior

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect and GLD G

First Place-Tie

Turning Trauma into a Platform

Veronica Dishart, Mass Communications (major), Psychology minor - Junior

First Place-Tie

Leadership Through Harmony

Audrey Whelan, Management (major), Marketing (major) - Senior

Second Place

Leaders still need to learn

Jessica Krauss, Exercise Science (major), Health Promotion, Education, and Behavior minor - Senior

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect and GLD H

First Place

Guiding You Home

Sarah Dombroski, Experimental Psychology (major), Spanish minor - Senior

Mrs. Moryah Jackson, Provost's Office

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect and GLD I

First Place

Cupid Crew

Emily Gillman, Social Work (major) - Senior

Second Place-Tie

Helping the Homeless

Amy Saukas, Broadcast Journalism (major), Political Science minor - Junior

Second Place-Tie

The Positive Power of Self-Efficacy in Individuals with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities

Caroline Targonski, Experimental Psychology (major), Counselor Education minor - Senior

Honorable Mention

Excelling Beyond The Classroom

Shannon Montague, Management Science (major), Marketing (major) - Senior

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect and GLD J

First Place

My Internship at Second Nature Wildlife Rehabilitation

Paul List, Biological Sciences (major), Environmental Sciences (major) - Junior

Dr. Gwen Geidel, School of the Earth, Ocean, and Environment

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect and GLD K

First Place

Leadership Lessons From a University of South Carolina Experience

Christopher Perez, Sport and Entertainment Management (major) - Senior

Second Place

Think, Act, Be: The Person USC Has Made Me

Courtney Coxwell, Public Health (major) - Senior

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Cultural Diversity themes G

First Place-Tie

Heart Work not Hard Work

Morgan Osborne, Social Work (major) - Senior

First Place-Tie

Using my Identity as a Platform for Advocacy

Janelys Villalta, Broadcast Journalism (major), Sociology minor - Senior

Dr. Shay Malone, Multicultural Student Affairs

Second Place

How two cultures stayed apart yet became one

Grace Lee, Management (major), Marketing (major) - Senior

Mr. David Deweil, Capstone Scholars Program

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Cultural Diversity themes H

First Place

Adventures and Self-Actualization in South Korea

Brianna Bustamante, Experimental Psychology (major), English minor - Senior

Mr. Rico Reed, National Resource Center for FYE and Students in Transition

Second Place

Filing for Global Citizenship: Learning How to Pass the Test

Christopher Burritt, International Business (major), Finance (major) - Senior

Dr. David Hudgens, Sonoco Department of International Business

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Cultural Diversity themes I

First Place

Studying Abroad in a Less Traditional Location

Julia Schweiss, Marketing (major), Management Science (major) - Senior

Second Place

Perspectives on Hispanic Healthcare Through Volunteering at the Good Samaritan Clinic

Hanson Cowan, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (major), Spanish minor - Junior

Catherine Shirer, Biological Sciences (major), Spanish minor - Junior

Ms. Stephanie Suarez, Leadership and Service Center

Honorable Mention

Promoting Diversity, Inclusion, and the Power of Networks in the Workplace

Angel Tramontin, International Business (major), Management Science (major) - Senior

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Education themes C

First Place

Emerging Professional as Middle School Math Teacher

Laurhyn Griebel, Middle Level Education (major) - Senior

Dr. George Roy, Department of Instruction and Teacher Education

Dr. Melissa Baker, Department of Instruction and Teacher Education

Mrs. Pamela Adams, Department of Educational Leadership and Policies

Second Place

Fostering Knowledge Across All Lifespans: A Guided Approach

Connor Lanigan, Nursing (major) - Junior

Mr. Drew Newton, University Advising Center

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Education themes D

First Place

Learning the Ins and Outs of Teaching

Hannah Knight, Middle Level Education (major) - Senior

Dr. Hilary Lichterman, Housing

Second Place

Rebecca Fineco's GLD Presentation focused on Professional and Civic Engagement

Rebecca Fineco, Hospitality Management (major), Business minor - Senior

Ms. Moryah Jackson, Provost's Office

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Education themes E

First Place

Meeting in the Middle: Education within Informal University Settings

Alexis Michalos, English (major), History (major) - Senior

Ms. Anne-Marie Hantman, Housing

Second Place

Growing in Leadership and Collaboration Through Service

Kayla Madia, Exercise Science (major) - Senior

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Entrepreneurial themes D

First Place

More Than Just Food

Tiffany Nguyen, Marketing (major), Economics (major) - Senior

Second Place

The Best of Both Worlds: My IBCE Experience

Lauren Ernst, International Business (major), Management Science (major) - Senior

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Entrepreneurial themes E

First Place

Margolis Equestrian

Rachel Margolis, Marketing (major), Management (major) - Junior

Second Place

Growth in Global Leadership

Anna Locke, International Business (major), Marketing (major) - Senior

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Health themes E

First Place-Tie

Listen to Your Heart

Hope Woolf, Public Health (major) - Senior

First Place-Tie

Community Service: Learning I Don't Need To Travel Abroad To Serve

Elisabeth Wydotis, Marine Science (major) - Senior

Second Place

Graduation with Leadership Distinction: The Significance of Being a Group Fitness Instructor at USC

Olivia Finnegan, Exercise Science (major), Spanish minor - Senior

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Health themes F

First Place

How My Summer in Ghana Shaped My Carolina Experience

Olivia Frieden, Dance (major), Health Promotion, Education, and Behavior minor - Senior

Dr. Hilary Lichterman, Housing

Second Place

Actions Impact Others

Elizabeth McGoye, Early Childhood Education (major) - Senior

Honorable Mention

The Role of a Biomedical Technician in a Hospital

Marion Hope, Biomedical Engineering (major), Chemistry minor - Senior

Afternoon Poster Presentation: U/P: USC Connect/GLD - Policy and Governance themes B

First Place

Progression Through Policy: How I Found my Passion Through Leadership

Ariyana Gore, Public Relations (major), Social Work minor - Senior

Second Place

GLD: Professional and Civic Engagement

Erin Brown, Economics (major), Political Science (major) - Senior

Honorable Mention

Joshua Miller, Professional and Civic Engagement

Joshua Miller, Associate in Arts, Associate in Science - Sophomore; USC Sumter