STUDENT WRITING CONFERENCE

Nov. 9, 2009
Registration + Refreshments (4:30–4:45 PM)  
Lobby of Mandell Science Building

Keynote Address (4:45–5:55 PM)  
Mandell 114

Session 1 (5:00–6:00 PM)

Panel 1: “Exploring Diversity” (Mandell 114)  
CHAIRPERSON  Dr. Michael Stamps, Assistant Professor, English
Heather Pray — BIOLOGY — “The Culturally Diverse Life of ‘Sylvie’”  
Melissa Gallo — WILDLIFE AND CONSERVATION — “Supermarket of Culture”  
Taylor Robinson — ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE — “Strength Through Struggle”

Panel 2: “Riding, Raising, and Racing Horses” (Mandell 215)  
CHAIRPERSON  Cory Kieschnick, Equine Studies Faculty Lecturer  
Katlynn Martin — ZOO SCIENCE — “Thoroughbred Racing: Beyond the Track”  
Emily Biggerstaff — EQUINE STUDIES — “Equestrian: Just a Rider?”  
Chrissy Joy Moller — EQUINE STUDIES — “Lucky in Kentucky”

Panel 3: “Consumerism, Materialism, and the Modern Age” (Mandell 208)  
CHAIRPERSON  Dr. David Snyder, Assistant Professor, Liberal Arts  
Lindsay Cappiello — SMALL ANIMAL SCIENCE — “Underlying Deceit”  
Brittany King — MEDIA AND COMMUNICATIONS — “Free: With the Price of Submission”  
Dennis Riling — CROP SCIENCE — “Antique to Digital”  
Richard Craven — ACCOUNTING — “America’s New Color War: Black vs. Red”  
Hannah Lee — COUNSELING PSYCHOLOGY — “What If . . .”

Panel 4: “Family Ties” (Mandell 204)  
CHAIRPERSON  Prof. Brian Lutz, Instructor, English  
Shanae Ninehouser — WILDLIFE CONSERVATION — “Unanswered”  
Elizabeth Borrie — ZOO SCIENCE — “Melissa”  
Jessica Taddei — SMALL ANIMAL SCIENCE — “Surprise, Surprise!”  
Laci Olivia — LARGE ANIMAL SCIENCE — “The Greatest Influence”

Session 2 (6:00–7:00 PM)

Panel 5: “Music, Myths and Superstitions, and Ibsen” (Mandell 204)  
CHAIRPERSON  Prof. Brian Lutz, Instructor, English  
Jessica Travis — BIOLOGY — “The Slammed Door in Ibsen’s A Doll’s House”  
Adrienne Liszkiewicz — ZOO SCIENCE — “It’s True: I Am Responsible for Irresponsibility”  
Matthew Palmieri — ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE — “The Way the World Ends”  
Abe Lyle — COMPUTER SCIENCE — “Musical Evolution”

Panel 6 — “The Shadow of Death” (Mandell 215)  
CHAIRPERSON  Dr. Michael Stamps, Assistant Professor, English  
Emily Peters — ZOO SCIENCE — “Mortality for an Immortal”  
Emily Reineberg — ZOO SCIENCE — “Belle”  
Courtney Petersen — BIOLOGY — “Animals in Captivity”

Panel 7 — “Coming of Age” (Mandell 114)  
CHAIRPERSON  Dr. David Snyder, Assistant Professor, Liberal Arts  
Thomas Porter — BIOLOGY EDUCATION — “Man’s Role”  
Andrzej Przybylski — ZOOLOGY — “The Road to Victory”  
Maria Cramer — HORTICULTURE — “Perry County Type”

7:00 PM — Awards Ceremony  
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First Place — $500 :: Second Place — $100 :: Third Place — $50