



Marlboro College

**VERMONT ACADEMY
OF ARTS & SCIENCES**

**Spring Student
Symposium**
April 22, 2017

Schedule of Events

9:30-9:45	Welcome & Refreshments <i>Dining Hall</i>
9:45-11:10	Session I Panels <i>Various Locations</i>
11:10-11:20	Break <i>Snacks available outside D38</i>
11:20-12:45	Session II Panels <i>Various Locations</i>
12:45-1:30	Lunch Recognition Ceremony <i>Dining Hall</i>

Moderators (Marlboro College)

Jennifer Ramstetter / Professor of Biology and Ecology

Ella Grunberger / Kirsh / Professor of Classics

Nelli Sargsyan / Professor of Anthropology

Jennifer Girouard / Professor of Sociology

Tom Toleno / Professor of Psychology

Kate Ratcliff / Professor of American Studies

Session I Panels / 9:45-11:10

Tribute to Earth Day: Multi-Disciplinary Perspectives on the Environment

Location: Library 102 Moderator: Jenny Ramstetter

Hailey Mount (Marlboro College)

The Place of an Anthropocentric Internally-Telic Value in Environmental Ethics

Jesse Brekelbaum and Kristen Ross (Green Mountain College)

Urban Ecology: Discovering and Defining an Evolving Discipline

Spencer Knickerbocker (Marlboro College)

In Defense of Nature

Daniel Medeiros (Marlboro College)

Does this Count as Rewilding?

Perspectives on Criminal Justice

Location: Dalrymple 33E Moderator: Nelli Sargsyan

Jeffrey Hiam (Marlboro College)

Re-Framing the Discourse on Criminal Justice

Duncan Millar (Norwich University)

Perceptions on Police

Justina George (Norwich University)

Impact of Racial Bias on Police Related Shootings

Jennifer Zarycki (Norwich University)

Colors and Crime

Cadets and Civilians: Psychological Perspectives

Location: Dalrymple 38

Moderator: Tom Toleno

Muhammad Ali Shahidy (Norwich University)

An Evaluation of the Relationship between Knowledge of the Middle Eastern Culture and Justification of Violence against Civilians among American Military Cadets

Dillon Siener (Norwich University)

The Relationship of Exercise on Anxiety and Stress among Norwich Cadets

Alexandra Collier (Norwich University)

Attachment Style and the Ability to Handle Stress and Fear

Cheryl Flint (Norwich University)

The Relationship Between Terror Management Theory and Moral Reasoning: A Comparison of Cadets and Civilians

Personality and Social Psychology I

Location: Appletree

Moderator: Kate Ratcliff

Wen-Ying Hsu (Norwich University)

Birth Order, Achievement, and Anxiety

Andrea Pennock (Norwich University)

Tea Drinkers versus Coffee Drinkers: Who is More Productive?

Kevin Stark (Norwich University)

The Bystander Effect: Altruism, Group Size, and Perceived Risk

Anthony Ortiz (Norwich University)

Using Eye Tracking to Identify Attention Bias in Emergency Responders

Session II Panels / 11:10-12:45

Liberal Arts Showcase

Location: Dalrymple 38 Moderator: Ella Grunberger-Kirsh

Lydia Nuhfer (Marlboro College)

Many Thousand Ewes- Vernacular Translations as Homeric Scholarship

Daniel Valdes (Norwich University)

Public Opinion on Immigration and the 2016 Presidential Election

Christopher Lamb (Marlboro College)

The Significance of Place in Being and Time

John McGill (Marlboro College)

Enumerating Graceful Permutations

Psychology and the College Years

Location: Dalrymple 33E

Moderator: Jennifer Girouard

Tiffany A. Neeb (Norwich University)

Studying College Drinking Levels: Widening the Lens and Sharpening the Focus on Anxiety

Kelsey Soares (Norwich University)

The Effects of Sleep Deprivation in College Students

Lauren Nehilla (Norwich University)

Measurement of Student Stress and Contributing Factors between Collegiate Academic Years

Catherine Clauss (Marlboro College)

Adolescence and Career Development

Schedule II Panels Continued / 11:10-12:45

Personality and Social Psychology II

Location: Appletree

Moderator: Kate Ratcliff

Ben Romanik

Personality Types and Anxiety

Ally Day

Gender Differences in Recall Memory for Emotion Words

Nicholas P. Heredia

False Memory: The Phenomenon of Memory Reconstruction

Austin L. Scatena

The Correlation of Misophonia and Academia

About VAAS:

The Vermont Academy of Arts and Sciences was organized in October 1965. The purpose of the Academy is to foster wider and more intensive participation in the arts, humanities and sciences within the State of Vermont, to make the values of these fields more accessible to the people of the State, and to stimulate achievement and promote excellence of instruction in these areas.

The annual spring Intercollegiate Student Symposium provides an opportunity for students at the various colleges and universities of the state, as well as student members of the Junior Academy of Science, to present the results of their original research before an audience of their peers and members of the Academy. 2017 is the 51st year of the annual Symposium. This is the second time Marlboro College has hosted.



1. Hilton House
2. Marlboro Gardens
3. Brown Science Building
4. Howland
5. Rice-Aron Library
6. Schrader
7. Happy Valley
8. Random South
9. Random North
10. All-the-Way
11. Halfway
12. Dalrymple
13. Outdoor Program
14. Campus Center and Total Health Center
15. Pottery Shed
16. Hendricks House
17. Dining Hall
18. Mather
19. Whittemore Theater and Drury Gallery
20. Serkin Center, Ragle Hall
23. Apple Tree
- 24. Admissions**
25. Snyder Art Center
26. World Studies Center
27. Persons Auditorium



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