





## PROGRAM

3:00 pm

Student Project Showcase Begins

6:00 pm

Reception

6:30 pm

Welcome from Dr. Keith Bowman  
Dean, College of Science & Engineering

6:35 pm

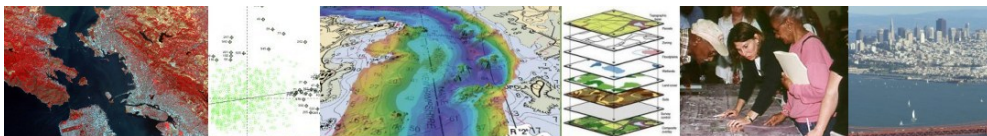
Expository Presentation

*Lucky Results*

By Dr. Keith Bowman

7:00 pm

Announcement of Showcase Winners



## THANK YOU

for volunteering your time as  
the JUDGES of the COSE  
Student Project Showcase!

Ali Shehadeh	Kristan Jensen
Amy Smith	Leonhard Blesius
Anne Krause	Marc Anderson
Bruce Manning	Mehran Kafai
Cameron Soulette	Melissa Hagan
Cheng Chen	Mojtaba Azadi
Chris Moffatt	Nancy Gerber
Felipe Zapata	Rachel Cunningham
Gloria Nusse	Rori Rholf
Hao Jiang	Sara Barber
Hezekiel Randolph	Scott Roy
Hugh Hui	Susan Mauskopf
Jin Ye	Tao He
John Caskey	Teaster Baird
Jonathan Song	Terry Reyes
Jonathan Stillman	Vijay Mariadassou
Jose de la Torre	Wilfred Denetclaw
Joseph Chen	Xiarong Zhang
Joseph Hui	Zena Mello
Jun Murakawa	Zhaoshuo Jiang
Karen Crow	Zheng-Hui He
Kevin Eschleman	

Entry Number: 217 UP2  
EARTHQUAKE ENGINEERING RESEARCH INSTITUTE 2016  
SEISMIC DESIGN COMPETITION

By: Stephen Schork, Jamie Brownell, Lungyuen Lau, Marisa Araujo,  
Kathleen Ocampo, Ryan Schofield, and Omar Plata  
Civil Engineering

Faculty Advisors: Dr. Timothy D'Orazio, Dr. Zhaoshuo Jiang, and Dr. Cheng Chen

Entry Number: 218 UP2  
TIMBUK BRIDGE

By: Tomas Trojacek, Justin Esquivel, Marcus Peppers,  
Azalia Madrigal, Emewodish Tadesse, Suyesh Shrestha, Yong Feng,  
David Lei, Matthew Carter, and Shawn Graf  
Civil Engineering

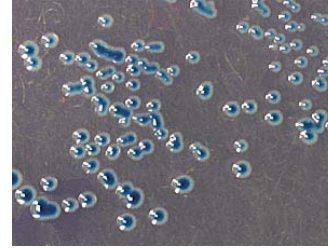
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Timothy D'Orazio

Entry Number: 219 UP2

SEISMIC STRUCTURAL BUILDING MODEL DESIGN - SP16-FA16

By: William Lee, Farah Alshuaib, Wen Li Tang, Tooraj Yegan, and Wei Jie Liu  
Civil Engineering

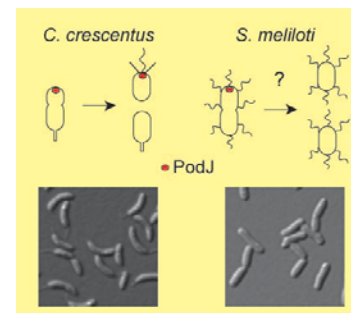
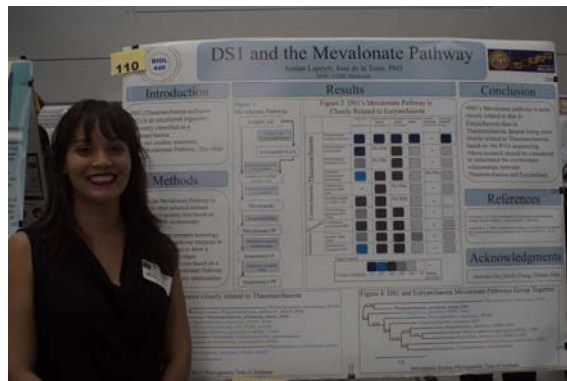
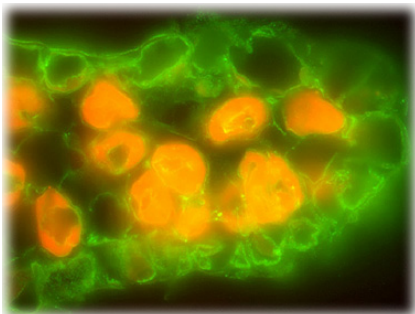
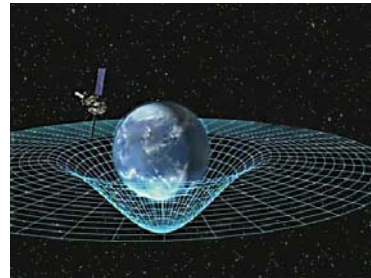
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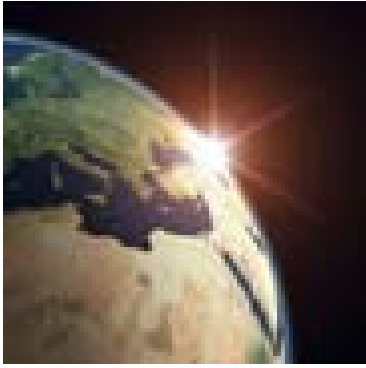


