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3rd Annual Social Justice Research Student Conference 2020 Program Oral Presentations Via Zoom



April 29, 2020

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15-minute Oral Presentations

11:00AM-12:15PM Panel #1: Settler Colonialism-
4 Student Presentations

12:30PM-1:45PM Panel #2: Activism(s)- 4 Student
Presentations

2:00PM-3:15PM Panel #3: Intersectionality-
4 Student Presentations

3:30PM-4:30PM Event Closing Keynote Lecture with
Dr. Jamaica Heolimeleikalani Osorio: "From our
Frontline to Yours: Mo'olelo Aloha Āina in a Time
of Transformation"

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Student Presenters



Vanessa L. Martinez, M.S.
Major: Educational Leadership & Policy Studies
Title of Presentation:
La Lucha Continua (The Struggle Continues): First-Generation Latinx Students Experiences at a Hispanic Serving Institution



Professor Taehyun Kim's class
Major: Journalism
Title of Presentation:
Pacoima's Story: Fighting for Environmental Justice



Brenda Fowler
Major: Child Development Minor: Business Law
Title of Presentation:
The Problem of Defiance: Addressing Disproportionate Discipline for Black Students in California Primary and Secondary Schools



Akeyva Gray
Major: Business Law, Entrepreneurship
Title of Presentation:
Oppression in Black Owned Businesses: A Research Paper that Addresses Historic Laws, Policies and Practices that Have Inhibited Black People from Creating and Maintaining Successful Businesses in the United States.



Hannah Adams
Major: Marketing
Title of Presentation:
Promoting Polynesian Power: Understanding the Polynesian culture's dynamic, addressing the misrepresentation, empowering the youth to advance



Scott Kriloff
Major: Theatre
Title of Presentation:
Already Park Proud LA: In Defense of Playground Autonomy for the Culture of Pickup Basketball in LA and the San Fernando Valley



Raven Freebird
Major: English Literature, Political Science, American Indian Studies
Title of Presentation:
Foster Care is New Boarding School



Zhiying Xu
Major: Communication Studies
Title of Presentation:
The Issue of Leftover Women in China: Disparagement, Discrimination, and Misinterpretation of Females within the Framework of the Modern Empowerment Movements



Chris Holland
Major: Speech Communication
Title of Presentation:
Ms Holland



Mark David Farrell
Major: Communication Studies
Title of Presentations:
White Man Stumbling



Sarah Shabbar
Major: Mass Communications
Title of Presentation:
Homeless Women and Gender-Based Violence in Los Angeles



Bradly Shayne Bessey
Major: Communication Studies Masters Program
Title of Presentation:
Trans(gender) Trouble: A Critical Analysis of Harris v. EEOC Supreme Court Arguments

Session 1 Settler Colonialism (11:00am-12:15PM Pacific Time)

11:00-11:15AM Vanessa Martinez

11:15-11:30AM Brenda Fowler

11:30-11:45AM Hannah Adams

11:45AM-12:00PM Raven Freebird

12:00-12:15PM Q&A

Moderated by Kelly De Leon and Vicki Allen

Session 2 Activism(s) (12:30PM-1:45PM Pacific Time)

12:30-12:45PM Chris Holland

12:45-1:00PM Professor Taehyun Kim's class

1:00-1:15PM Sarah Shabbar

1:15-1:30PM Akeyva Gray

1:30-1:45PM Q&A

Moderated by Tina Beyene and Marta Lopez

Session 3 Intersectionality (2:00PM-3:15PM Pacific Time)

2:00-2:15PM Scott Kriloff

2:15-2:30PM Zhiying Xu

2:30-2:45PM Mark Farrell

2:45-3:00PM Bradly Bessey

3:00-3:15PM Q&A

Moderated by Jade Huell and Danielle Spratt



Keynote Lecture:

**“From our Frontline to Yours:
Mo’olelo Aloha ‘Āina in a time
of Transformation.”**

Dr. Jamaica Heolimeleikalani Osorio

Join the 2019 CDSC 3rd Annual Social Justice Research Student Conference : “Sovereignty, Freedom, and Self-Determination”

General Information

Join our Virtual CDSC student conference for our keynote lecture, Assistant Professor at the University of Hawai'i, and award winning spoken word poet, Dr. Jamaica Heolimeleikalani Osorio.



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Presentation Info:

Date: April 29th, 2020
Time: 3:30-4:30 PM
(Q&A to follow)
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