A TRIBUTE TO THE REV. MSGR. JAMES BARTA, PH.D.

Monsignor Barta is known for his many roles at Loras College – priest, counselor, psychology professor, department chair, Academic Dean, President, and Regent. But his passion is teaching.

In Msgr. Barta’s presidential inaugural address, he talked specifically about the liberal arts in ways that resonate with the purpose of the Legacy Symposium. His words continue to inspire as we celebrate the accomplishments of scholarship and creativity exhibited today by the Loras College community.

“The liberal arts college looks for the enquiring mind to do away with ignorance. It builds libraries, it brings together an informed faculty, it provides experiences in the hope of stimulating the mind.

It insists upon logic in formal classes and in the writing and the discussion of students. It alerts the student to the psychodynamics that influence their thinking. It gives them the rules of debate and other verbal exchange. It teaches them the scientific method to help separate conjecture from reality—all in the effort to reduce error.

The liberal arts college required a breadth as well as a depth of experience, insisting that its people taste of various cultures, learn of various opinions, learn to relate to people with a wide variety of ideas to everyone’s enrichment and advantage—all in the effort to avoid narrowness.

[…]

A liberal education is something much more than the cultivation of technological expertise. It is also the cultivation of that social sensitivity which brings the warmth and color to life. It is the explicit profession that we are social by nature, and incomplete without others. It is the expression of respect for others, manifesting itself in generosity, not the selfishness which enslaves us.”

Msgr. James Barta (’52)
Liberal Arts, Faith Values: Leaven for Society
Friday, October 28, 1988
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May 2, 2018

Dear Loras Students,

It is with great pride that I write this letter as we celebrate the 5th annual Legacy Symposium. I am so glad that you have chosen or been selected to participate in some meaningful way, even if it is as a proud spectator like me.

For those of you presenting or showcasing your work(s), we are anxious to hear and see all that you have learned and accomplished. For those of you attending in support of friends or classmates, I hope you’ll walk away inspired and impressed. In fact, it may just be the motivation you need to put forth a poster or presentation next year!

If you haven’t done so already, please take some time to acknowledge the faculty and staff who have especially mentored you along the way. Additionally, join me in thanking our generous benefactor, Msgr. Barta ‘52, and our faculty leaders – Drs. Eric Eller, Hilarie Welsh, Julia Omarzu, Lynn Gallagher, Dave Cochran, and Kenneth McLaughlin - for making the Legacy Symposium a grand and well-deserved recognition of your achievements. For today, be sure to take the time to appreciate your works and those of your peers.

Congratulations and best wishes for continued academic and co-curricular success!

Cordially,

James E. Collins (’84)
President
**SCHEDULE**

8:30 A.M. - 8:50 A.M.
Call to Community: Celebrating the Catholic Intellectual Tradition
*Alumni Campus Center, Concourse*

9:00 A.M. - 10:00 A.M.
Session I: Concurrent Poster Presentations, Oral Presentations
*Academic Resource Center, Alumni Campus Center, Keane Hall*

10:15 A.M. - 11:15 A.M.
Session II: Concurrent Poster Presentations, Oral Presentations
*Academic Resource Center, Alumni Campus Center, Keane Hall*

11:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.
Student Awards and Recognition Convocation (Invitation Only)
*Athletic & Wellness Center*

11:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.
Center for Experiential Learning Roundtable Discussions
*Alumni Campus Center Concourse*

1:15 P.M. - 2:10 P.M.
Session III: Concurrent Poster Presentations, Oral Presentations
*Academic Resource Center, Alumni Campus Center, Keane Hall*

2:20 P.M. - 3:15 P.M.
Session IV: Concurrent Poster Presentations, Oral Presentations
*Academic Resource Center, Alumni Campus Center, Keane Hall*

3:30 P.M. - 4:30 P.M.
Faculty Presentations I
*Academic Resource Center*

4:40 P.M. - 5:20 P.M.
Faculty Presentations II
*Academic Resource Center*

5:30 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.
Faculty Reception

7:00 P.M. - 8:30 P.M.
Film Festival
*St. Joseph Auditorium, Hoffmann Hall*
CALL TO COMMUNITY

HOW CAN I KEEP FROM SINGING—LORAS COLLEGE CONCERT CHOIR

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

OPENING SONG – PRAYER OF ST. FRANCIS

1. Make me a channel of your peace. Where there is hatred,
2. Make me a channel of your peace. Where there’s despair in,
4. Make me a channel of your peace. It is in pardon-

1. let me bring your love. Where there is injustice,
2. life, let me bring hope. Where there is darkness in giving of our-
4. ing that we are pardoned, And where there’s doubt, true

1. ry, your pardon, Lord, And where there’s sadness,
2. on - ly light, And where there’s sadness
4. selves that we receive, And in dying that we’re

1. faith in you. 1st time: to Verse 2
2. ev er joy.
4. born to e ter nal life.

Verse 3

3. O Master, grant that I may never seek So much to be con-
3. soled, as to con sole, To be un der stood, as to un der-
3. stand, To be loved, as to love, with all my soul.

OPENING PRAYER

Readings from the Catholic Intellectual Tradition. Please join in the sung response after every 3 readings.

TEACH ME YOUR WAYS

Psalm 25

David Haas

Teach me your ways, O Lord.
“Approximately 75 co-eds attend Loras College. It is not easy being the only girl in physical education or speech class. Although we must admit that being in such a situation is in some ways an ego builder, the major feeling is uncomfortable. We need moral support. We must also admit that many courtesies have been extended us. But we need more than those courtesies. We need to be recognized as a part of the Loras community…” – Christine E. Steiner, the Lorian Oct. 15, 1971

“The greatest disease in the West today is not TB or leprosy; it is being unwanted, unloved, and uncared for. We can cure physical diseases with medicine, but the only cure for loneliness, despair, and hopelessness is love. There are many in the world who are dying for a piece of bread but there are many more dying for a little love. The poverty in the West is a different kind of poverty -- it is not only a poverty of loneliness but also of spirituality. There’s a hunger for love, as there is a hunger for God.” – St. Teresa of Calcutta, A Simple Path: Mother Teresa