## WELCOME

San Francisco State's College of Science and Engineering encourages students to think beyond traditional barriers. We are committed to creating and maintaining connections with our students, professional scientists and engineers, and to the scientific community of the Bay Area. We believe the best education of our students comes through involvement in research and the solution of real-world problems. To carry out that objective, we recruit and retain outstanding scientists and engineers to our faculty, and offer them and their students the most advanced facilities and equipment possible.

Our state-of-the-art facilities and research centers include: the Conservation Genetics Laboratory, the Romberg Tiburon Center for Environmental Studies, an electron microscope facility, computational chemistry and visualization laboratory, a DNA analysis facility, a Thin Film Laboratory, a molecular biology core facility, the Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Center, and a multi-GPU server with Nvidia Tesla and Titan GPUs.





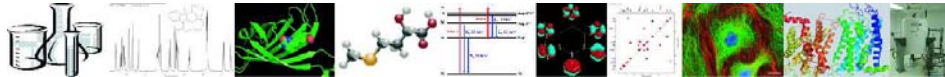
Entry Number: 211 UP2  
**ANTI-CLUMPING ELECTRIC DRYER**  
 By: Trevor McCarthy, Norman Robles, and Faisal Shaji  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kwok-Siong Teh

Entry Number: 212 UP2  
**INTERACTIVE REMOTE SHAKE TABLE LABORATORY FOR INSTRUCTION IN EARTHQUAKE ENGINEERING**  
 By: Alec Maxwell  
 Civil Engineering  
 Faculty Advisor: Dr. Zhaoshuo Jiang



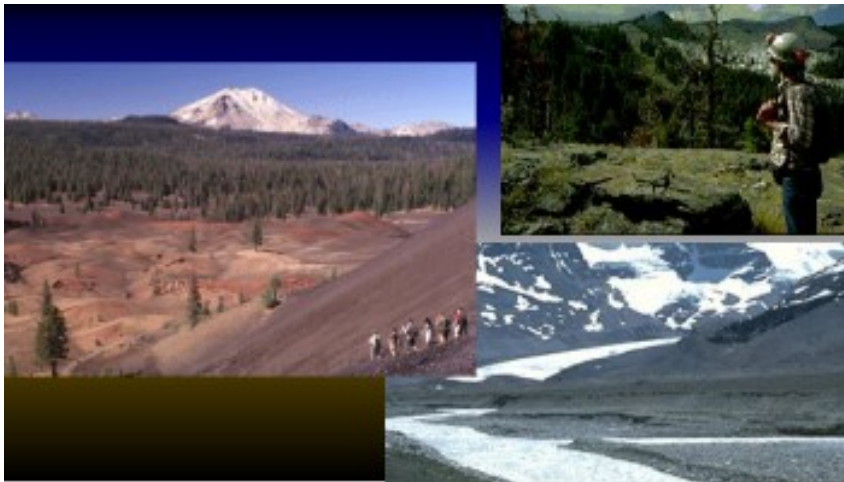
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**COMPUTING SEISMIC FRAGILITY CURVES**  
 By: Chaoyu Qiu and Yifeng Xu  
 Civil Engineering  
 Faculty Advisor: Dr. Cheng Chen

Entry Number: 214 UP2  
**TIMBER BRIDGE - HATEA BRIDGE**  
 By: Edmund Ng, Casey Alado, Jean Sanchez, Sarah Sojo, Mike Owyang, Andre Espinoza, Usama Tuqan, Johnny Luu, Jason Yu, and Erin Aguilong  
 Civil Engineering  
 Faculty Advisor: Dr. Timothy Dorazio



Entry Number: 215 UP2  
**EFFECT OF INTEGRATION ALGORITHM ON UNCERTAINTY ANALYSIS OF STRUCTURAL RESPONSE UNDER EARTHQUAKE EXCITATION**  
 By: Kawai Law  
 Civil Engineering  
 Faculty Advisor: Dr. Cheng Chen

Entry Number: 216 UP2  
**SFSU STEEL BRIDGE**  
 By: Manuel Uribe, Jesus Gutierrez, Alvaro Arias, Yazeed, Mikdam, Omar, Mohamad, Mohanad, Karim, and Hayder  
 Civil Engineering  
 Faculty Advisor: Dr. Timothy Dorazio





