



Research ²⁰²⁵ Days

GOVERNORS STATE UNIVERSITY

April 16 – 17



2025 Program



Governors State
UNIVERSITY

An Illinois Public University

Wednesday, April 16th | GovState Campus

- 10 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.** **Attitudes Toward the Use of AI in Student Assessment**
Erica Ceka & Frankline Muthomi
D34160
CAS/DAL/MPA
- 10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.** **Perceptions of Justice: A Service-Learning Project Collaboration Between Art and Criminal Justice**
Caron Jacobson & Rebecca Siefert
D34000
CAS
- 10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.** **Public History on Film: The Silence of Others (2018)**
Novia Pagone and Matilda Rustam
D34170
CAS/DAL
- 10:00 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.** **Precision Landing Systems in Autonomous Quadrotor Vehicles: Narrative Review (Workshop)**
Aslam (Sam) Shahid, Jacob Abrams & Joseph Udani
D1496
CAS/DSMT
- 10 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.** **Integrating Computational Thinking and AI-Driven Computational Methods into the Mathematics Curriculum**
Valentina Postelnicu, Andrius Tamulis, Chris Tweddle, & Mohammed Salam
D34011
CAS/DSMT
- 10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.** **AI Adoption in IRB Processes: Exploring Views of IRB Professionals**
Erica Ceka & Anna Bernadska
D34160
CAS/DAL/MPA
- 10:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.** **What Do Criminal Justice Undergraduate Students Think of Service-Learning?**
Caron Jacobson & Azariah McLaurin
D34000
CAS

11:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. **WEDNESDAY POSTER SESSION**
D2400 Library

POSTERS IN BUSINESS (COB)

1. Understanding the Motivations Behind Clothing Consumption Among Pre-Teen Children

Gillian Vinson (Honors)

POSTERS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE (CAS)

2. Jaguar Robot

Ahmad Ruman, Leen Abdel Karim, Mariam Ahmed, Hanan Atef, Samira Yafai, & Jianwei Hao

3. NFT-Linked Physical Fashion Items for Secure Payments & Sustainability

Rikshitha Ravikumar & Jianwei Hao

4. Object Detection on Drone

Nathan Rodriguez, Brett Porter, Thomas Daily, Harshavardhan Varma Datla, & Jianwei Hao

5. Towards Real Time Object Detection in UAV

Venkata Jaswanth Reddy Akkamreddygari & Yunchuan Liu

POSTERS IN EDUCATION (CEHD)

6. A Critical Participatory Arts-Based Investigation of Superintendent Leadership and Stakeholder Sense of Belonging

Sara Schnoor

7. Exploring How Belonging Affects Academic Success at GovState

Samantha DeSantis (Honors)

8. More Than a Score: Examining Racial Bias in Graduate Admissions Testing

Angelina Knoch (Honors)

9. The Power of Partnerships: Transforming Special Education Through Collaboration

Sara Jozwik, Ed. D., Felicia Clark, Cathrine Goss, Paulette Mene-Okotie Grant, Miljana Savic, Megan Studencki, & Taylor Guyton

10. The Transformative Dyad: Exploring Relational Mentorship Qualities in Undergraduate Research Development

Kelly Rosenthal

Posters continued on next page

11:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. **WEDNESDAY POSTER SESSION** *continued*
D2400 Library

POSTERS IN PSYCHOLOGY (CEHD)

11. Framing Masculinity: How Film and Television Shape Male Identity and Behavior

Jon Bannister (Honors)

12. How Personal Growth is Related to the Big 5 Personality Traits

Kendal Stanek

13. How Perspectives of Masculinity Impact the Validity of Male Body Ideal

Emily Gagliano

14. The Impact of Centrality of Event on Trauma Outcomes

Amanda Sawatski

15. The Impact of Extrinsic Motivation on Intrinsic Engagement in the Workplace

Emma Talamonti

16. Lost In Time and Sacred Space

Chris Weber

17. Transition to Adulthood: Impacts of Life and Career Skill Building on Adolescents

Alyssa Voss

18. Was Proust Right, Are Cookies the Trigger?

Laretta Graves

19. Mental Freedom: Holding the Key

Jade Groble, Hayley Stewart, & Will Ravetto (Honors)

20. Mindfulness and Regret: Finding Peace in the Present

Hayley Stewart, Will Ravetto, Jade Groble (Honors)

