JAMES J. WILEN
ACADEMIC SYMPOSIUM

Emerson Suites, Phillips Hall
Clark Lounge, Egbert Hall
Park Hall Auditorium, Roy H. Park Hall

9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
4:00–5:00 P.M.  EMERSON SUITE C
Mathematics
Convener: Osman Yurekli, associate professor

4:05  “Finding the General Formula for Computing the Sum ∑ i”
Lorraine Burke '99 (mathematics)
Sponsor: Osman Yurekli

4:10  “Converting Definitions by Complete Recursion to Recursive Definitions Just Involving a Few Terms”
Bryan Godfrey-Lanoue '00 (mathematics)
Sponsor: John Rosenthal, professor

4:15  “Another Method of Solving Bessel’s Equation”
Scott Wilson '00 (mathematics)
Sponsor: Osman Yurekli

James J. Whalen Academic Symposium
Research and Creative Works
Presented by
Ithaca College Students in Collaboration with Faculty

Thursday, March 18, 1999

The academic symposium is a forum for the presentation of student and faculty collaborative work, a distinguishing feature of an Ithaca College education. It is named in honor of James J. Whalen, who was president of the College from 1975 to 1997.
James J. Whalen Academic Symposium  
March 18, 1999  
9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

Program

9:00–10:20 A.M.  
EMERSON SUITE A
Exercise and Sport Sciences  
Convener: Ellen J. Staurowsky, associate professor, sport science

“Bias in Sport Media: A Cross-Cultural Examination of the Treatments and Perceptions of Canadian and American Ice Hockey”  
Michael Giardina '99 (sport studies)  
Keren Leiby '99 (sports information and communication)  
Sponsors: Stephen Mosher, associate professor, sport science  
Ellen J. Staurowsky

“Media Conglomerates and Their Impact on the Industry of Sport”  
Andrew Scafetta '99 (sports information and communication)  
Sponsor: Ellen J. Staurowsky

“Can Separate Be Equal? The Nature of Athletic Equality”  
Jason Nickerson '00 (sport management)  
Kristin Muenzen '00 (sports information and communication)  
Stephanie Vogel '00 (sport management)  
Sponsor: Ellen J. Staurowsky

“Homophobia: The Reaction to Women Challenging the Sport Patriarchy”  
Cheryl Wah '99 (sport management)  
Sponsor: Wayne Blann, professor, sport science

3:00–4:00 P.M.  
CLARK LOUNGE
POSTER SESSION

“Inhibition and Impulsivity Revisited: A Longitudinal Study of Children Tested on a Visual Cliff as Infants”  
April Smith '99 (psychology)  
Sponsor: Nancy Rader, associate professor, psychology

“The Effects of Peer and Authority Praise on Subsequent Performance of Boys and Girls”  
Jamie Donsbach '99 (psychology)  
Sponsor: Nancy Rader

“Uptake and Transport of Radiolabeled IAA in Intact Phaseolus vulgaris Plants”  
Alan Leipham '98 (biology)  
Sponsor: Imre Tamas, professor, biology

“Regulation of Lateral Bud Growth in Phalaris arundinacea Grown in Controlled Environments”  
Kalyan Pande '99 (biology)  
Sponsors: John Bernard, professor, biology  
Imre Tamas, professor, biology

“Misleading Claims in TV Commercials: Let the Viewer Beware”  
Jenny Brennan, Marnie D'Uva, Johanna Hising, Jennifer Joy, Rachel Levy, Megan Roberts, Matt Thouin, and Amy Vavra (all psychology)  
Sponsor: Cynthia Scheibe, associate professor, psychology

“The Influence of Television on Beliefs about Death and Dying”  
Brian Coate, Kate Knauf, Debra Millstein, Emily Patrick, and Cindy Smith (all psychology)  
Sponsor: Cynthia Scheibe

“A Developmental Study of Media Use and Body Image”  
Darragh Foley, Tanya Lenczowski, Kari Luehmann, Carly Roper, Shannon Youst, and Melissa Zappen (all psychology)  
Sponsor: Cynthia Scheibe
10:40–11:50 A.M. EMERSON SUITE A

Business
Convener: Fahri Unsal, associate professor, business

“Marketing Digital Products on the Web”
Christian Stroucken ’99 (business)
Sponsor: Fahri Unsal

“Gender, Sex, and Sexual Harassment”
Caren Jacobs ’00 (television-radio)
Sponsor: Gwen Seaquist, associate professor, business

NOON–1:50 P.M. EMERSON SUITE B

Lunch for all presenters and their sponsors
Welcome: Garry L. Brodhead, assistant provost
Remarks: James S. Malek, provost and vice president for academic affairs
James J. Whalen, president emeritus

NOON–1:00 P.M. PARK HALL AUDITORIUM

Cinema and Radio
Convener: Eloise Green, interim assistant dean, communications

“Max Dart, Radio Drama” by Joshua Way
Brian Dickett ’99 (cinema and photography)
A program of films will be announced at the showing.