Entry Number: 204 UP2  
SENIOR DESIGN PROJECT - TAKE COVER  
By: Joshua Kessner, Michael Hill,  
and Michael Cornish  
Mechanical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kwok-Siong Teh

Entry Number: 205 UP2  
KASPRBOT  
By: Lawrence Chiu, Lucas Marsh, and Gerryl Esperacion  
Mechanical engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kwok Siong Teh

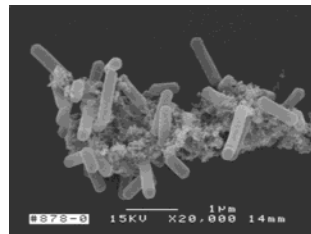
Entry Number: 206 UP2  
Adaptive Green: Vertical Indoor Gardening  
By: Michael Barriger, Michael Calder, Diana Chang, Victor Lin  
Mechanical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kwok Siong Teh

Entry Number: 207 UP2  
DENSITY FUNCTIONAL THEORY MOLECULAR DYNAMICS  
SIMULATIONS OF LI+ IONS IN BETA-LI3PS4 AND  
AMORPHOUS SOLID-ELECTROLYTES  
By: Nima Leclerc  
Mechanical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Nicole Adelstein

Entry Number: 208 UP2  
VEHICLE HUD SYSTEM  
By: Robert Phung and Alex Mak  
Mechanical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kwok-Siong Teh

Entry Number: 209 UP2  
CLEAN-TOW  
By: Spencer Klaiber-Short, Cristina Van Epps, and Jose 'Polo' Chavez  
Mechanical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kwok-Siong Teh

Entry Number: 210 UP2  
SPOT - AN AID FOR THE VISUALLY IMPAIRED  
By: Tim Mitchell, Yassine Ouassif, and Sanjeev Gupta  
Mechanical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kwok-Siong Teh



## Projects #1 – 95 are from Graduate Students

Entry Number: 1 GB DISPLAY ONLY  
ADOLESCENT TIME RELATION AND BULLYING DIFFERS BETWEEN  
GENDERS: A FEMALE EFFECT  
By: Alyssa Youngquist  
Psychology: Developmental Psychology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Zena R. Mello

Entry Number: 2 GB DISPLAY ONLY  
PURCHASING HAPPINESS; IT'S WRITTEN ALL OVER YOUR FACE  
By: Kristine Tom  
Psychology  
Faculty Advisors: Dr. Ryan Howell and Dr. Mark W. Geisler

Entry Number: 3 GB  
EMOTIONAL AMBIVALENCE DURING  
THE PRODROMAL PHASE OF SCHIZOPHRENIA  
By: Alen Tersakyan, Celena Valenzuela, and Josephine Keenan  
Psychology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. David Gard

Entry Number: 4 GB  
PLEASANT TO AVERSIVE: BRAINWAVE RESPONSES TO EATING  
CHOCOLATE PAST SATIATION  
By: Alen Tersakyan, Erica Walker, Anar Salayev, and Alejandro Heredia  
Psychology  
Faculty Advisors: Dr. David Gard and Dr. Mark W. Geisler

Entry Number: 5 GB  
PSYCHOPATHOLOGICAL PREDICTORS OF PSYCHOLOGICAL INERTIA  
By: Alen Tersakyan, Catherine Kircos, Bree Koenig, and Valerie La  
Psychology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. David Gard

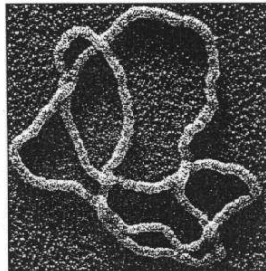
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POSTTRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER: DESENSITIZATION TO  
NON-TRAUMA RELATED NEGATIVE STIMULI  
By: Callan R. Lujan, Rachel Gonzalez, and Jessica Mcmillin  
Psychology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Mark Geisler

Entry Number: 7 GB  
IMPLICATIONS OF EMOTION MINDFULNESS  
ON DEMAND-WITHDRAW COMMUNICATION  
By: Ella Tarnate and Alina Belohlavek  
Psychology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Sarah Holley

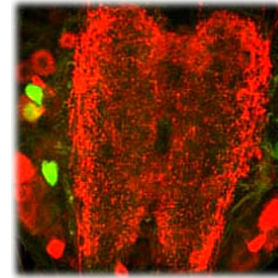
Entry Number: 8 GB  
SUPPORTING CHINESE PRESCHOOLERS' SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL  
DEVELOPMENT THROUGH A TECHNOLOGY-INTEGRATED PROGRAM  
By: Jessica Dow  
Psychology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Jae H. Paik

Entry Number: 9 GB  
WHY ARE SOME PEOPLE MORE CREATIVE THAN OTHERS?  
AN ELECTROPHYSIOLOGICAL APPROACH  
By: Kristina Pfeifer, Nancy Garcia, Gavin Dowd, and Reza Gafur  
Psychology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Mark W. Geisler

