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Jesse Rakoske, “War and Democratization—A Case Study: The Bulgarian Experience of World War I”
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Mara Chinelli, “Seeking Multiple Subjectivities: A Critique of Born into Brothels”


NATURAL & APPLIED SCIENCES
Madeline Yin, “The Electronic Effects of the Substituent on the Reactant Olefin on Product Selectivity in Catalytic Olefin Cross-Metathesis”
Written for: Advanced Laboratory Techniques (CHM 234W), Professor Patrick Holland

Honorable Mention
Sofia Melgarejo and Eric Nielsen, “Synthesis of the Glutamatergic and GABAergic Hypotheses as they Explain the Role of Chandelier Neurons in Working Memory Deficits Observed in Schizophrenia”

Diego A. Vasquez, “Integrating Chemical, Isotopic and Optical Analyses in Cosmochemistry”

HUMANITIES
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Jessica Blum, “Sensing Consciousness: Signifying ‘Awake’”

Gabrielle Cornish, “‘Ah Dolente Partita’: Monteverdi’s Bridge Between Two Ages”

WRT 105/105E
Written for: An Introduction to Scientific Argument (WRT 105E), Professor Ben Duncan

Honorable Mention

Alexis Ginsberg, “Female Genital Mutilation Victims: Persecution or Protection?”