

# CCNY

## THE CITY COLLEGE FELLOWSHIPS PROGRAM TENTH ANNUAL RESEARCH CONFERENCE

Coffee 9:30 - 10:15

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Welcome: 10:15

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Prof. Susan Besse, Director, Mellon Mays Undergraduate Fellowship and City College Fellowship Programs

**Panel I 10:30 - 12:00 Moderator: Hoang Nguyen**

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Chaturanga de Silva, Using natural dye to efficiently harvest the sun's energy in producing dye sensitized solar cells

Eliezer Posner, Connect the dots: Presentations of diagram algebras

Luke Hwang, Biorefinery concept: An approach to the synthesis of molecular gels

**Panel II 10:30 - 12:00 Moderator: Rene Cordero**

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Emilie Gruchow, Executive Insubordination: Judge Advocates and Military Law Reform within the 21st-Century Military Commissions System

Zachary Mazur, Death of a Spy: The Performance of Political Violence and the Nation on Trial in Habsburg Krakow

Adam Dikker, The Mission Behind Mission U.S.: Public History and the Recovery of American Education

Lunch 12:15 - 1:15

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Speaker: Dr. David Lohman, Building an Academic Career

Awarding of medals to seniors

**Panel III 1:30 - 3:30 Moderator: Rebecca Panko**

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Roy Song, Modeling the molecular mechanism of GluR1 phosphorylation and membrane insertion in neuron

Elva Yang, The evolution of the butterfly genus *Euploea* and the effects of Pleistocene climate change on the phylogeography of *E. mulciber* (Lepidoptera:Nymphalidae:Danainae)

Miguel Briones, Blocking dopamine in the nucleus accumbens disrupts a reward-directed response

**Panel IV 1:30 - 3:30 Moderator: Christen Pruitt**

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Kaydian Campbell, Male Friendships in the Political Climate of Edward II

Agata Tumilowicz, Performing the Revolution: Street Theater in France 1968 and Belarus 2012

Eduardo Lerro, "His Own Spirit Unto My Soul": Political Resistance and Religious Authority in George Eliot's *Romola*

Joshua Clough, Exile and Ethnography: Jacques Roumain and the Problem of Place in French and Haitian National Thought, 1927-1944

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