“Education, if it means anything, should not take people away from the land, but instill in them even more respect for it, because educated people are in a position to understand what is being lost. The future of the planet concerns all of us, and all of us should do what we can to protect it. As I told the foresters, and the women, you don’t need a diploma to plant a tree.” – Wangari Maathai, Unbowed: A Memoir

“We are communities in time and in a place, I know, but we are communities in faith as well - and sometimes time can stop shadowing us. Our lives are touched by those who lived centuries ago, and we hope that our lives will mean something to people who won’t be alive until centuries from now. It’s a great ‘chain of being,’ someone once told me, and I think our job is to do the best we can to hold up our small segment of the chain connected, unbroken. Our arms are linked - we try to be neighbors of His, and to speak up for his principles. That’s a lifetime’s job.” – Dorothy Day, The Reckless Way of Love: Notes on Following Jesus

“That’s not a lucky thing, Cecil,” said Teresa, “it’s a sacred thing.”

“What’s the difference?” Cecil asked.

Teresa smiled. “Roughly this,” she said. “A thing is magic if you get what you want through it; but if it is blessed you get what God wants through it.” – Meriol Trevor, Sun Slower, Sun Faster

“Who has forbidden women to engage in private and individual studies? Have they not a rational soul as men do?...I have this inclination to study and if it is evil I am not the one who formed me thus - I was born with it and with it I shall die.” – Juana Inés de la Cruz, Response

“Our Lord was born into a family. The family is God’s plan for the world–His divine plan, conceived in the very beginning, to be a way of beauty and spreading His word. The special place of prayer at home, the family oratory (oratory means “house of prayer”) is a powerhouse of grace by which our family may be nourished spiritually and thus be able to transform the world through prayer, proclamation of the gospel, and charity. That sounds grand, but it is really very simple and humble, like the Holy Family itself.” – Leila Marie Lawler, The Little Oratory: A Beginner’s Guide to Praying in the Home

“Since God lives in the heart, I was not to seek some Being way up in the sky... my journey to God was not outward, but inward! The only way to get closer to God was to become ordered enough inside to enable me to experience him within. When our emotions are running loose, and our minds are confused... and our imagination is working overtime, there’s so much internal noise that we can’t hear the still voice of God. So many times over my years as a mother I had felt tired, overwhelmed, and worn out. So often I felt I couldn’t get any personal space to think, what with the continual onslaught of “Mummy! Mummy!” coming from the children, or the work that I hadn’t finished staring me in the face. I needed quiet time alone.” – Holly Pierlot

Certainly, much remains to be done to prevent discrimination against those who have chosen to be wives and mothers. As far as personal rights are concerned, there is an urgent need to achieve real equality in every area: equal pay for equal work, protection for working mothers, fairness in career advancements, equality of spouses with regard to family rights and the recognition of everything that is part of the rights and duties of citizens in a democratic State. This is a matter of justice but also of necessity. Women will increasingly play a part in the solution of the serious problems of the future: leisure time, the quality of life, migration, social services, euthanasia, drugs, health care, the ecology, etc. In all these areas a greater presence of women in society will prove most valuable...– St. John Paul II, Letter to Women

CLOSING PRAYER
ADORAMUS TE CHRISTE – LORAS COLLEGE CONCERT CHOIR
1. The Bronx 1979-1981
Julia Bala, Christina Fox, Molly Kimbro, Nadir Morgan, Carter Olson
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Paul Kohl

Andrew Grossklaus, Nicole Kuboushek, Mikayla Pederson, William Rogan
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Paul Kohl

3. ASMA Presentation
Jacob Groleau, Robert Kelly, Brett Matye, James Nelson, Nathan Vail
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Matthew Garrett

4. Belizean Culture
Shannon Coyle
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Richard Anderson

5. Global Service Learning: Haiti
Alexis Alt, Kira Busse, Catherine Dunbar, Marnie Ferguson, Ellen Gallery, Stephanie Harpenu, Crystal Kleitsch, Thomas Rhomberg, Joseph Rodrigues, Lauren R. Sutton, Christopher Young
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Eric Eller

6. Monastery Candy: Analysis of Customer Satisfaction
Samantha Eberle, Brock Hatzky, Diana Pelaez-Ardila, Nicholas Pumilia, John P. Reschenberg
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Pat Marzofka

7. New Orleans, Louisiana Service Trip (J-Term Break)
Abby Allgeyer, Logan Eckhardt, April Grostic, Miles McDonnell, Natalie Shannon, Thomas Shutte, Madeline Smith, Rachel Valente
Advisor/Mentor: Mr. Bennett Cook

8. Bill HSB 138: Licensure Reform for Different Professions in State of Iowa
Ruth Berning, Caitlin Brennan, Kristin Dryanski, DeAndre Williams
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Michelle Bechen

9. Intergenerational Connection between Senior Citizens and Youth (Honors Project)
Emily Burbach, Brigid Flaherty, Laura Junghuhn
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Jacob Heidenreich

10. The Great Recession: Housing Market
Maggie Sheehan
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Biniv Maskay

11. Media & Policing
Mary Dougherty
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Valerie Bell

Jacqueline Day, Margaret Durdan, Lauren Fritz, Melanie Gerbig
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Paul Kohl

13. Dating Violence
Michael Triplett
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Valerie Bell

14. Transgender Transformations
Jessica Miller
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Lisa Garoutte

15. Changes in Friendship Among College Students
Alyson Kowalczyk, Abigail Oldham, Melanie Szyperski
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Julia Omarzu

16. Public Comments Regarding Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals
Brenda Gomez Solis
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Lisa Garoutte

Taylor Dooley, Carly Horsman, Benjamin Milks, Elizabeth Miller
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Paul Kohl

18. LA Music Culture 1966-1969
Sean Baldwin, Michael Friend, Colton Peterson, Joe Riordan
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Paul Kohl

19. Why Swipe Right?
Kaitlyn Kulas, Alexis O’Neill, Alisha Payne, Emma Walsh
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Julia Omarzu

20. Evidence for a Third Body Perturbing the Spectroscopic Binary 57 Cygni
John Stoppelman
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kenneth McLaughlin

21. Generator Efficiency
Gregory Kinney
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Danial Neebel

22. Impact of Gun Control Measures on Gun-related Violence
Michael Olszewski
Mentor/Advisor: Dr. Valerie Bell

23. An Investigation of Eyetracking Behavioral Indices for Neurotransmitter Levels Related to Decision-making
Lauren Ehardt
Mentor/Advisor: Dr. Jake Kurczek

24. Project Black Hole
Andrew Ganion, Logan Kubovec, Emily Prince, Luciano Ricotta
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Danial Neebel
SESSION I: ORAL PRESENTATIONS

9:00 A.M. - 10:00 A.M.

