



ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

OFFICE OF
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2017 Social Sciences, Humanities, and Arts Research Experience (SHARE) Awards

Project Title: *Extinction of Fear Within Virtual Reality Environments*

Student Apprentice and Major: Allison Arnista, Psychological Sciences

Faculty Mentor and Department: Robert Astur, Psychological Sciences

Project Title: *Intercultural Communication*

Student Apprentice and Major: Emma Barnes, Political Science & German

Faculty Mentor and Department: Manuela Wagner, Literatures, Cultures, and Languages

Project Title: *Exploring the Communication of Support about Racial Microaggressions in Black Women
Friend Groups*

Student Apprentice and Major: Alleyha Dannett, Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies & Human Rights

Faculty Mentor and Department: Sharde Davis, Communication

Award Co-Sponsored by the University of Connecticut Humanities Institute

Project Title: *Support for Reducing Inequality: Citizen Attitudes vs. Public Action*

Student Apprentice and Major: George Dennis, Political Science & History

Faculty Mentor and Department: Thomas Hayes, Political Science

Project Title: *Pesos and Ponies: Neural Representation of Phonetic Category Structure in Spanish-English
Bilinguals*

Student Apprentice and Major: Divya Ganugapati, Cognitive Science & Speech, Language, and Hearing
Sciences

Faculty Mentor and Department: Rachel Theodore, Speech, Language, and Hearing Sciences

Project Title: *Town Conservation Commissions and Regional Conservation Associations in New England*

Student Apprentice and Major: Abigail LaFontan, Political Science

Faculty Mentor and Department: Prakash Kashwan, Political Science

Project Title: *Mu Rhythm Patterns in Early Childhood*

Student Apprentice and Major: Dilsara Liyanage, Psychological Sciences

Faculty Mentor and Department: Kimberly Cuevas, Psychological Sciences

2017 SHARE Award Recipients

Project Title: *The Implications of Ethnic-Racial Socialization for Emerging Adults' Development Across Ethnic-Racial and Gender Groups*

Student Apprentice and Major: Thessiana Mesilus, Psychological Sciences & Human Development and Family Studies

Faculty Mentor and Department: Annamaria Csizmadia, Human Development and Family Studies

Project Title: *Identification of Barriers and Facilitators to Physical Activity in the Elderly with Osteoarthritis*

Student Apprentice and Major: Erin Milner, Nursing

Faculty Mentor and Department: Deborah McDonald, Nursing

Project Title: *Violence Against Women and Girls: Evidence of the Normative Gap Between Rhetoric and Law*

Student Apprentice and Major: Susan Naseri, Political Science & Human Rights

Faculty Mentor and Department: David Richards, Political Science

Project Title: *Using a Focus Group to Evaluate the Utility of Interactive Modules for Self-Management of Low Back Pain*

Student Apprentice and Major: Amanda Pinto, Nursing

Faculty Mentor and Department: Angela Starkweather, Nursing

Project Title: *Flusser 2.0 - From the Print-Text to the Image-Flood*

Student Apprentice and Major: Katherine Riedling, Computer Science and Engineering & German

Faculty Mentor and Department: Anke Finger, Literatures, Cultures, and Languages, Nursing

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Project Title: *Crafting Environmental Citizenship: Pollution, Resistance and Representation in Latin American Cities*

Student Apprentice and Major: Emily Steck, Political Science & Human Rights

Faculty Mentor and Department: Veronica Herrera, Political Science

Project Title: *An Examination of the Unique Social-Ecologies of Discriminatory Bullying Experienced by Latino Immigrant Youth*

Student Apprentice and Major: Monica Vise, Human Development and Family Studies

Faculty Mentor and Department: Alaina Brenick, Human Development and Family Studies

Project Title: *The Effects of the Maternal Voice on the Infant in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU)*

Student Apprentice and Major: Selena Williamson, Nursing

Faculty Mentor and Department: Jacqueline McGrath, Nursing

Project Title: *Designing Interactive Museum Experiences with Omeka Everywhere*

Student Apprentice and Major: Andrew Wolf, Digital Media and Design

Faculty Mentor and Department: Clarissa Ceglie, Digital Media and Design