

Program

9:00 am - Breakfast and Student Registration

9:30 am - 10:15 am – First Sessions:

E-400 Emerging Technologies I

Faculty Timekeeper / Moderator: Praveenkumar Khethavath

Saroji Gopal (Faculty Mentor: Praveenkumar Khethavath)
Weather Prediction

Xiafen Chen (Faculty Mentor: Glen Henshaw)
Modern Portfolio Theory and Black-Scholes Formula

Xueqin Wang (Faculty Mentor: Lee Boyar)
What Does Company Responsibility Include?

Kyle Na, Min Zheng (Faculty Mentor: Praveenkumar Khethavath)
Encryption

E-401 Human-Computer Interaction

Faculty Timekeeper / Moderator: Filip Stabrowski

Khadijatut Taiyeba (Faculty Mentor: Arianna Martinez)
The Way Zara Treats Their Tenants

Anika Damon (Faculty Mentor: Arianna Martinez)
The Effect of Changes in the Consumer Base on Bushwick

Mark Xia (Faculty Mentor: Arianna Martinez)
Comfortable Living Within

Lope Jan Williams (Faculty Mentor: Arianna Martinez)
Target is "Targeting" Jackson Heights

E-500 Politics of Housing and Development

Faculty Timekeeper / Moderator: M. Anne O'Reilly

Monika Czech (Faculty Mentor: Arianna Martinez)
Not In My Backyard

Nicole Valdes (Faculty Mentor: Arianna Martinez)
New York City Housing Authority Discrimination

Leonardo Ceron Jurado (Faculty Mentor: Solomon Kone)
Building Without Destroying

Jianchang Ling (Faculty Mentor: Arianna Martinez)
Study of Housing Discrimination in East Sunset Park

10:30 am -11:15 am – Second Sessions:

E-400 Immigration and Gentrification in New York City

Faculty Timekeeper / Filip Stabrowski

Yixin Chen (Faculty Mentor: Arianna Martinez)

Forbidden Workers and Illegal Labor: Fuzhounese in Elmhurst

Sailendra Sah (Faculty Mentor: Arianna Martinez)

Queens Nepalese Worried of Losing TPS

Tony Chu (Faculty Mentor: Arianna Martinez)

The Gentrification of Chinatown in Manhattan

Huiling Cai (Faculty Mentor: Arianna Martinez)

Who Is Celebrating Gentrification in Flushing?

E-401 Business and Economic Policy

Faculty Timekeeper / Moderator: Lee Boyar

Umer Ali (Faculty Mentor: Lee Boyar)

Minimum Wage

Andrea Santoro (Faculty Mentor: Lee Boyar)

Minimum Wage in the United States

Yixing Lin, Huiling Cai, Yuyan Chen (Faculty Mentor: Solomon Kone)

The Guard of the Economy – The Public Sector

Natalie Eliza (Faculty Mentor: Solomon Kone)

The Grounds of Amazon's Success: Consumer Sovereignty

E-500 Emerging Technologies II

Faculty Timekeeper / Moderator: Amit Aggarwal

Mariem Salcedo (Faculty Mentor: Amit Aggarwal)

Extraction of coloring pigments from brown eggshell and their estimation by absorption spectrometry

Anika Tasnim, Bingjing Dong (Faculty Mentor: Praveenkumar Khethavath)

Image Processing

Jiarong Chen (Faculty Mentor: Praveenkumar Khethavath)

Image Tracking

Afsana Abdul Rahim, Sarah Seron, Jacob Martinez (Faculty Mentor: Amit Aggarwal)

Green Method of Preparation of Organic Nanoparticles of a Free base Porphyrinoid and their Characterization by Absorption Spectroscopy

E-501 Computer Algorithms and Applications

Faculty Timekeeper / Moderator: Praveenkumar Khethavath

Winston Moriah, Tianlang Huang (Faculty Mentor: Praveenkumar Khethavath)
C++ Newton Raphson Method

Rinchen Lama, Bikash Sunuwar (Faculty Mentor: Praveenkumar Khethavath)
Encryption Algorithms with C++

Brihan Ramirez, Adilah Sultana. (Faculty Mentor: Praveenkumar Khethavath)
Application of computer Algorithms

Pranaya Sharma (Faculty Mentor: Praveenkumar Khethavath)
Matrices Operations and Their Applications

11:30 am -12:15 pm – Third Sessions:

E-400 Politics of Food and Health

Faculty Moderator / Moderator: Dana Trusso

Habiba Choudhury (Faculty Mentor: Dana Trusso)
Are the Lives of Nonhuman Animals Meaningless?

Tenzin Pema (Faculty Mentor: Arianna Martinez)
Burger, Pizza, Everywhere!

Victor E. Ansor (Faculty Mentor: Arianna Martinez)
Waste Recycling Plant and Environmental Injustices

E-401 Literature

Faculty Moderator / Moderator: James Wilson

Bryan Saeteros (Faculty Mentor: James Wilson)
Psychoanalysis and "Children of a Lesser God"

Gerard Elliot (Faculty Mentor: Karlyn Koh)
The Roles of Sexuality and Gender in David Henry Hwang's "M Butterfly"

Daniel Talero (Faculty Mentor: James Willson)
Our Lady Full of Grace

Michael Landress (Faculty Mentor: Karlyn Koh)
The Unexamined Life: The Further Consequences of Societal Oppression

E-500 Ethnography and the City

Faculty Moderator / Moderator: Filip Stabrowski

LeAnne Chingcuangco (Faculty Mentor: Arianna Martinez)
Housing Challenges of Previously-Incarcerated People

Telijah Patterson (Faculty Mentor: Filip Stabrowski)
Explorations of Polyamory

Anna Katranis (Faculty Mentor: Filip Stabrowski)
Above and Beyond Reputations

Amanda Jones (Faculty Mentor: Filip Stabrowski)
Myth Versus Reality: Public Housing in New York City

E-501 US Foreign Policy

Faculty Moderator / Moderator: Noam Scheindlin

Jennifer Tsuei (Faculty Mentor: Karen Miller)
Of War and Books: The Role of Libraries in the Construction of US Empire

Robert Cleary (Faculty Mentor: Karen Miller)
US Involvement in the 2010-2011 Presidential Election in Haiti

Htet Oo Yan Soe (Faculty Mentor: Solomon Kone)
Trade War Between the US and China

Marcella Viola (Faculty Mentor: James Wilson)
Biotechnology for Human Altercation

12:30 pm: **Lunch Greetings**
 Dr. Filip Stabrowski, Honors Conference Co-Chair

Poster Presentation Awards
Dr. Praveen Khethavath, Honors Conference Co-Chair

Presidential Remarks
Dr. Gail Mellow, President, LaGuardia Community College

Presentation and Launch of the Third Honors Journal
Dr. Lee Boyar

Student Greetings
Lope Jan Williams & Michael Landress, HSAC Co-MCs

1:00pm: **Lunch**



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