

Honors Students 2013-2014

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Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness vs. Peace, Order and Good Governance:  
Approaches to Urban Revitalization of Low-Income Communities in Canada and the  
U.S.

*James Spates, Adviser*

Laura M. Alexander, *Writing and Rhetoric*

She Asked for It: The Perpetuation of Digital Rape Culture in Social Media

*Maggie Werner, Adviser*

Shannon M. Beston, *Biology*

The Ecological Effects of Black Spot Disease on Stream Health in the Seneca Lake  
Watershed

*Susan Cushman, Adviser*

Richard Y. Bonney, *Public Policy*

Hydraulic Fracturing, Environmental Concerns and Policy Responses: How Various  
State Policy Approaches Should Impact New York's Future Energy Policy

*Craig Rimmerman, Adviser*

Sarah R. Buckleitner, *Writing and Rhetoric*

Finding the Surface

*Hannah Dickinson, Adviser*

Shan Cao, *Studio Art*

Movement and Countermovement in the Form and the Color

*Michael Bogin, Adviser*

Emily S. Dove, *Dance*

Dance as Resistance: Zulu Identity in South Africa from 1840-1947

*Kelly Johnson, Adviser*

Melissa E. Freitag, *Sociology*

A Fading Soul: The Preservation of Traditional Vietnamese Music

*Jack Harris, Adviser*

Ana C. Garcia, *Architectural Studies*

From Obscurity to Center Stage: Redesigning Bicentennial Park

*Jeffrey Blankenship, Adviser*

Rayma G. Garcia-Decena, *Architectural Studies*

Exploring Urban Cityscapes and Their Spaces Through the Study of Situationist Theory  
and Laban's Movement Analysis

*Jeffrey Blankenship, Adviser*

Meghan E. Gaucher, *Writing and Rhetoric*  
Indigenous Identity-Making: The Turkana, Development, and the Western Aid Culture  
*Hannah Dickinson, Adviser*

Yuqi Ge, *Economics*  
Art Finance and Economic Crisis: A Study of Capital Gains on Art Sales  
*Warren Hamilton, Adviser*

Stephen P. Gemmiti, *Media & Society*  
Sex, Drugs, and the Authentic College Experience: The Story of Young Adulterated  
*Lester Friedman, Adviser*

Grace C. Gist, *English*  
Shotek & Divana  
*Stephen Cope, Adviser*

Benjamin D. Gould, *Geoscience*  
Transition Into the Sun: Perspectives on the Basal Angiosperm Immigration to Sunny Habitats  
*David Kendrick, Adviser*

Michael D. Green, *Mathematics*  
A Mathematical Model of College Friendships  
*Yan Hao, Adviser*

Andrew C. Hellmund, *Studio Art*  
Sculptural Passages: A Convergence of Industry and Nature  
*A.E. Ted Aub, Adviser*

Alexander B. Kent, *Public Policy*  
The Confidence Game  
*Craig Rimmerman, Adviser*

Samuel C. Knopka, *Biology*  
The Spatial Distribution of the Terrestrial Salamander *Plethodon cinereus* Along a Forest Fragmentation Gradient in Finger Lakes National Forest  
*Bradley Cosentino, Adviser*

Devyn F. LaCamera, *Media and Society*  
What Sex Sells: Examining the Displays of Women in Advertising  
*Lisa Patti, Adviser*

Luke C. Latella, *English*  
Deus ex Modernism - Mythology and Nationalism in the Irish Literary Renaissance  
*Stephen Cope, Adviser*

Guanqun Li, *Biology*  
Characterization of *Agrobacterium vitis chvB* Mutant  
*Sigrid Carle, Adviser*

Erin K. Minty, *Writing and Rhetoric*  
Rome, Sweet Conqueror Still  
*Cheryl Forbes, Adviser*

Hillary F. Monahan, *Environmental Studies*  
Negotiating with Nature: A Study of Genetic Modification in Food Production and its  
Cultural Effects on a Central New York Amish Community  
*Christopher Annear, Adviser*

Aaron P. O'Brien, *Sociology*  
Good Kids, M.A.A.D. Culture: How Race, Class and Racial Composition of Home  
Town Affects a Listener's Interpretation of and Response to Hip-Hop and Rap  
*Reneé Monson, Adviser*

Dona G. Occhipinti, *Biology*  
Approaches to Cardiovascular Research and Its Future Implications in Translational  
Medicine  
*Mark Deutschlander, Adviser*

Ava D. Pavao, *Political Science*  
Why Women Deserve a Chance: Breaking the Glass Ceiling for Women in Politics  
*Iva Deutchman, Adviser*

Jacob A. Powell, *Economics*  
The Origins of Crisis - A Marxian Analysis from 1970s to the Great Financial Crisis  
*Joseph Rebello, Adviser*

Nicholas Schmidt, *Computer Science*  
i<sup>3</sup>: An Environmental Sensor Base Station  
*John Vaughn, Adviser*

Clarissa L. Sullivan, *Philosophy*  
The Hurdles of Prosecuting Rape: The Social Standard of Proof Necessitated by Juries  
*Steven Lee, Adviser*

Arianna C. White, *Psychology*  
Maya Dreams Big: An Examination of Children's Literature and its Affect on Personal  
Growth  
*Daniel Graham, Adviser*

Nicole M. Zanghi, *Individual in Health Science and Society*  
Theatre for Social Change in Health and Medicine: A Case Study  
*Heather May, Adviser*