Intersections: SOURCE Poster Award Winners Fall 2015

Engineering

1st Nick DiFranco, Tianbi Duan, Ed Niedoba, and Jackson Pilliod, IV Port Sterilization Device

Faculty Mentor: Colin Drummond, Biomedical Engineering

2nd Arielle Soffer, Systemic Inhibition of Innate Immunity Pathways Improves Intracortical

Microelectrode Performance

Faculty Mentor: Jeffrey Capadona, Biomedical Engineering

Nursing

1st (tie) Precious Amoako, Elizabeth Benway, and Gabrielle Brown, Increasing Patient Affordable Care

Act Enrollment Accessibility.

Faculty Mentor: Cheryl Killion, Nursing.

1st (tie) Madeline Haas, Infection Prevention at Sunbeam School: Teaching Hand Hygiene and Cough

Etiquette.

Faculty Mentor: Marilyn Lotas, Nursing

2nd Teresa Carter and Molly Jackson, *Pneumonia Prevention in Geriatric Participants at McGregor*

PACE.

Faculty Mentor: Marilyn Lotas Nursing

Natural Sciences & Mathematics

1st Raghav Tripathi, RhoA Regulates PINK1 Accumulation and Mitophagy through PKD Activation

Mentor: Shigeki Miyamoto, Pharmacology, University of California, San Diego

2nd (tie) Miarasa Steele, Inducible/de-inducible B-catenin: a model to identify wntB-catenin-responsive

biomarkers in skin fibrosis.

Faculty Mentor: Radhika Atit, Biology

2nd (tie) Colleen Bosworth, A Method for Large Mitochondrial DNA Deletion Discovery in Human

Cancers.

Faculty Mentor: Thomas LaFramboise, Genetics

2nd (tie) Brennan Ashwood, Potential Light-Induced Risks Associated with Expanding the Genetic

Alphabet.

Faculty Mentor: Carlos Crespo-Hernandez, Chemistry

Social Sciences

1st Hannah Johnson, Analysis of Hope and Avoidance During Key Processing Period in Prolonged

Exposure Therapy for PTSD.

Faculty Mentor: Norah Feeny, Psychological Sciences

2nd (tie) Maria Fazal, Autistic Symptomatology in Early Childhood: A Comparison of Play and Language

Between the mUPD and DEL Subtypes of Prader-Willi Syndrome

Faculty Mentor: Anastasia Dimitropoulos, Psychological Sciences

2nd (tie) Katherine Chen and Justine Anne De Angelis, *Elevate App: Utilizing Technology for Mental Well-Being.*

Faculty Mentors: Amy Przeworski, Psychological Sciences and Marc Buchner, Associate Dean, Academics, Case School of Engineering and Professor, Electrical Engineering and Computer Science

Humanities

1st Emily Kugel, *Characterizing Views on Race: Sir Thomas Munro and his Interactions in India.* Faculty Mentor: John Broich, History