Justice
Moderator: Dr. Hilarie Welsh
Location: Keane Hall 303

Valder Social Justice Award
Joshua Becker, Kristin Juarez, Theresa Milazzo
Advisor/Mentor: Ms. Anastacia McDermott

Embarrassment or Achievement: The Kennedy Administration and the Freedom Riders
Mallary Ray
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kristin Anderson-Bricker

Opening Doors Data Analysis
Molly Walker
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Robert S. Keller

Sports
Moderator: Professor Bradley Cavanagh
Location: Keane Hall 305

The Perfect Defense
Ryan DiCanio, William McLaughry, Joe Rodrigues
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Matthew Rissler

SMA National Champion Case Study Presentation
Taylor Brooks, Trent Hanselmann, Katherine Moriarty, Zachary Roberts
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Matthew J. Garrett

Effect of Doping on MLB Revenue
Matt Gagen
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Biniv Maskay

Policy Change
Moderator: Dr. David Cochran
Location: Alumni Campus Center, Mary Alexis Room

Midwest Mountain
Courtney McGuane
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kevin Koch

The Impact of Politics on Crime and Punishment Trends in the United States
Kevin Carlson
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David C. Cochran

Tax Credits and Social Benefits
Konor Murtagh
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Biniv Maskay

Loras
Moderator: Dr. Kristen Anderson-Bricker
Location: Academic Resource Center, Center for Dubuque History

Loras Players: Improv
Caroline Breitbach, Sarah Mueller, Angela Richardson, Ervin Yahr III
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Douglas Donald

The Loras Jazz Experience
Samuel Anderson, Louis Austin, Seth Biedrzycki, Maureen Dolan, Daniel Feldhake, Matthew Golubski, Quentyn Hoefer, Jacob Jansen, Andrea Okey, Kemunto Ondande, Jillian Pohland, Antonia Rupert, Kyle Schnee, Erica Timmerman, Alyssa Smith, Andrew Wrona
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Glenn Pohland

Nominating Loras College as a Historic District: My Public History Internship with Heritage Works
Hannah Bernhard
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kristin Anderson-Bricker

Health
Moderator: Dr. Aditi Sinha
Location: Academic Resource Center, Headwaters

Effects of Protein Supplementation on Resistance Exercise
Austin Konagel, Lindsay Lannen, Laren Lenth, Zach Murphy, Madelyn Zydelowski
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Elaina Biechler

P.H.D. (Pre-Health Database)
Hunter Brehm, Jonathan O’Brien, Mason Tope
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Michael Thompson

“It’s Just Ice” - Creative Nonfiction Video Essay
Madison Tolley
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kevin Koch

Transformations
Moderator: Professor Rebecca Fabricius
Location: Academic Resource Center, 102

“Buen Camino”: The Journey to Santiago de Compostela
Ashley Pudil
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kevin Koch

Wellbeing and the Stock Market
Joseph Shealy
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Biniv Maskay

Belize 2018
Whitney Klein, Michelle Loy
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Richard Anderson

Happiness
Moderator: Professor Karen Sturm
Location: Academic Resource Center, 202

Happy Numbers
Marnie Ferguson
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Susan Crook

“The Not Shooting a Coyote”
Brennan Pivnicka
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kevin Koch

The Relationship between Sedentary Behavior and Mood Outcomes in College Students
Rachel Valente
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Keith Thraen-Borowski

On Being
Moderator: Dr. Nancy Fett
Location: Academic Resource Center, 402

The Dignity of Self-Emptying Love
Jeff Frieden
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Douglas Wathier

Asking for Directions
Anna Girgenti
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. James Pollock

A Comprehensive Financial Plan
Robert Hughes, Nathan Kelleher
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Brian Kallback

Life & Death
Moderator: Dr. Amanda Osheim
Location: Alumni Campus Center, Arizona Room

An Examination of Objectively Measured Sedentary Behavior in College Students
Alex Hofstetter
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Keith Thraen-Borowski

Chasing the Sun - Creative Writing Senior Thesis
Ava Lalor
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. William Jablonsky

The Soul and Post Death Existence
Ben Valentine
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Christoffer Lammer-Heindel
1. Food Scholars: An Interactive Approach to Healthy Eating (Honors Project)
Alexis Alt, Seth E. Biedrzycki, Lily Horst, Miles McDonnell, Erin Sellberg
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. William Hitchcock

2. TIAM2 and Protein Interaction
Molly Nemmers
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Speckhard

3. The Effect of Peristaltic Pulse Dynamic Compression on Running Performance and Exercise Recovery
Nathan Goslin-Klemme
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Elaina Biechler

4. Creating an Engaging Educational Website about Alcohol Use for College Students
Hannah Dirks, Claudia Juarez, Brennan Pivnicka, Ceila Shatat, Isaac Casey
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Sarah Cassella

5. Vaccinations in America
Nicole Dryanski, Jacob Oglesby, Allyssa Shanahan, Andrew Weber
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Michelle Bechen

6. The Effectiveness of Iontophoresis on Plantar Fasciitis
Savannah Fowler
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Molly Figgins

7. The Effectiveness of Intermittent Compression on Ankle Edema following Ankle Injury
Taylor Meyer
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Molly Figgins

8. Racial Discrimination
Whitney Klein
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Valerie Bell

9. Lobbying for the Rights of Domestic Abuse Victims by Protecting Temporary Protection Orders
Jonathan Catalan, Myah Cordova Ramirez, Allegra Johnson, Jenesy Nunez
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Michelle Bechen

