7TH ANNUAL REBEL GRAD SLAM
3-MINUTE THESIS COMPETITION
NOVEMBER 9-18, 2020
FINALS SCHEDULE
1. Kendra McGlothen | Astrocytes Affect on Cortical Circuitry and Motor Behavior | Neuroscience Ph.D.

2. Christian Ison | Assessing Center of Pressure with the Progression of Diabetes and Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy | Interdisciplinary Health Sciences Ph.D.

3. Cody Cris | Virulence Gene Activation in Shigella Flexneri, a Major Dysentery Pathogen | Biological Sciences M.S.


5. Andrew Ortiz | The Link Between Alzheimer’s Disease & Type II Diabetes | Interdisciplinary Health Sciences Ph.D.

6. April Contreras | Understanding the Therapeutic Potential of Psychedelics: Mechanistic Analysis of 5-HT2A Receptor Activation | Neuroscience Ph.D.

7. Jonathan Molina | Have You Considered Watching Pornography with Your Partner? Maybe It’s Time to Consider It. | Couple and Family Therapy M.S.

8. Melissa Schofield | Understanding a Deadly Pathogen with a Curious Mutation | Biological Sciences Ph.D.


10. Shaimaa Abdelhaleem | Earthquakes in Las Vegas? | Geoscience Ph.D.

11. Harjiv Singh | Mind Over Body - Creating Effective Cues for Optimal Motor Performance | Kinesiology Ph.D.

12. Dustin Davis | Using Plant-Based Foods and Physical Activity to Lower Blood Sugar After Eating | Interdisciplinary Health Sciences Ph.D.