21. Chasing the Marlin—The Hemingway Effect and the Emptiness of Success

Samantha DeSantis & Hayley Stewart (Honors)

22. Mommy, When Can I Have My Cookies?

Hayley Stewart & Samantha Desantis (Honors)

Opening Keynote Panel Presentation

Wednesday, April 16 | 1 – 2:15 p.m. | Engbretson Hall

Exploring the World of Global Learning through Fulbright: Different Opportunities and Applications

For nearly 80 years, the Fulbright program has worked to integrate the world through global learning in higher education. The opening 2025 GovState Research Days keynote includes three Fulbright scholars who will share their lens on global learning through different perspectives and Fulbright opportunities: scholar, scholar-in-residence, specialist, and research abroad. A Q and A with the scholars will follow the panel presentations.



Marconi Freitas Da Costa
Ph.D., Associate Professor
Fulbright Scholar-in-Residence from Brazil



Natalia Rekhter
Ph.D., MHSA, Associate Professor
U.S. Fulbright Scholar in Azerbaijan
U.S. Fulbright Specialist in Moldova



Maria Murray Svidronova
Ph.D., Associate Professor
Visiting Fulbright Scholar from Slovakia



Panel Chair & Discussant: David M. Rhea
Ph.D., Founding Dean, GovState Honors College

Wednesday, April 16th | GovState Campus

- 2:30 p.m. — 3:15 p.m. **Considerations when Conducting Complex Studies:
IRB Perspectives (Workshop)**
Scott Getsoian, Praggyan Mohanty, & Valentina Postelnicu
B2200
Provost/OSPR/IRB
- 2:30 p.m. — 3:15 p.m. **3D Printing for Sandy the Therapy Dog (Workshop)**
Shukmei Oh
D2401C
CAS/DSMT
- 2:30 p.m. — 4 p.m. **Skyscraper Jails: The Abolitionist Fight Against Jail Expansion in
New York City**
Jarrod Shanahan, Dr. Jack Norton, Dr. Zhandarka Kurti, & Abby Cunniff
F1622
CAS/DAL
- 3 p.m. — 3:30 p.m. **Water Contamination, Notions of Wellbeing, and Community:
A Case Study in University Park**
Jelena Radovic-Fanta & Laila Jaber
D34165
CAS/DAL
- 3 p.m. — 3:30 p.m. **Novel Approaches Towards the Synthesis of Benz-fused Five- and
Six-Membered Azoles**
Oscene Barrett, Nadale Downer-Riley, & Yvette Jackson
E1540
CAS/ Chemistry
- 3 p.m. — 3:45 p.m. **Comparative Study of Drone Simulation Frameworks: ArduPilot
with Gazebo vs. AirSim with PX4**
Alex Liu
D34060
CAS/DSMT
- 3 p.m. — 3:45 p.m. **Barriers and Facilitators to Successful Reentry and Recovery for
Formerly Incarcerated African Americans with Co-Occurring Mental
Health, Substance Use Disorder, and Trauma**
*Vickii Coffey, PhD, Shonda Lawrence, PhD, Joshua Sopiartz, MA, MS,
& Trinity Jones, RA*
D2401A
CHHS/SW

- 3 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.** **Looking Into Restorative Justice through an Intersectional Lens**
Jah'Miaa C Brooks & Abdulmalik A Jimoh
D1497
CAS
- 3:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.** **The Grassroots Organization of Faculty Writing Groups**
Bradley Smith
D34165
CAS/DAL
- 3:30 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.** **The Ambiguous Loss of Alcohol Use Disorders for Affected Family Members: Factors That Affect Resilience Versus Distress (Workshop)**
Dr. Giselle Hernandez Navarro
D2401C
CHHS
- 3:45 p.m. – 4 p.m.** **The Listening Lens: Seed Lynn's Participatory Photography**
Dr. Woodman Taylor
D34165
CAS/DAL
- 4:30 p.m. – 5 p.m.** **Fortifying the Digital Frontier: Exploring Innovations and Challenges in Cybersecurity**
Mohammed Abdul Salam, Richard Manprasio, Sri Charan Bonigala
D2401C
CAS/DSMT
- 4:30 p.m. – 5 p.m.** **Erroneous Ecumenicism: The Folly of Faith Fund Fungibility**
Michael Williams
D1497
COB