Entry Number: 10 GB  
"WHAT'S IN A NAME?" ON THE TENDENCY TO HOMOGENIZE WOMEN  
AND INDIVIDUATE MEN  
By: Lyndsey Wallace, Chirag Dalibar, Callan Lujan, and Kristina Pfeifer  
Psychology  
Faculty Advisors: Dr. Avi Ben-Zeev and Dr. Mark W. Geisler



Entry Number: 11 GB  
WORKING MEMORY-BASED ACTION CONTROL:  
AN INTERFERENCE PARADIGM  
FOR NEUROIMAGING  
By: Sabrina Bhangal  
Psychology  
Faculty Advisors: Dr. Ezequiel Morsella  
and Dr. Mark W. Geisler



Entry Number: 197 UP1  
AUTONOMOUS OBSTACLE AVOIDANCE  
VEHICLE AND OBJECT FINDER  
By: Hector Estrella, Sonam T. Lama,  
and Justin Quitoriano  
Electrical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Thomas Holton

Entry Number: 198 UP1  
EZ AQUARIUM  
By: Karla V. Vega, Anish Kumaramangalam, and Philip Hu  
Electrical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Thomas Holton

Entry Number: 199 UP1 DISPLAY ONLY  
DEFECT-INDUCED EXCITONIC PROPERTIES OF THE EDGES AND  
GRAIN BOUNDARIES IN SYNTHESIZED MONOLAYER  
MOLYBDENUM DISULFIDE  
By: Alexander Yore  
Electrical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. AKM Newaz

Entry Number: 200 UP2  
ARM - AUTONOMOUS ROBOTIC MOVEMENTS  
By: Andrew Roby and Jonas Ruthfuss  
Mechanical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Mojtaba Azadi

Entry Number: 201 UP2  
E ARM  
By: Ethan Tseng, Richard Pham, Tsun Ming Kwan, and Alejandro Ortiz  
Mechanical engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kwok-Siong Teh

Entry Number: 202 UP2  
ACCESSIBLE WHEELCHAIR  
By: Henry Yu, Xi Zhao, and Ruiming Liu  
Mechanical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kwok-Siong Teh

Entry Number: 203 UP2  
MANUAL CAR HAND CONTROLS  
By: Igor Abramson, Calvin Tran, and Ariel Smith  
Mechanical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kwok-Siong Teh

Entry Number: 190 UP1  
NFC ON LOCK

By: Lance Narbaitz, Consuelo Jimenez, and Mikael Miller  
Computer Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Thomas Holton

Entry Number: 191 UP1  
HEART SYNC

By: Roseanne Damasco, McKenzie Campagna, and Adrian Solorio  
Computer Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Thomas Holton

Entry Number: 192 UP1  
A LOW INPUT WIRELESS POWER TRANSFER FOR  
BIOMEDICAL IMPLANTS

By: Alejandra Franco  
Electrical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Hao Jiang

Entry Number: 193 UP1  
PROGRAMMABLE RESISTIVE CROSSBAR ARRAY  
By: Alex Chen, Sravanth Bolla, and Taylor Chesnut  
Electrical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Thomas Holton

Entry Number: 194 UP1  
SELF TUNING GUITAR  
By: Brett Rinehart and Fidel Quezada Guzmán  
Electrical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Thomas Holton

Entry Number: 195 UP1  
MOTORCYCLE HELMET HUD  
By: Cameron Nauman and Brian Rondolo  
Electrical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Thomas Holton

Entry Number: 196 UP1  
DUAL AXIS SOLAR TRACKER  
By: Carlos Martinez, Abdulrahman Alshaikhi,  
and Zenas Waa Saepfan  
Electrical Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Thomas Holton



Entry Number: 12 GB  
COGNITIVE BIASES AND INVOLUNTARY  
COGNITIONS IN AT-RISK POPULATIONS

By: Wei Dou, Hyein Cho, and  
Anthony G. Velasquez  
Psychology

Faculty Advisors: Dr. Mark W. Geisler and Dr. Ezequiel Morsella



Entry Number: 13 GB  
FATHER-CHILD RELATIONSHIP'S IMPACT ON FATHERING  
GOAL MEETING AND FATHER-CHILD INTERACTION IN  
ADOLESCENCE

By: Xiaoye Xu  
psychology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Jeff Cookston

Entry Number: 14 GB  
APPROACH, AVOID, OR BOUNCE-BACK: THE MEDIATING ROLE  
OF SELF-TALK

By: Zaviera Bonita Reyes  
Psychology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Seung Hee Yoo

Entry Number: 15 GB  
"DEAR MOTHER OF THE TANTRUMING CHILD AT TARGET":  
MODERATORS OF PARENTAL DISTRESS TOLERANCE

By: Allie Morford  
Developmental Psychology  
Faculty Advisors: Dr. Jeff Cookston and Dr. Melissa Hagan

Entry Number: 16 GB  
MECHANISMS OF MARITAL DISCORD SPILLOVER INTO YOUNG  
ADULT DATING VIOLENCE

By: Chase J. Boyer  
Developmental Psychology  
Faculty Advisors: Dr. Jeff Cookston and Dr. Sarah Holley

