About the University Honors College ...

The University Honors College is a place where academically gifted students explore new ideas and engage in intellectual and creative collaborations with experienced and dedicated members of the faculty. Honors students are offered a comprehensive educational experience that brings together academic, residential, social and cultural experiences. Approximately 425 students are actively participating in the Honors College in Honors sections of University Core Curriculum courses and/or one of the ten Honors Tracks. Each fall, about 125 new students enter the Honors College, and about half of those live in High Mountain East, one of the newest residence halls on campus.

Students in the Honors College pursue a disciplinary major and an Honors track. The track may parallel the major, relate to the major, or be very different from the major. Although the various tracks have different requirements, each track culminates in a thesis or significant research or creative project that the student presents to the University community. The oldest track, Humanities, was established in 1976.

> Mark your calendar! Students graduating in May and August, 2019 will present their work to the campus community during Honors Research Week, April 8-12, 2019. Watch for more details!



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HONORS NIGHT 2018 **STUDENT RESEARCH** PRESENTATIONS

Wednesday, November 28, 2018

Featuring the work of Honors students who are graduating in January, 2019

> Wednesday, November 28, 2018 5:00 p.m.

> > **University Commons, 168A**

- Program -

Introduction Dr. Barbara Andrew, Honors College Dean

Student Presentations

Clinical Psychology and Neuropsychology Track

Charles Faulkner Kayla Huntington Melanie Ventura

Humanities Track Robert Spangler

Music Track William Smolen

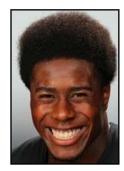
Social Sciences Track Noel Bota

About the presenters...



NOEL BOTA

Honors Track: Social Sciences Major: Criminal Justice Minors: Sociology & Psychology Thesis Title: The Myers-Briggs Indicator: A Century of Research and Application Thesis Advisor: Dr. Neil Kressel



CHARLES FAULKNER

Honors Track: Clinical Psychology and Neuropsychology Major: Psychology Minor: Political Science Thesis Title: Anime and Moral Development Thesis Advisor: Dr. Bruce Diamond



KAYLA HUNTINGTON

Honors Track: Clinical Psychology and Neuropsychology Major: Psychology Thesis Title: Personality, Cognition, and Stress in First Responders Thesis Advisor: Dr. Bruce Diamond



WILLIAM SMOLEN

Honors Track: Music Major: Music Education/Jazz Studies Thesis Title: David Wong on "You or Me" - an analysis Thesis Advisor: Dr. Diane Falk-Romaine



ROBERT SPANGLER

Honors Track: Humanities Major: Nursing Thesis Title: Changing the World: Youth Political Activism from the Sixties to Today Thesis Advisor: Dr. K. Molly O'Donnell



MELANIE VENTURA

Honors Track: Clinical Psychology and Neuropsychology Major: Psychology Thesis Title: *A lzheimer's Disease and Racial Disparities* Thesis Advisor: Dr. Bruce Diamond