10. Drug Abuse Treatment Programs
Lucas Schmidt
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Valerie Bell

11. Camden, New Jersey Social Justice Trip
Linda Babina, Raleigh Bries, Mary Suturik, Marnie Ferguson, Andrew Grossklaus, Kellie Huberty, Amber Mataczynski, Maria Roche
Advisor/Mentor: Ms. Tricia Borell

12. Grainger County, Tennessee Service Trip
Staci Hammner, Caitlin Hansen, Jacqueline Josephs, Mariah McCarty, Anna Nielsen
Advisor/Mentor: Ms. Lauren Parkinson

13 Development of Phosphorylated Amino Acid Parameters for AMBER-FB15
John Stoppelman
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Adam Moser

14. The Role of abpC- in Dictyostelium discoideum Migration Toward Folic Acid
Margaret Durdan
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kate Cooper

15. Hall of Fame Case Study
Samuel Jones, Mike McDevitt, Jacob Neidel
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Matthew Garrett

16. Effectiveness of Transcutaneous Electrical Nerve Stimulation on Low Back Pain
Anthony Baltierra
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Molly Figgins

17. The Role of Age in Return to Play Post-Concussion
Ashley McGee
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Molly Figgins

18. The Effects of Deep, Superficial and Simulated Acupuncture on Shoulder and Lower Back Pain
Awais Arain
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Molly Figgins

19. Chain Reaction: Cycling in Dubuque (Honors Project)
Caroline Breitbach, Joseph Lyon
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kevin Koch

20. Financial Planning- From the Advisor’s Perspective
Taylor Dooley, Caroline Piper
Advisor/Mentor: Professor Brian Kallback

21. The effects of tDCS on creative performance
Dayton Olson
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Jake Kurczek

22. Effectiveness of Intermittent Pneumatic Compression in Reducing the Risk of Deep Vein Thrombosis
Devin Hasson
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Molly Figgins

23. The Incentive Myth: Is it Really Just a Myth?
Brynn Jacobi, Elizabeth Soer
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Angela Kohlhaas

24. Using Social Media to Engage Students on Topics of Alcohol Use on Campus
Kira Busse, Emma Cooke, Andrew Hosch, Abigail Oldham, Merrick Purcell
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Sarah Cassella

25. Lone Wolf Terrorists: How We Can Understand Them and Form Preventative Techniques
Michael Shanahan
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Valerie Bell

26. ShopBot Vacuum
Kegan Huntley, Tim LaGrange, Kristin Manders, Aaron Ruffner, Kyle Schwenker
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kristen Thompson

27. Redesign and Restoration of the LC Racer
Thomas Bell, Zachary Jeffries, Nicholas Spiess
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Danial Neebel

28. Creating Effective Alcohol Educational Programming for Beckman Hall
Caitlin Hansen, Elizabeth Kasten, Diana Pelaez-Ardila, Nia Stompanato, Michael Triplett
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Sarah Cassella
SESSION II: ORAL PRESENTATIONS

Economic Change
Moderator: Professor Doug Donald
Location: Keane Hall 303
Kenosis and Poverty Tourism
Callie Owens
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Amanda Osheim

What Makes Bitcoin So Volatile?
Noah Hummel
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Biniv Maskay

“Brexit”: Britain’s Big Exit
Whitnee Hale
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Benjamin Darr

War & Warriors
Moderator: Dr. Jennifer Smith
Location: Keane Hall 305
Debating the Constitutionality of Recent U.S. Military Actions in Libya, Yemen, Syria, and Iraq
AJ Stochl
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Cochran

Sir Gawain and the Green Knight: A Revisionist Hero
Justin Busch
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Andrew Auge

Veterans in the Dubuque Community (Honors Project)
Matt Sedlacek, Lauren Stanich
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Jennifer Smith

Body & Soul
Moderator: Dr. Rick Anderson
Location: Alumni Campus Center, Mary Alexis Room
The Effect of Pre-Workout on Anaerobic Capacity and Blood Lactate Levels
Adam Brogley, Emma Corkill, Hunter Dunlap, Matthew Greene, Jacob M Prete
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Elaina Biechler

Possession in “The Flea” and “My Last Duchess”
Clarice Kies
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Erin VanLaningham

Antibacterial Effects of Pomegranate Juice on Gram Positive and Gram Negative Bacteria
Adina Jaeger
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Aditi Sinha

Heritage
Moderator: Ms. Kathy Weber
Location: Academic Resource Center, Center for Dubuque History
A Forgotten Goddess: Examining the Morrigan in Early Irish Tradition
Hannah Bernhard
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. John Eby

Using Teacher Inquiry to Explore Creating a Community in a Diverse Classroom through Cultural Relevancy
Paige Bildstein, Mikhayla Kruse-Meek, Jillian Pohland, Nicole Sinkey
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Hilarie Welsh

Mind/Body
Moderator: Dr. Thomas Davis
Location: Academic Resource Center, Headwaters
Music and the Mind (Honors Project)
Lauren Bollweg, Blake Derby, Kristen Hirsch, Riley O’Brien
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Naomi Clark

Effects of Doxylamine Succinate on Memory Consolidation in Mice
Angela Richardson
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Shealer

Objective versus Subjective Measures of Sedentary Behavior in College Students
Mackenzie Anderson
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Keith Thraen-Borowski

Rights
Moderator: Mr. Robert Adams
Location: Academic Resource Center, 102
CST: United Air Misconduct
David Adams, Samantha Eberle, Aoife Leahy
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. William Hitchcock

Technology and the Constitutional Right to Privacy
Haley Meyer
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Cochran

Why Can’t We Be Friends: The Breakup Between the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee and the Black Panther Party
Richard Rosean
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kristin Anderson-Bricker

Improving Lives
Moderator: Dr. Julia Omarzu
Location: Academic Resource Center, 202
An Investigation of the Relationship between Multiple Exercise and Memory Systems
Michael Cervantes, Catherine Dunbar, Shelby Holerud, Allie Serres
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Jake Kurczek

