

**Department of Psychology**  
**Graduate Research Colloquium**  
September 1, 2017

1:00 p.m. Stuart Marcovitch – Introduction and Welcome  
Levi Baker – Presentation of Awards

**Session I**

1:15 p.m. Shannon Adcock – *Borderline personality disorder and prosocial behavior*

1:30 p.m. Sudheera Ranaweera – *Friendship, emotion dysregulation, and borderline personality disorder features*

1:45 p.m. Matthew Welhaf – *Individual differences in the intentionality of mind wandering*

2:00 p.m. Andrea Yuly – *Investigating children's perceptions of gender ambiguity*

2:15 p.m. Kathleen Maloney – *Hedonic experiences in a lab task and in daily life*

2:30 p.m. Rachel Croce – *Character or content? Children's decisions in selective social learning*

2:45 p.m. Coffee Break

**Session II**

3:00 p.m. Gail Corneau – *The cortisol awakening response and depression: A meta-analysis in progress*

3:15 p.m. Maria Ditcheva – *Trait-like depression risk factors and cortisol reactivity to lab-induced stress: A meta-analysis examining stressor severity*

3:30 p.m. Jack Kuhns – *Reducing older adults' memory avoidance with schematic support*

3:45 p.m. Natalie Gay – *A comparison of PTSD & subthreshold PTSD network structures*

4:00 p.m. Sabrina Rose – *Unattractive and unaware: Exploring the inaccuracy of self-perceptions of attractiveness*

4:15 p.m. Jaimie Lunsford – *Emotion differentiation: A daily diary study*

4:30 p.m. Jonathan Latta – *The consistency of hand preference across childhood*

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