Entry Number: 17 GB  
WHO SHOULD I TALK TO ABOUT HIM? GUIDED COGNITIVE  
REFRAMING WITH NON-PARENTAL SOURCES ABOUT  
THE FATHER-CHILD RELATIONSHIP

By: Kenn Dela Cruz  
Developmental Psychology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Jeff Cookston

Entry Number: 18 GB  
POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE WELL-BEING AMONG ADOLESCENTS FROM  
THEOLOGICAL AND CONVENTIONAL SCHOOLS IN INDIA  
By: Manpreet Kaur  
Developmental Psychology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Zena R. Mello

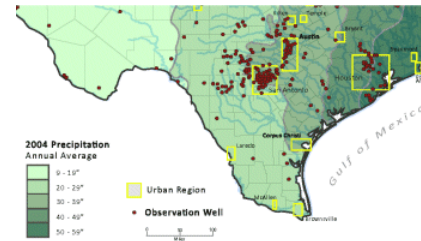
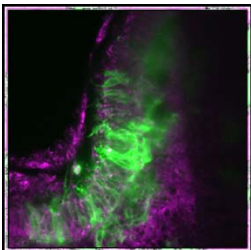
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THE RELATIONS AMONG IMPLICIT THEORIES OF I  
NTELLIGENCE, SELF-COMPASSION, AND MENTAL HEALTH AMONG  
CHINESE ADOLESCENTS  
By: Riley Chu  
Developmental Psychology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Jae H. Paik

Entry Number: 20 GB  
ELECTRONIC PROCEDURES FOR AUTONOMOUS CREWS IN SPACE:  
AN EXAMINATION OF INDIVIDUAL USE  
OF AUTOMATED PROCEDURE SUPPORT  
By: Jessica Lam, Jessica Dow, David Mast, Laura Wayne,  
and Megan Winston  
Industrial/Organizational Psychology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kathleen Mosier

Entry Number: 21 GB  
APPRAISING VALUE STRENGTH: AN ANALYSIS OF STUDENT  
PERCEPTIONS OF SF STATE CORE VALUES  
By: Emma Curran, Rebecca Ornellas, Laura Wayne, Michael King,  
Megan Winston, Darryl Hunter Jr., David W. Mast,  
Keith Chisholm, and Eric Nestingen  
Industrial/Organizational Psychology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Kevin Eschleman

Entry Number: 22 GB  
LONELINESS AND EXPRESSIVE SUPPRESSION:  
THE ROLE OF PESSIMISM ABOUT EXPRESSIVITY  
By: Pooya Razavi  
Social Psychology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Seung Hee Yoo

Entry Number: 23 GL1  
L-ARGININE THROUGH NITRIC OXIDE SIGNALING  
MODULATES SOMITE DERMOMYOTOME GROWTH  
AND EXPANSION IN EARLY CHICK DEVELOPMENT  
By: Fernando R Curiel and Gretchen Hazel Ford  
Cell & Molecular Biology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Wilfred Denetclaw



Entry Number: 183 UP1 DISPLAY ONLY  
MYINTERN MOBILE APP  
By: Timothy Friesen and Thai Nguyen  
Computer Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Thomas Holton

Entry Number: 184 UP1  
RESTAURANT WAITLIST MANAGEMENT SYSTEM  
By: Agajan Jumakuliyev and Pedrum Aghamir  
Computer Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Thomas Holton

Entry Number: 185 UP1  
DESIGN OPTIMIZATION OF WRITE CIRCUIT FOR SPIN TRANSFER  
TORQUE MAGNETIC LATCHES AND LOOK-UP-TABLES IN 32/28NM  
CMOS PROCESS  
By: Andrew Miller and Tyler Sheaves  
Computer Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Hamid Mahmoodi

Entry Number: 186 UP1  
ANDROID GAME: TANK ENGINEER  
By: Arvin Lau  
Computer Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Thomas Holton

Entry Number: 187 UP1  
SMART SHOWER SYSTEM AND DRINK DISPENSER  
By: Charles Shaw, Rodolfo Alejandro Ayala Palacios,  
and Rosemarie Martin Dehesa  
Computer Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Thomas Holton

Entry Number: 188 UP1  
MINIATURE DATA LOGGER FOR WEIGHING LYSIMETER  
By: Ian Santos and Kevin Valenzuela  
Computer Engineering  
Faculty Advisors: Dr. Hao Jiang and Dr. Andrew Oliphant

Entry Number: 189 UP1  
DATA SCIENCE CONSOLE  
By: Kevin Valenzuela, Yong Wen Wu, and Benjamin Lopez  
Computer Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Thomas Holton



Entry Number: 176 UL3  
EVALUATING THE ALDEHYDE SUBSTRATE SPECIFICITY OF  
PHENYLACETALDEHYDE DEHYDROGENASE FROM  
THE STYRENE CATABOLIC AND DETOXIFICATION PATHWAY  
By: Sima Rantisi, Karina Ky, and Andrew Hong  
Biochemistry  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. George Gassner