Autism Awareness (Honors Project)
Olivia Clarey, Davis Dahlberg, Shannon Schuster, Kayla Thompson, Rachel Valentie
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Steffanie Schilder

Effectiveness of Sensory Rooms in College Students with Autism Spectrum Disorder: A Pilot Study
Laren Lenth
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Keith Thraen-Borowski

Water
Moderator: Professor Molly Figgins
Location: Academic Resource Center, 402
Micro Hydro-Electric Generator (MHEG)
Robert Brophy, Jacob Formella, Gregory Kinney, Jacob Peterson
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Danial Neebel

India: Looking at Environmental Sustainability through Multiple Lenses
Trevor Fannon, Samantha Garcia-Bracho, Jeanie Kasper, Nicole Moeller, Reilly Kahn, Patrick Wolak
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Aditi Sinha

A Single Drop of Flowing Water: A Meditative Reflection
Daniel Charland
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kevin Koch

Class
Moderator: Dr. Jacob Kohlhaas
Location: Alumni Campus Center, Arizona Room
The Walking Classroom (Honors Project)
Rebecca Galuska, Daniel Krasich, Ava Lalor, Theresa Milazzo
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Elaina Biechler

Economic Effects on Food Security with a Purely Organic Food Supply
Kennedy Wohlford
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Biniv Maskay

The Disconnect Between Federal Policy Aims and Their Implementation at the State and Local Level
Rachel Kilburg
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Cochran

LUNCH-HOUR: ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSIONS

Internships • Service Learning • AmeriCorps • Study Abroad
This featured session allow students to learn about various, enriching outside the classroom opportunities from the Center for Experimental Learning experts.
1. Women In Power: A Look at College Policies Regarding Sexual Assault
Rachel Choice
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Lisa Garoutte

2. Priming and Life Satisfaction: Comparing One’s Life to Both Successful and Unsuccessful Individuals
Gabriela Hernandez, Martha Nowacki, Ronald Paar
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Julia Omarzu

3. The Aftermath of the Police Workforce
Ryan Galvan
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Valerie Bell

4. Detroit 1959-1965
Matthew Croft, Shawn Friedrich, Neil Hoglund, Michael Witkowski
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Paul Kohl

5. Travelling in the City: Women's Experience of Harassment
Susana Armengol
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Lisa Garoutte

6. Differences in Perceptions of Conflict between High School Coaches and Athletic Trainers
Thomas Greffly
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Molly Figgins

7. Bathroom Bill
Krystyna Kaminski, Whitney Klein, Tyler Muich
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Michelle Bechen

8. Senate File 481
Gina Boeding, Sydney Pennekamp, Jenna Roskopf
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Michelle Bechen

9. The One Stop Shop: Customer Analysis of FloorShow
Colton Broshous, Elizabeth Hunt, Bradley Schwind, Nia Stompanato, Tyler Tomaka, Daniel Weis
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Pat Marzofka

10. Veterans Freedom Center Social Work Field Placement
Natalie Shannon
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Nancy Fett

11. Saving Our Ashes: Consequences of the Emerald Ash Borer in Dubuque (Honors Project)
Jamie Engelke, Connor Halbmaier, Andi Leineberg, Patricia Patnode, Gabriel Smith
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Aditi Sinha

12. The Queen as “Holy Mother”: The Relationship between Two Medieval Queens and the Christian Religion
Levi Bernhard
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. John Eby

13. The Great Recession: The Housing Crisis
Maggie Lynn Sheehan
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Biniv Maskay

14. Mekee, Kentuckey Service Trip
Jesse Coleman, Alyssa Corcoran, JoAnna Dillon, Broderick Hooker, Morgan Minear, Lucas Schmidt, Rachel Seidl
Advisor/Mentor: Mr. Mick Urbain

15. New Orleans, Louisiana Service Trip (Spring Break)
Margaret Durdan, Joshua Eller, Anna Folliard, Brant Gille, Alexandra Hinchman, Karsen Hise, Riley Junghult, Luke Klein, Luciano Ricotta, Alexandra Schiavoni, Harriet Siegrist, Matthew Wolch
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Valerie Bell and Dr. Eric Eller

16. The Theology of Witchcraft
Max Bliese
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Douglas Walthier

17. Social Media Effectiveness for Professional Hockey Teams
Michael Muto, William Quinn
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Matthew Garrett

18. Engaging First-Year Student-Athletes in Alcohol Educational Programming on Loras College Campus
Samuel Elston, Brock Hatzky, Alexis O’Neill, Colby Rattenborg, Lauren Stanich
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Sarah Cassella

19. Am I Next?
Anna Ambrosy
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Valerie Bell

20. Political Twitter Emotion Sentiment Analysis
Brendan Doyle
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Matthew Rissler

21. Business Seminar- San Francisco
Caroline Piper
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Hugh Graham

22. The Year 1920
Luke Denson, Peter Kilburg, Elainna Simpson
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Matthew Garrett

23. House File 79
Kaitlyn Keehner, Bria Lenten, Jessica Machovec, Ella Snyder
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Michelle Bechen

24. Du-Support: A Mentoring Program at Loras College (Honors Project)
Elyse A acompanado, Logan Ben, Molly MacDuff, Grant Wiederin
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Lynn Gallagher

25. Gender Performance and Race in Children’s Books
Grace Haggerty
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Lisa Garoutte

26. The Importance of College in the Modern Age
Isaac Casey
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Lisa Garoutte

27. Art Club Individual Works
Ruth Berning, McKenna Craff, Maren Nielsen
Advisor/Mentor: Ms. Tricia Borelli

28. Detecting Emotional States in Autobiographical Narrative
Karsen Hise, Angela Richardson
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Jake Kurczek

29. A Customer Satisfaction Study for Anytime Fitness
David Adams, Ramon Daniel Cepeda, Steven Gapski, Alexander Mazza, Michael Perhats, Luke Vandermillen
Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Pat Marzofka

30. 3D Printed Microscope Attachment
Kasey Jacobson
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kristen Thompson
SESSION III: ORAL PRESENTATIONS

