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JUDY AND BOBBY SHACKOULS
HONORS COLLEGE

Honors Thesis Week Defense Schedule

Fall 2023 | Griffis 201

Nov 27

10:30 am

Lauren Brown

An Intersectional Approach to Examining Barriers to Mental Health Services Among College Students

Committee Members: Kimberly Kelly, Ph.D., Gabe H. Miller, Ph.D., & Brian Pugh, Ph.D.

Nov 29

10:30 am

Yuexin Xu

Optimizing Training Dataset for Neural Networks to Improve Terrain Segmentation for Planetary Rovers

Committee Members: Jingdao Chen, Ph.D., Zhiqian Chen, Ph.D., & Anastasia Elder, Ph.D.

3:30 pm

Makayla Smith

Black Theatre and the Lack Thereof

Committee Members: Sanna King, Ph.D., Ashley Vancil-Leap, Ph.D., & Donna Clevinger, Ph.D.

Nov 30

10:30 am

Brandon Miller

Demographical Impacts on Undergraduate Engineering Professional Skills Perceptions

Committee Members: Morgan Green, Ph.D., Alta Knizley, Ph.D., & Anastasia Elder, Ph.D.

2:00 pm

Madison Brode

Assessing Zebra Finch Social Learning via Conspecific and Heterospecific Video Playback

Committee Members: Kristine Evans, Ph.D., Diana Outlaw, Ph.D., & Holli Seitz, Ph.D.