Thursday, April 17th | GovState Campus

- 9 a.m. – 11 a.m. **Morning Coffee & Tea in the Library**
D2400 Library
- 10 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. **Political Philosophers Shaping Modern America**
Sean O'Brien (Honors)
D1497
CAS
- 10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. **The Evolution and Censorship of Children's Literature in the United States**
Angelika Babicz (Honors) & Victoria Gomez (Honors)
D2401A
CAS/DAL
- 10 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. **Harnessing AI in Higher Education: Insights from the AACSB Deans Conference (Workshop)**
Sonia Dalmia
D34000
COB
- 10 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. **MAGA Ideology and Propaganda**
Jayne Goode, Kimberly Gonzalez, Jennifer Gutierrez, & Christopher Weber
D34011
CAS/DAL/COMM
- 10 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. **Protecting Vulnerable Research Populations (Workshop)**
Lamise Shawahin & Anna Bernadska
D34104
Provost/OSPR/IRB
- 10 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. **The Variations in Use of Force by Police with Mentally Ill Citizens**
Atzihri Guido (Honors), Ariel Rupert, Dalayna Hampton, Quinn Korhonen, & Adam Ammar
D34160
CAS/CJUS
- 10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. **Borderline Budgeting: Analyzing Fiscal Responses to the Russian-Ukrainian Conflict in Neighboring Countries**
Erica Ceka
D2401A
CAS/DAL/MPA

- 10:30 a.m. – 11 a.m.** **Breaking the Expected: Rethinking the Impact of Bird Losses on Egg Prices**
Suzanne Reynolds
D1497
COB
- 10:45 a.m. – 11 a.m.** **Linking Sources of Knowledge about Wrongful Convictions to Support Criminal Justice Reform: The Effect of Media and Social Connections**
Erica Ceka & Natalia Ermasova
D2401A
CAS/DAL/MPA
- 11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.** **THURSDAY POSTER SESSION 1**
D2400 Library

POSTERS IN BIOLOGY & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE (CAS)

- 1. Confirming Degradation of Polyethylene by *Galleria mellonella* Through Fluorescence**
Destiny Etuk & Dr. Melissa Plakke
- 2. A Tale of Two Sperm: Targeting Sperm Developmental Pathways Using RNAi Approaches in *Bombyx mori***
Krystilyn Bauske, Jesse Osei Assibey, Destiny Etuk, Savannah Dread, Venkata Vinay Kumar Reddy Basireddy, Diandra M. Vaval Taylor, & Dr. Melissa Plakke
- 3. A Rose by Any Other Name: Establishing the Evolutionary Origin for a “Unique” Reproductive Organ**
Varun Paluri & Dr. Melissa Plakke
- 4. Changes in Salinity, Conductivity, Dissolved Oxygen, and Temperature of Water in Ponds Around Governors State University**
Brenn Townsend & Dr. Xiaoyong Chen
- 5. Comparing the Colony Formation of *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* on Daily and Monthly Contact Lenses with Different Oxygen Permeability**
Rinsa Reji (Honors), Dr. Xiaoyong Chen, & Dr. Timothy Gsell
- 6. Temporal-spatial Changes in Water Qualities in the Governors State University Area**
Rinsa Reji (Honors)

Posters continued on next page

Thursday, April 17th | GovState Campus

11:30 a.m. –12:45 p.m. **THURSDAY POSTER SESSION 1** *continued*
D2400 Library

POSTERS IN BIOLOGY & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE (CAS) *continued*

7. Antibiotic Resistance Testing and Enumeration of E. coli, Coliforms, and Salmonella in Canada Geese Feces Based on Natural Water Sources and Retention Ponds

Ceejay Ritzke (Honors) & Dr. Timothy Gsell

8. Congo Red Decolorization by Two Bacterial Isolates from Cal-Sag Channel Under Static Incubation and Intermittent Aeration

Daphne Domingo & Dr. Timothy Gsell

9. The Effect of Temperature and Time on The Survival of Inoculated Salmonella Typhimurium on Romaine & Green Leaf Lettuce

Tatiana Joseph & Dr. Timothy Gsell

10. Manuka Honey and Black Seed Oil in Combination as Antimicrobials Against Pseudomonas aeruginosa, Staphylococcus aureus, and Streptococcus pyogenes