**Politics**
Moderator: Dr. Biniv Maskay  
Location: Keane Hall 303

- Economic Effects of Marijuana Legalization  
  Alexander Bruce  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Biniv Maskay
- Sustainability in the Sky (Honors Project)  
  Taylor Brooks, Sarah Mueller, Ervin Yahr III  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Jacob Kohlhaas
- Voter ID and Restricting Ballot Access in American Elections  
  Thomas Auge  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Cochran

**Technology & Media**
Moderator: Professor Luke Lammer  
Location: Keane Hall 305

- The 21st Century Project (Honors Project)  
  Jenna Dalisay, Madison Tolley  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kristin Anderson-Bricker
- Gender on Instagram  
  Erin Sellberg  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Lisa Garoutte
- The New Wave of Civic Engagement through Social Media  
  Addison Loes  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Cochran

**Race & Ethnicity**
Moderator: Dr. Will Kanyusik  
Location: Academic Resource Center, Center for Dubuque History

- Preparing for Roles of Activism: The Revolutionary Curriculum of Freedom Schools  
  Ayla Graziano  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kristin Anderson-Bricker
- The Political Behavior of White Working Class Voters  
  Halea Griffin  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Cochran
- Vision, Blindness, Recognition, an analysis of Richard Wright’s “Native Son”  
  John-Joseph Walter Hedderman  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Erin VanLaningham

**Service to Society**
Moderator: Dr. Miriam Wolff  
Location: Academic Resource Center, Headwaters

- Financial Planning Case Study  
  Samantha Pietruszynski, Joseph Shealy  
  Advisor/Mentor: Prof. Brian Kallback
- Dubuque Social Climate Survey  
  Maria Muñoz-Mosquera, Cassidy Oberreuter, Angela Richardson  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. John Eby
- The Heitkamp Planetarium Projector Replacement Project (Honors Project)  
  Natalie Droske, Austin Kuchenbecker, Audrey Miller, Jacob Till  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kristen Thompson

**Innovation**
Moderator: Dr. Anne Marx Scheuerell  
Location: Academic Resource Center, 102

- Unraveling the Mystery of the Zinnia Dreamland Rose Hybrid  
  Austin Campbell, Emily Ney, Timothy Sevcik  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Aditi Sinha
- Teaching Young Adult Literature in the English Classroom  
  Kelly Minear  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Hilarie Welsh
- Encouraging Interest in STEM at St. Mark’s Afterschool Program (Honors Project)  
  Kristin Anderson, Hunter Brehm, Noah Miller, Tara Shingler, Timothy Sevcik  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Speckhard

**Gender**
Moderator: Dr. Erin VanLaningham  
Location: Academic Resource Center, 202

- CST: Nestle under Fire for Marketing Claims on Baby Milk Formulas  
  Alex Hofstetter, Nicole Kuboushek, Liam Ladewski, Mary Sutarik  
  Advisor/Mentor: Prof. William Hitchcock
- Gendered Politics: Senators in the Twitterverse  
  Morgan Muenster  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Lisa Garoutte
- Female Desire and Romantic Relationship Transformation in The Lais of Marie de France and The Arabian Nights  
  Rachael Molidor  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Andrew Auge

**Environment**
Moderator: Professor Jenny McGarry  
Location: Academic Resource Center, 402

- CST: People Tree and Ethically Sourced Materials  
  Rachel Baruth, Sydney Brokaw, Caitlin Hansen, Danielle Jackson  
  Advisor/Mentor: Prof. William Hitchcock
- On Water  
  Maria Teets  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kevin Koch
- Global Warming Denialism  
  Megan Hoffman  
  Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Cochran
1. Sequestration of Carbon Dioxide using Cyclodextrin Metal-Organic Frameworks
Morgan Francis Drew
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Brian Manor

2. Unbelizable
Brianna Bower, Samantha Brown, Shannon Coyle, Alexander Kapler, Whitney Klein, Bri Lenten, Chad Moser, Michael Olszewski, Mason Pieczynski, Cesar Vega, Bridget Whitney
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Richard Anderson

3. Examination of Synergistic Antimicrobial Effects in Commonly Paired Spices
Savannah Bahls, Lily Horst, Zachary Ney
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Shealer

4. Use of Actin Staining and Fluorescent Microscopy to Determine the Role of abpC in Unicellular and Multicellular Dictyostelium Discoideum
Sydney Wright
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kate Cooper

5. Testing of the LC Racer Brake Bracket
Thomas Bell
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Danial Neebel

6. Validation of Effective Charging Ability from a Nippon-Denso 35-Amp Alternator for the LC Racer
Zach Jeffries
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Danial Neebel

7. Control Arm Testing for LC Racer
Nick Spiess
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Danial Neebel

8. Religious Foundations of Economics
Matthew Gagen, Regan Wolverton
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Jennifer Smith

9. Dendrimer Synthesis Optimization and Defect Identification
Kristopher Michael Wolff
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Oostendorp

10. Morton, Mississippi Service Trip
Brooke Boddicker, Kylie Holubar, Theresa Milazzo, Abigail Oldham, Logan Schroeder, John Stoppelman
Advisor/Mentor: Ms. Jennie Weber

Shelby Carter, Michaela Dohleman, Trevor Fannon, Kristin Juarez, Ezekial Kyoore, Cassidy Oberreuter, Rachel Prendergast, Erin Sellberg
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Ben Darr

12. Western Blot Analysis of RuBisCO Protein Expression in Different Plant Species
Kristen Hirsch, Daniel Weis
Advisor/Mentor: Ms. Mary Jo Bowman

13. Hypnosis to Improve Quality of Life During Palliative Care
Kristen Ricondo
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Steffanie Schilder

14. Power Consumption and Analysis of Project Black Hole
Luciano Ricotta
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Danial Neebel

15. Sport Business SMG: 225
James Campbell, Mason Hoxie, Peter Hutton, Sawyer Marquardt, Benjamin Milks
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Matthew Garrett

16. An Examination of the U.S. Soccer Federation Player Development Budget
Maura Walsh
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Anne Marx Scheurell

17. Implicit Solvation Model: Adaptive Cavity
Andrew Parker
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Adam Moser