1:00–3:00 P.M. CLARK LOUNGE

Music
Convener: Dana Wilson, professor, music composition

Quartet for Joan Miró, I, “Blue II”
Conner Earl ’00 (music composition)

Four Pieces of Expansion for Piano
Brian Aumueller ’00 (music composition)

Improvisation
Kier Neuringer ’99 (music composition)

Other performances to be announced.

1:50–2:30 P.M. EMERSON SUITE A

History, Literature, and Modern Languages
Convener: Paul McBride, professor, history

“The Assassination of John Fitzgerald Kennedy”
Peter Formaini ’99 (history)
Sponsor: Paul McBride

“The Unrepresented Is Not the Unrepresentable: Lesbians, Gender, and the Novel”
Ursula Goulet ’99 (English)
Sponsor: Katharine Kittredge, associate professor, English

“In Search of Immortality”
David Svoboda ’99 (Spanish)
Sponsor: Julio López-Arias, associate professor, modern languages and literatures

1:50–2:30 P.M. EMERSON SUITE C

Speech Communication
Convener: Ellen Bonaguro, assistant professor

“Reclaiming Ourselves through Language”
Leemarie Mosca ’99 (speech communication)
Sponsor: Ellen Bonaguro
"An Examination of the Emotional Bonds in Cross-Sex Friendships: What Emotional Need Do They Fulfill?"
Kate Donnelly '00 (speech communication)
Sponsor: Ellen Bonaguro

"BBF—Best Friends Forgotten: The Impact of Heterosexual Romantic Relationships on Same-Sex Friendships"
Lauren Goldberg '99 (speech communication)
Sponsor: Ellen Bonaguro

2:45–4:00 P.M.  EMERSON SUITE A
Anthropology, Psychology, and Chemistry
Convener: Nancy Rader, associate professor, psychology

"Environmental Research in Brazil and the Dominican Republic: Work in Progress"
Elizabeth Press '99 (anthropology)
Sponsors: Michael Malpass, associate professor, anthropology
Hector Velez, associate professor, sociology
Janice Levy, associate professor, photography

"The Jamaican Kina Ritual: Liminality as a Subversive Ideological Transcript"
Tracey Calhoun '99 (anthropology)
Sponsor: Joel Savishinsky, professor, anthropology

"Brain Lateralization of Language: Sex Differences"
Pavitra Sundar '99 (psychology)
Sponsor: Nancy Rader

"The Use of Ab Initio Molecular Orbital Calculations to Study the Acidity of Selected Organic Molecules"
Jason Nichols '00 (chemistry)
Sponsor: Heinz Koch, professor, chemistry

9:00–10:00 A.M.  EMERSON SUITE C
Physical Therapy
Convener: Katherine Beissner, associate professor

"Effects of Dexamethasone Iontophoresis on Delayed-Onset Muscle Soreness"
James A. Gallegro '99 and Jeffrey Elrick '99 (both physical therapy)
Sponsor: Charles Ciccone, professor

"Hippotherapy Education in the Ithaca College Physical Therapy Curriculum: A Survey"
Julie Berkowitz '99, Carla Cuccia '99, and John Whitney '99 (all physical therapy)
Sponsor: Kathleen Hinkley, clinical assistant professor

9:00 A.M.–NOON  CLARK LOUNGE
Art
Convener: Joy Adams, associate professor, art

Exhibition of various works on display throughout the day:
Matthew Busker '99 (cinema and photography)
Michael Cisham '00 (history)
Erin Harrop '00 (political science)
Merrill Mason '00 (cinema and photography)
Sponsor: Joy Adams

Writing
Convener: Marian MacCurdy, associate professor

Presenters will be announced as they read.

10:15–11:15 A.M.  EMERSON SUITE C
Biology
Convener: Jean Hardwick, assistant professor

"Characterization of a Novel Neuropeptide Innervating the Mudpuppy Heart"
Linda Schoenfeld '99 (biology)
Sponsor: Jean Hardwick
Academic Symposium
Park Auditorium
Thursday, March 18
12:00 - 1:00pm

Park School of Communications
Brian Dickett '99
Max Dart, radio drama by Joshua Way
Audio Workshop
Megan Roberts, associate professor

Joshua Rich '99 and Ryan Glidden '99
Bee Venom Therapy, documentary
Produced in Video Workshop
Mara Alper, assistant professor
Developed in Documentary Research
Ben Crane, associate professor

Film Workshop projects
Pierre Desir, assistant professor

Ben Kasulke '99
Sediment, experimental narrative

Sara Mahle '99
Garrotte, experimental narrative

DeWitt Davis '99
Sooda, documentary

Carl Hansen '99
Pearly Whites, narrative

Thank you:
Simon Barrett, projection
Barbara Terrell, C&P department assistant

Life is trying things to see if they work.
- Ray Bradbury
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