Ahmmad Ashkar & Dr. Timothy Gsell

11. Soil Bacterial and Fungi Cell Abundance and the Influence of Light Intensity, Rhizobium Inoculation, and Nitrogen Nutrient Amendments when Cicer arietinum L. Seeds Are Included

Adham Abuali & Dr. Timothy Gsell

12. Testing for Pathogenic Bacteria and Antibiotic Resistance on Surfaces of Desks in the Front and Back of University Classrooms

Jessica Sobol & Dr. Timothy Gsell

POSTERS IN EDUCATION & PSYCHOLOGY (CEHD)

13. Development of a New Faculty Designation Through Artificial Intelligence (AI): The Pre-Emeritus Professor for Continuity and Knowledge Transfer

Walter Henne & Steve Shih

14. Promoting Recovery in Academic Workplaces: Resources for University Faculty and Staff

Tyler Hartke

15. Beating the Odds: Female Leadership in Academic Libraries

Cari Didion

16. The High Scope Curriculum: Long-Term Benefits of Child-Directed Learning
Makayla Short

17. Examining the Interplay Between Constructs of Masculinity and Muscle Dysmorphic Disorder
Grace Meeks (Honors)

18. From Grace to Guilt: How Spirituality Helps with Regret
Will Ravetto, Hayley Stewart, & Jade Groble (Honors)

POSTERS IN HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES (CAS)

19. University Park Water Crisis
Alex Szczender, Jerome Harrison, & Jonathan Cooper

20. Southland Food Access
Naiza Limon

21. Leaders, Not Dictators: Why a Free Nation Starts with a Free People
Ahren Kirschbaum (Honors)

22. “That Funny Feeling” Hasn’t Faded: How Fan Rewrites Take a Stance
Morgan Hokanson (Honors)

11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.

FACULTY AWARDS LUNCHEON

E-Lounge

Sponsored by the Office of the Provost

All Faculty are invited to attend an Awards and Recognition Luncheon!

The Awards Ceremony at 12 p.m. will honor the recipients of Intellectual Life Grants & the McClellan Faculty Research Excellence Awards.

1:30 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

When the Score Doesn’t Keep: Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) and Blunted Interoception

Jade Rose Groble

D2401A

CEHD/PSYC

1:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.

Full STEAM Ahead (Workshop)

Dr. Natalie Coleman

D34000

CAS

Thursday, April 17th | GovState Campus

- 1:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m. **NOLA 2025 Alternative Spring Break Experience**
Danielle Austin, Faiza Syed, Jonathan Copper, Sean O'Brien (Honors), Harish Rayalapati, Harshavardhan Varma Datla, Atzihi Guido (Honors), Vilas Jadhav, & Chaitanya Vepareddygari
D1496
CSEIP
- 1:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m. **NOA: A Music Film**
Taylor Rogers
D34005
CAS/DAL
- 1:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. **Perspectives on Project-Based Learning at Governors State University**
Amy Bala, Eliot Fackler, Robert Garcia, Deborah King, & Mary Carrington
D34104
CGS
- 2 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. **Nurturing Future World Changers: Fundamentals of Brain Development (Workshop)**
Dr. Wanikka Vance-Clark
D2401A
CEHD
- 2 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. **Bio Track: The Bionic Pendant for Rehab & Emergency Support**
Myadam Prerana
D1497
CHHS
- 2 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. **THURSDAY POSTER SESSION 2**
(full roster of posters begins next page)
D2400 Library
- 2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. **Discovering Prompt Engineering: A Qualitative Study of Nonexpert Teachers' Interactions with ChatGPT**
Katherine Carl & Christopher Dignam
D34011
COB /AFME
- 2:30 p.m. – 3 p.m. **Profit with Purpose: How CSR Drives Financial Success**
Brenda Encinas Vega (Honors)
D1497
COB

2 - 3:15 p.m. POSTERS IN HEALTHCARE (CHHS)

1. The Effects of Health Insurance and Mental Health

Dr. Andrew Kim

2. Evaluating Sleep Quality Among Shift-Working Nurses: The Role of Healthcare Administration in Mitigating Challenges

Dr. Ali Demirbas

3. Nursing Retention Through Leadership Development

Somi Nagaraj, DNP, MSN, RN, CSSGB, CONTL

4. Enhancing Stroke Awareness Through Interprofessional Education and Collaboration

Somi Nagaraj, DNP, MSN, RN, CSSGB, CONTL, Dr. Camille O'Quinn, Dr. Cynthia Carr, Dr. Keith Werosh, Dr. Nancy MacMullen, Ms. Tareylon Chairse, & Dr. Tonya Roberson