Entry Number: 177 UL3  
LITHIUM IODIDE AS SOLID-ELECTROLYTE:  
COMPUTATIONAL EXPERIMENTS ON DRIVERS OF  $Li^+$  DIFFUSION  
By: Thomaz Alves  
Biochemistry  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Nicole Adelstein

Entry Number: 178 UL3  
METAL INHIBITION OF A SPERMIDINE/SPERMINE  
N1-ACETYLTRANSFERASE (SPEG) IN VIBRIO CHOLERAE  
By: Winnie Hong and Joseph Dang  
Biochemistry  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Misty L. Kuhn

Entry Number: 179 UP1  
CONNECTABLE: MODULAR SYNTHESIZER INTERFACE  
By: Michael Castanieto  
Computer Science  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Bill Hsu

Entry Number: 180 UP1  
FOOD ROULETTE  
By: Samuel Gluss, Hari Manivannan, Nikolay Pavlov, and Afshin Binesh  
Computer Science  
Faculty Advisor: Marc Sosnick

Entry Number: 181 UP1 DISPLAY ONLY  
BOMBERMAN  
By: Su Khai Koh, Suhan Koh, Steven Nguyen, and Raymond Thai  
Computer Science  
Faculty Advisor: John Roberts

Entry Number: 182 UP1 DISPLAY ONLY  
SLEEP APNEA DETECTION  
By: Stephanie Benavidez, Jordan Butler,  
and Kelvin Lee  
Computer Engineering  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Thomas Holton



Entry Number: 24 GL1  
MATRIX METALLOPROTEINASE INHIBITION  
AFTER HEART ATTACK  
By: Kimberly Spaulding  
Cell & Molecular Biology  
Faculty Advisors: Dr. Frank Bayliss and Dr. Mark Ratcliffe

Entry Number: 25 GL1  
LIVE CELL TRACKING OF RBM20-INDUCED CARDIOMYOPATHY IN  
HUMAN IPS-CARDIOMYOCYTES  
By: Kristin Holmes  
Cell & Molecular Biology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Carmen Domingo

Entry Number: 26 GL1  
PP1 PHOSPHATASES GSP-3 AND GSP-4 AS KEY REGULATORS OF  
SEX-SPECIFIC CHROMOSOME SEGREGATION IN C. ELEGANS  
By: Marco Monroy  
Cell & Molecular Biology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Diana Chu

Entry Number: 27 GL1  
EXPLORING THE ROLES OF HISTONE VARIANTS HTZ-1  
AND HTAS-1 DURING SPERMATOGENESIS  
By: Monet Jimenez  
Cell & Molecular Biology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Diana Chu

Entry Number: 28 GL1  
EXAMINING THE INNER AND EXTRINSIC CUES OF ER  
PARTITIONING PRIOR TO ASYMMETRIC CELL DIVISION  
By: Norma Gaytan  
Cell & Molecular Biology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Blake Riggs

Entry Number: 29 GL1  
EVOLUTION OF A MODERN RETROGENE  
By: Gerid Ollison  
Cell & Molecular Biology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Scott Roy



Entry Number: 30 GL1  
STRESS RESPONSES OF TALBOTIA ELEGANS  
AT EXTREME TEMPERATURES  
By: Thuy Tran and Elias M. Duarte  
Cell & Molecular Biology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Zheng-Hui He

Entry Number: 31 GL1  
THE EEG EFFECTS OF COMBINING EMOTIONAL  
MUSIC AND VERBAL ATTENTION DURING THE  
COLD PRESSOR TASK

By: Liana Bruggemann, Trevor Jackson, and Jason Soares  
Cognitive Neuroscience  
Faculty Advisors: Dr. Mark Geisler and Dr. Ezekiel Morsella



Entry Number: 32 GL1  
TRACKING THE EVOLUTION OF HIV-1 IN PATIENTS ON PrEP  
TREATMENT

By: Dwayne Evans  
Microbiology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Pleuni S. Pennings

Entry Number: 33 GL1  
ELUCIDATING THE JOINT ROLES OF A PROTEASE AND  
A LIPOPROTEIN IN SINORHIZOBIUM MELILOTI DURING  
SYMBIOTIC INFECTION OF PLANT HOST

By: Hector Ramirez  
Microbiology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Joseph Chen

Entry Number: 34 GL1  
SURVIVAL OF THE FITTEST: DETERMINE THE RATE AT  
WHICH MUTATIONS ARE MOVING THROUGH AN HIV POPULATION

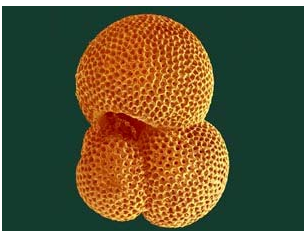
By: Kadie-Ann Williams  
Microbiology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Pleuni S. Pennings