18. The Production of Nontoxic Water Soluble Carbon based Quantum Dots with MPA as a Surface Ligand
Beth Ann Al-Bazboz
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Christina Edwards

19. Calculation of Quantum Yield of CdSe Quantum Dots
Blair Anderson
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Christina Edwards

20. Effects of Soil Water Content on Hatchling Mass and Survivability of Map Turtle Eggs (Graptomys geographica)
Cal Grutz
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Thomas Davis

21. Production and Refinement of Lipase-catalyzed Biodiesel
Collin O’Bryan
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Christina Edwards

22. Effects of Elevated Temperature on Growth in Corn when Inoculated with Rhizobium Leguminosarum
Danielle Rossell, Cynthia Steierman
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Shealer

23. The Role of ElmoE in Chemotaxis of Dictyostelium Discoideum
Isaac Bruns
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Danial Neebel

24. Flow Simulations vs. Real-Time Data for Generator Blades and Test Apparatus
Jacob Formella
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kate Cooper

25. Choices on Writing: Research on What Motivates Better Student Writers
Rachael Molidor
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Hilarie Welsh

26. Effect of the Absence of ASP-56 CAP on Chemotaxis of Dictyostelium Discoideum
Daniel Krasich
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kate Cooper

27. India J-Term Experience—Walking the Footsteps of Gandhi: The Interfaith Peacebuilder
Hannah Berhard, Caitlin Brennan, Kendal Kuboushek, Cassidy Oberreuter, Samantha O’Neill, Angela Richardson, Keyera Shaw, Grace Shockman
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. John Eby
SESSION IV: ORAL PRESENTATIONS

Gender
Moderator: Dr. Keith Thraen-Borowski,
Location: Keane Hall 303
Gender Differences in Objectively Measured Sedentary Behavior among College Students
Elizabeth Mills
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Keith Thraen-Borowski

Continuity and Change in Gender Stereotypes: An Analysis of “Girl’s Life” Magazine
Hope Jacobson
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Lisa Garoutte

The Revisionist Man: The Stagnation and Revision of Male Gender Roles in Mrs. Dalloway and The Sun Also Rises
Tara Shingler
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Erin VanLaningham

Identity
Moderator: Dr. James Pollock
Location: Keane Hall 305
Inconsistencies in LGBT Laws Across the United States
Ervin Yahr III
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Cochran

Jacob Jansen
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Lisa Garoutte

Cather’s Quilted Narrative: Synthesis of Realism and Nostalgia in My Antonia
Kelly Minear
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Erin VanLaningham

Disability
Moderator: Dr. Susan Crook
Location: Academic Resource Center, Center for Dubuque History
Prosthetic Dog Leg
Maria Beltran, Branden Blakemore, Luke Fennelly, Brianna Gourley
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Kristen Thompson

Formal Dance for Individuals with Disabilities (Honors Project)
Patrick Costello, Ashley Holtz, Rachel Prendergast, Alexandra Schiavoni, Noah Schoaf
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Matthew Garrett

A Study of Mathematical Pedagogies for Students with Learning Differences
Kemunto Ondande
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Susan Crook

Special Connections
Moderator: Dr. Jacob Heidenreich
Location: Academic Resource Center, Headwaters
Gerrymandering
Andrew Hesch
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Cochran

Hidden Relations in Shidoku
Laura Bainter
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Jacob Heidenreich

Levi’s Lyceum - Dixie on Fire
Levi Bernhard
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Mark Kehren

Migrants & Marginalized
Moderator: Dr. Lynn Gallagher
Location: Academic Resource Center, 102
To Be Vulnerable Like the Widow: A Moral Application of the Parable of the Persistent Widow
Jenna Dalisay
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Amanda Osheim

Sanctuary Cities
Peter Leinenweber
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Biniv Maskay

Breitbach Senior Leadership Project
Theresa Milazzo
Advisor/Mentor: Ms. Colleen Kuhl

Global Conflict
Moderator: Professor Deone Merkel
Location: Academic Resource Center, 202
Warring Loyalties: Fosterage and the Myth of Cíchulainn
Courtney Knight
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. John Eby

The British Labour Party and the Price of Power
Franz Becker
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Cochran

News of the Ukraine Crisis: How We See Ukraine and Russia’s Fight for the Crimean Peninsula
Hannah Schmitt
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Benjamin Darr

Religion
Moderator: Professor Brian Kallback
Location: Academic Resource Center, 402
Science, Faith, & Knowledge: A New Story
Anna Johnson
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Christoffer Lammer-Heindel

Biblical Exegesis: Paul’s First Letter to the Corinthians 12:12-26
Gabrielle Pranger
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Amanda Osheim

A New Twist on the Old Testament: Hawthorne’s “Rappaccini’s Daughter”
Hannah Insko
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Susan Stone

Artistic Formation for Peace (Honors Project)
Genevieve Brockway, Caitlin Hansen, Richard Rosean, John Stoppelman, Lauren Sutton
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. David Pitt

Vocations are Multidisciplinary
Max Bliese
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. Douglas Wathier

The Continuation of Anti-Catholic Prejudices from Matthew Lewis’ The Monk to European Exploitation Films
Richard Rosean
Advisor/Mentor: Dr. William Kanyusik
FACULTY PRESENTATIONS I

Justice
Moderator: Dr. Scott Schenuerell
Location: Academic Resource Center, Headwaters
- The Air Swimmer
  Prof. William Jablonsky
- Civil Asset Forfeiture and Constitutional Challenges
  Dr. Debra Schleicher
- Service Trips: A Reflection on the International and Domestic Adventure
  Dr. Valerie Bell

Wellness & Being
Moderator: Dr. Kate Cooper
Location: Academic Resource Center, Center for Dubuque History
- Celtic Principle #7: Story Gathers in the Landscape
  Dr. Kevin Koch
- “In Flew Enza”: the 1918 Influenza Pandemic in Dubuque, Iowa
  Dr. Kristin Anderson-Bricker
- Stop Taking Cancer Sitting Down: The State of Sedentary Behavior and Cancer Research
  Dr. Keith Thraen-Borowski