5. Illinoisan Adolescent Use of Cannabis, Electronic Cigarettes, and Combustible Tobacco

Dr. Kai-Wen Cheng & Frank Czuba DrOT, OTR/L

POSTERS IN OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY (CHHS)

6. Enhancing Interprofessional Collaboration Integrating Health Administration and Occupational Therapy Perspectives in Adolescent Polysubstance Use and Its Impact Upon Health and Wellness

Frank Czuba DrOT, OTR/L & Dr. Kai-Wen Cheng

7. Exploring Interprofessional Collaborative Practice and Occupational Therapy's Contribution

Frank Czuba DrOT, OTR/L, Grace Bette OTS, Jacob Jackowski OTS, Kaley Sheehan OTS, & Alicia K. Watson OTS

8. Fieldwork Educator Use of Knowledge Translation during Occupational Therapy Level II Fieldwork

Kelly Dunn OTS, Yuanqin Liu OTS, Chandler Mahood OTS, Rachel Paw OTS, Dustin Hogan MOT, OTR/L, Dr. Caren Schranz DrOT, MS, OTR/L

9. Gambling Amongst College Students, the Intersection of Occupational Balance and Financial Literacy: A Scoping Review

Luther King DrOT, OTR/L, CDRS, Kennedy Blackwell, OTS; Alexis Golden, OTS; Rachel Peterson, OTS, & Sandra Pisarek, OTS

10. The Impact of External Dorsal Stream Visual Feedback on LE Excursion in Healthy Individuals

Anastasia Barron, Kaylee Gillund, Yajaira Quinones, Charles Morrow

Posters continued on next page

2 - 3:15 p.m. **POSTERS IN OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY (CHHS)** *continued*

11. The Perceived Benefits of Community Senior Cafes and the Potential Effects on Occupational Engagement

Dr. Cynthia Carr, Jeshua Banks, OTS, Eric Garcia, OTS, Nikayla Gordon, OTS, Paige Oliver, OTS, Kajal Patel, OTS, Janhvi Sheth, OTS, Emmie Stanifer, OTS, & Stacy Tokarz, OTS

12. Perceived Effectiveness of University Resources in Decreasing Graduate Healthcare Student Stress Levels

Rebecca Kvasnicka DrOT, MOT, OTR/L, Alyssa Kraus, Landry Ludwig, Nayeli Orozco, & Kaitlyn Slager

13. The Rise of Artificial Intelligence in Graduate Healthcare Programs

Erin Simpson DrOT, MOT, OTR/L, Rachael Hinkel OTS, Kenna Kleinert OTS, Colin O'Donnell OTS, & Martina Youssef OTS

POSTERS IN PHYSICAL THERAPY (CHHS)

14. Blood Flow Restriction Training for a Patient with Chronic Incomplete Spinal Cord Injury

Krystal Pena, SPT, Kaylee Jawoisz, SPT, & Colton Rydlewski, SPT

15. The Current State of Mindfulness-Based Interventions Amongst Allied Health Care Professionals: A Scoping Review

Jennifer Rivera, Madison Deacon, Michaela Patterson, & Kayla Callahan

16. Determinants of Clinical Practice Guideline Use by DPT and PTA Students

Heather Carrero, SPT, Colton Dolak, SPT, & Jessica Lopez, SPT

17. Identification of Barriers to Access Pelvic Health

Jazmin Barragan, SPT & Sessily Gianakos, SPT

18. Impact of Minimal Dosing of High Intensity Task Specific Practice on Upper and Lower Extremity Function for a person of 15 years:

A Retrospective Case Report

Shantez Branch, Jesse Bruzan, & Justin Gibson

19. The Relationship Between Migraines and the Gut-Brain Axis from the Physical Therapy Scope: A Scoping Review

Kanita Kurtovic, Tristan Coulter, & Cameron Williams

20. Spasticity and Ultrasound Imaging: A Retrospective Study

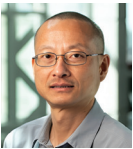
Jeffrey Cartwright, Krishna Patel, & Kerri Twietmeyer