Entry Number: 35 GL1  
IMMUNE RESPONSES DURING TISSUE REGENERATION OF IMAGINAL  
DISCS IN *MANDUCA SEXTA*

By: Rachel Bhaskar  
Microbiology  
Faculty Advisors: Dr. Megumi Fuse, Dr. Steven Weinstein, and Dr. Lily Chen

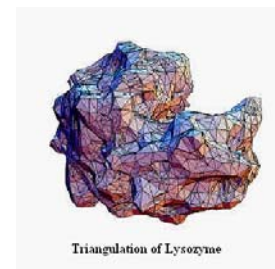
Entry Number: 36 GL1  
INVESTIGATING UNIQUELY CONSERVED GENES  
ACROSS ARCHAEAL AMMONIA OXIDIZERS AS  
CANDIDATES FOR GENETIC DETERMINANTS OF  
THE AMMONIA OXIDATION PATHWAY

By: Roxanne Bantay  
Microbiology  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. José R. de la Torre



Entry Number: 171 UL3  
INVESTIGATION OF CYTOTOXIC SECONDARY  
METABOLITES PRODUCED BY  
MARINE SEDIMENT-DERIVED  
STREPTOMYCES SP. CP47-79

By: Eric Yip  
Biochemistry  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Taro Amagata



Entry Number: 172 UL3  
PROMOTING CELLULAR DIFFERENTIATION

By: Jasmine Sims  
Biochemistry  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Teaster Baird Jr.

Entry Number: 173 UL3  
TO OPTIMIZE OR NOT TO OPTIMIZE-THAT IS THE QUESTION:  
MODIFYING PURIFICATION METHODS FOR  
GCN5-RELATED N-ACETYLTRANSFERASE ENZYMES

By: Kristen Jew, Alina Revilla, and Melissa Law  
Biochemistry  
Faculty Advisor: Dr. Misty L. Kuhn