FACULTY PRESENTATIONS II

Lifelong Learning
Moderator: Dr. Lisa Garoutte
Location: Academic Resource Center, Center for Dubuque History
- So Where Do You Work Now?: Examining the Factors that Influence Career Choices of Sport Management Graduates
  Dr. Matthew Garrett
- “Oxford in Snow”
  Dr. James Pollock

In the Classroom
Moderator: Dr. Mark Kehren
Location: Academic Resource Center, 102
- Science, Faith, and Knowledge: Drafting and Assessing Open-Ended Learning Artifacts
  Dr. Jacob Kohlhaas and Dr. Christoffer Lammer-Heindel
- Redesigning a Teaching Methods Course to Feature Teacher Inquiry
  Dr. Hilarie Welsh

Politics & Policy
Moderator: Dr. Naomi Clark
Location: Academic Resource Center, 102
- Enufs, Enuf: It’s Time We Learn About Blockchain
  Prof. Brian Kallback
- Narratives of the Presidential Nominating Conventions: Branding the Candidates and the Parties
  Prof. Joshua Bolton
- Politics: Is it all in the family?
  Dr. Jake Kurzcek

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FILM FESTIVAL
7:00 P.M. - 8:30 P.M. | ST. JOSEPH AUDITORIUM, HOFFMANN HALL
Moderator: Dr. Paul Kohl
Film Festival Faculty Mentors/Advisors:
Prof. Craig Shaefer, Prof. Seth Myers, Dr. Paul Kohl
A variety of the best short films, including documentaries, narratives, and experimental pieces, produced by students of the Media Studies Program.
A list of the films selected and their student directors will be available this evening at the festival.


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Abigail Oldham, 8, 10, 14
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Addison Loeis, 13
Adina Jaeger, 11
Aj Stochl, 11
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Alex Hofstetter, 11, 13
Alexander Bruce, 13
Alexander Mazza, 12
Alexandra Schiavoni, 12, 15
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Alexis O’Neill, 8, 12
Alisha Payne, 8
Allegra Johnson, 12
Allie Serres, 11
Allyssa Shanahan, 10
Alyson Kowalczyz, 8
Alyssa Corcoran, 12
Alyssa Smith, 9
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Anna Girgenti, 9
Anna Johnson, 15
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Anthony Baltierra, 10
Antonia Rupert, 9
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April Grostic, 8
Ashley Holtz, 15
Ashley McGee, 10
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Audrey Miller, 10
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Bradley Schwind, 12
Braden Blakemore, 15
Brant Gille, 12
Brenda Gomez Solis, 8
Brendan Doyle, 12
Brennan Pivnicka, 9, 10
Brett Matye, 8
Bria Lenton, 12, 14
Brianna Bower, 14
Brianna Gourley, 15
Brigit Flaherty, 8
Brook Hatzky, 8, 12
Broderick Hooker, 12
Brooke Boddicker, 14
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Callie Owens, 11
Carly Horsman, 8
Caroline Breitbach, 9, 10
Caroline Pip, 10, 12
Carter Olson, 8
Cassidy Oberreuter, 8, 13
Catherine Dunbar, 8, 11
Ceili Shatat, 10
Chad Moser, 14
Christina Fox, 8
Christopher Young, 8
Clarice Kiev, 11
Claudia Juarez, 10
Colby Rattenborg, 12
Collin O’Bryan, 14
Colton Broshous, 12
Colton Peterson, 8
Connor Halmaier, 12
Courtney Knott, 15
Courtney McGuane, 9
Crystal Kleitsch, 8
Cynthia Stierman, 14
Daniel Chirland, 11
Daniel Feldhake, 9
Daniel Krasich, 11, 14
Daniel Weis, 12, 14
Danielle Jackson, 11, 13
Danielle Rossell, 14
David Adams, 11, 12
Davis Dahlberg, 11
Dayton Olson, 10
Deandre Williams, 8
Devin Hasson, 10
Diana Peleaer-Ardila, 8
Elainea Simpson, 12
Elizabeth Hunt, 12
Elizabeth Kasten, 8
Elizabeth Miller, 8
Elizabeth Mills, 15
Elizabeth Soer, 10
Ella Snyder, 12
Ellen Gallery, 8
Elyse Acompanado, 12
Emily Burback, 8
Emily Nye, 13
Emily Prince, 13
Emma Cooke, 10
Emma Corkill, 11
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Erin Selberg, 10, 13
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Jacob Formella, 11, 14
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Jacob Jansen, 9, 15
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Jacob Oglesby, 10
Jacob Peterson, 11
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Jacob Till, 13
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Jacqueline Josephs, 10
James Campbell, 14
James Nelson, 8
Jamie Engleke, 12
Jeanie Kasper, 11
Jeff Frieden, 9
Jenesy Nunez, 10
Jenna Dalisay, 13, 15
Jenna Roskopf, 12
Jesse Coleman, 12
Jessica Machovec, 12
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Jillian Pohland, 9, 11
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Justin Busch, 11
Kaitlyn Keenheer, 12
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Karsen Hise, 12
Kasey Jacobson, 12
Katherine Moriarty, 8, 9
Kayla Thompson, 11
Kegan Huntley, 10
Kellie Huberty, 10
Kelly Minear, 13, 15
Kemunto Ondande, 9, 15
Kendal Kuboushek, 8
Kennedy Wohlford, 11
Kevin Carlson, 9
Keyera Shaw, 5
Kira Busse, 8, 10
Konor Murtagh, 9
Kristen Hirsch, 11, 14
Kristen Ricondo, 14
Kristin Anderson, 13
Kristin Dryanski, 8, 10
Kristin Juarez, 9, 14
Kristin Manders, 10
Kristopher Michael Wolff, 14
Krystyna Kaminski, 12
Kyle Schnee, 9
Kyle Schwenker, 10
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Madelynn Zydlewski, 9
Madison Tolley, 9, 13
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Maren Neilsen, 12
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Martha Nowacki, 12
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Mike McDevitt, 10
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Molly MacDuff, 12
Molly Nemmers, 10
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Neil Hoglund, 12
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Ryan DiCanio, 9
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Samantha Brown, 14
Samantha Eberle, 8, 11
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