Closing Keynote Panel Presentation

Thursday, April 17 | 3:30 – 4:45 p.m. | Engbretson Hall

Smart Logistics, Real Impact: Research for the Public Good

The Advancing Smart Logistics (ASL) initiative, a National Science Foundation Engine, aims to build a collaborative ecosystem focused on developing and deploying innovative, sustainable, and equitable transportation logistics solutions for the public good. By bringing together diverse stakeholders from academia, industry, government, and communities, ASL will foster knowledge sharing through innovation hubs, workforce development programs, and strategic investments, addressing critical challenges like environmental justice, economic opportunity, and supply chain resilience. This initiative seeks to ensure that the benefits of technological advancements in areas such as automation, cybersecurity, and green technologies are broadly accessible, while also maintaining U.S. leadership in this crucial sector, ultimately creating a more efficient, resilient, and inclusive logistics future.



Xin Chen, Ph.D., is a Professor of Industrial Engineering at Southern Illinois University Edwardsville. His research focuses on network and knowledge-centric collaborative control with applications in supply chain logistics, air and airport traffic control, critical infrastructure protection and management, energy distribution, and social networks.



Reggie Greenwood has significant experience in education, public economic development, and private sector management of manufacturing companies. He is currently the Executive Director for the Chicago Southland Economic Development Corporation and the Director of the Supply Chain Innovation Center and Business Incubator at Governors State University. Reggie has worked with multiple partners to develop an Integrated Education, Workforce and Economic Development Strategy for the Chicago Southland.



Naira Hovakimyan, Ph.D. is currently W. Grafton and Lillian B. Wilkins Professor of Mechanical Science and Engineering and the Director of AVIATE Center of UIUC. She is a Fellow of AIAA, IEEE, ASME, and senior member of NAI, and she is cofounder and chief scientist of Intelinair. Her work was featured in the New York Times, on Fox TV and CNBC.

She is the 2011 recipient of *AIAA Mechanics and Control of Flight Award*, the 2015 recipient of *SWE Achievement Award*, the 2017 recipient of *IEEE CSS Award for Technical Excellence in Aerospace Controls*, and the 2019 recipient of *AIAA Pendray Aerospace Literature Award*. In 2014 she was awarded the *Humboldt* prize for her lifetime achievements.



Panel Chair & Discussant: Olu Ijose, Ph.D. has significant experience as a faculty, in university administration, grants writing and program management, and private sector management consulting and business operations. He is currently an Associate Provost and Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs at Governors State University. Olu is responsible for contract administration, academic technology, faculty development and grants for the Provost Office. As a professor, Olu teaches International Business, Strategic Management, Labor Relations, Organizational Behavior, Principles of Management and a variety of Human Resource Management courses.

Virtual Presentations & Posters

On-Demand (Prerecorded) | Available from April 16

Beyond the Sitcom: An Examination of Grief in WandaVision

Victoria Sweeney

Completing the Picture of Managing Dysphagia Diets Across Healthcare Settings: The Qualitative Data

Dr. Danielle Osmelak, Ms. Marissa Van De Weg, & Dr. Naomi Gurevich

Race and Gender Bias in Sports Media

Jovanni Salazar

High-Impact Learning Activity for the Higher-Ed Classroom: Infographics as Practical Application

Dr. Lara Stache & Dr. Jillian Klean Zwilling

Mentorship in Higher Education: Building Connections for Student Success

Anne Frosh & Dr. Deborah King

On-Demand Sessions

[Click here to view the On-Demand Sessions](#)

Scan the QR code to visit the site:



Acknowledgments

Office of the Provost

GovState Research Days 2025 Development Committee

Dr. Olumide Ijose, Committee Chair

Dr. Jan Figa

Dr. David Rhea

Lily Morgan

Erin Sheffner

Dr. Anna Bernadska

GovState Library Staff

Special Thanks to Victoria Karnes & Sally Snyder

Office of Marketing & Communications

Special thanks to Carolyn Hamilton & Lauren Lewis

Digital Learning & Media Design

GovState Print Shop

Information Technology Services





Research Days 2025

GOVERNORS STATE UNIVERSITY

April 16 – 17

Click on the links below to find out more and view the presentation sessions online!

Research Days 2025

[Click here for the Research Days site](#)

Scan the QR code to visit the site



On-Demand Sessions

[Click here to view the On-Demand Sessions](#)

Scan the QR code to visit the site







Research Days

GOVERNORS STATE UNIVERSITY

April 16 – 17



An Illinois Public University