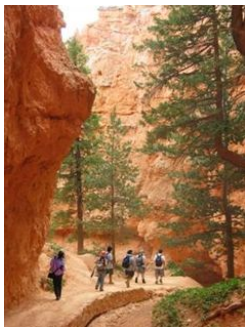
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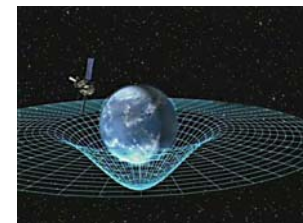
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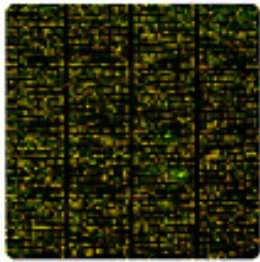
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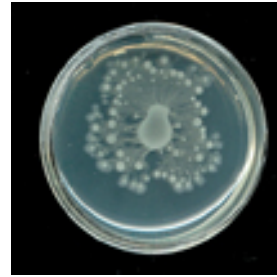
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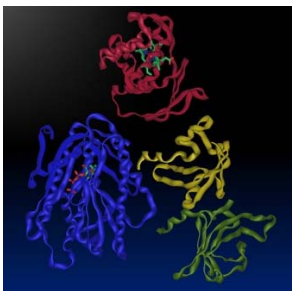
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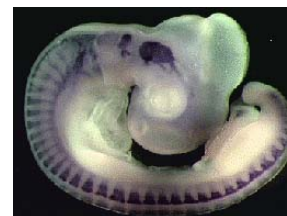
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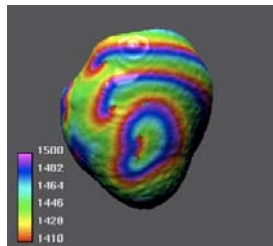
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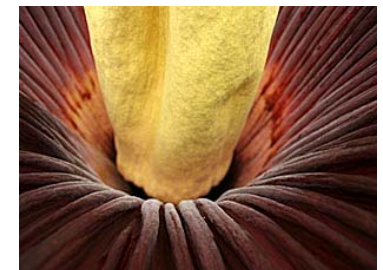
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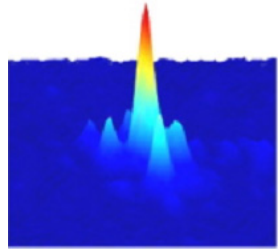
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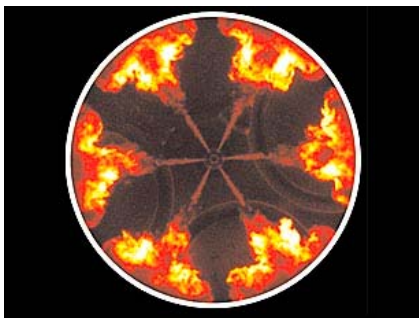
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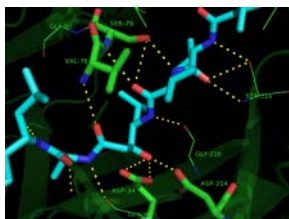
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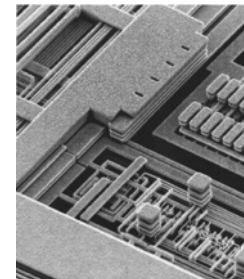
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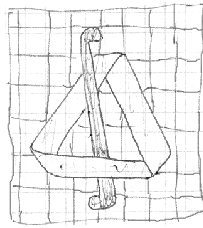
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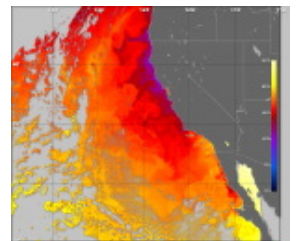
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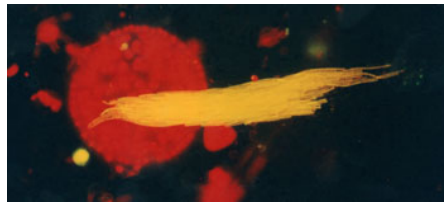
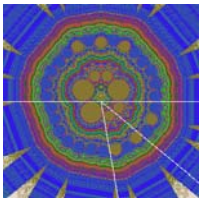
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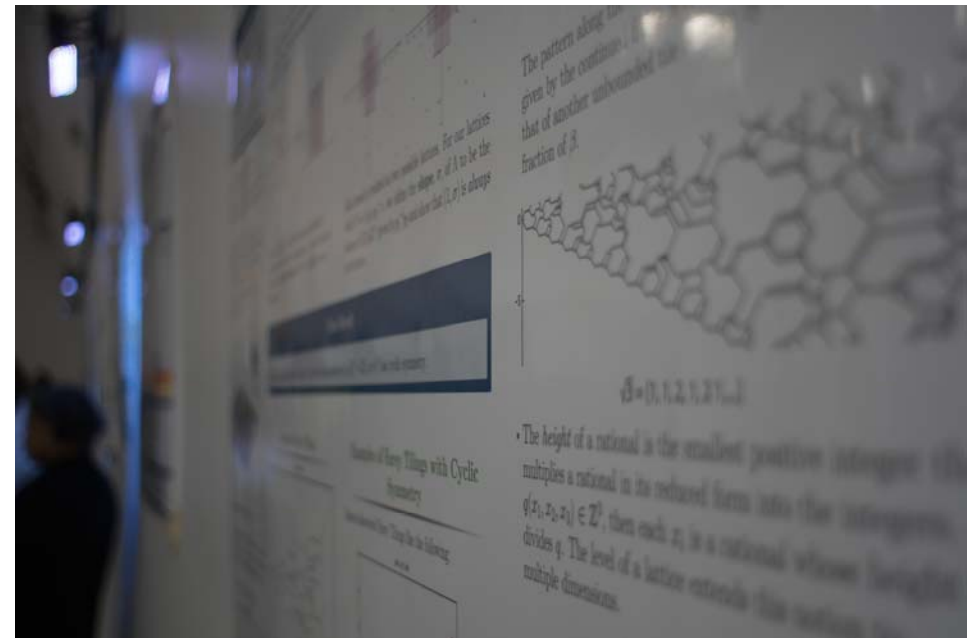
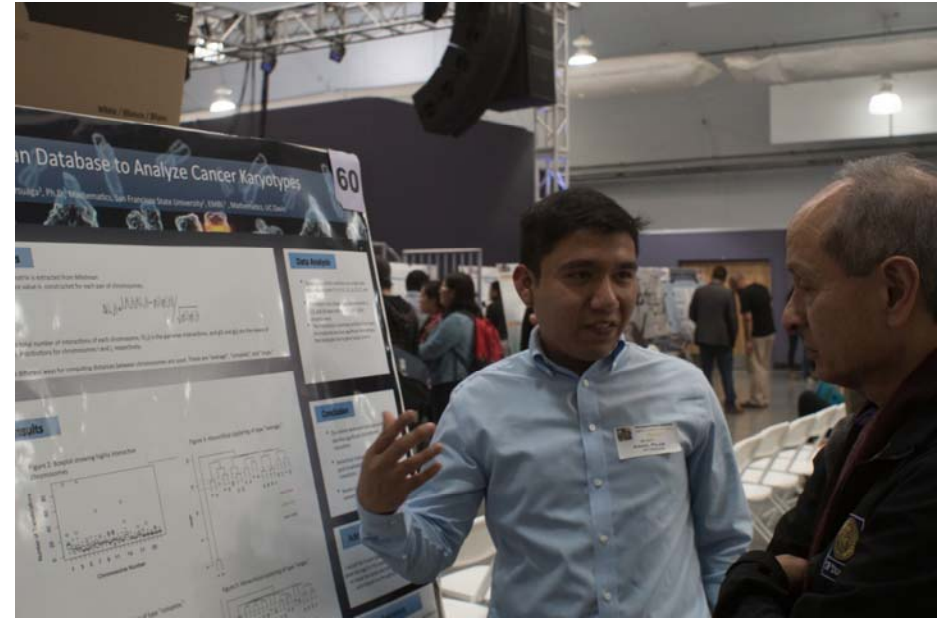
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