Friday, November 30th
Kennamer Room, Powell Bldg.

11:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Introductory Remarks, Dr. Linda Frost, Director Honors Program

12:00-12:30 p.m.
The Political Memoir Used as a Powerful Campaign Tool: A Deeper Look into President Barack Obama’s Memoir the Audacity of Hope: Thoughts on Reclaiming the American Dream and Mitt Romney’s No Apology: The Case for American Greatness
Megan Gosnell, presenter
Dr. Steve Barracca, mentor

12:30-1:00 p.m.
Connecting Universities with Their Communities and Students
Erica Childress, presenter
Dr. Marc Whitt, mentor
Sarah Casteel, discussant

1:00-1:30 p.m.
A Drunkard’s Burden: Existential Thought in the Prose of Charles Bukowski
Chris Thurman, presenter
Dr. Chris Neumann, mentor
Megan Gosnell, discussant

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1:30-2:00 p.m.
IPads in the Elementary Classroom
Michelle Butler, presenter
Dr. Rodney White, mentor
Tyler Newman, discussant

2:00-2:30 p.m.
The Historical and Continuing Impacts of the Lock System in the Kentucky River
Tyler Newman, presenter
Dr. Sherry Harrel, mentor
Michelle Butler, discussant

2:30-2:45 p.m. Break

2:45-3:15 p.m.
Parent Involvement: What It Does For a Child in School
Ariel DeMoisey, presenter
Ms. Lisa Gannoe, mentor
Trey Lashbrook, discussant

3:15-3:45 p.m.
Literature Review on Empirically Validated Autism Interventions for Children
Suzanna Lagerroos, presenter
Dr. Jonathan Gore, mentor
Ariel DeMoisey, discussant

3:45-4:15 p.m.
Climbing Mountains: How One Community is Beating the Odds
Trey Lashbrook, presenter
Dr. William Hatcher, mentor
Suzanna Lagerroos, discussant

4:15-4:30 Break

4:30-5:00 p.m.
The Unrealistic Image of Teachers in Popular Media
Megan Steele, presenter
Dr. Rodney White, mentor
Rebecca Reynolds, discussant

5:00-5:30 p.m.
The American Evolution of Avant Garde Poetry
Kelsey Gilbreath, presenter
Ms. Christina Lovin, mentor
Megan Steele, discussant

5:30-6:00 p.m.
Fashion of the Tudors: How 16th-Century Trends Adapt to the 21st-Century Runway
Rebecca Reynolds, presenter
Ms. Susan Kipp, mentor
Kelsey Gilbreath, discussant

6:00-7:30 p.m. Reception

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