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Research Presentations from Dillard College Students and Faculty at UGRCA Forum

Oral Presentations:

Awarded First Place
Federica Bove, *Commercial Real Estate Lending Among Community Banks: An Empirical Assessment*
Management, Marketing, and Legal Studies
Faculty Mentors: Dr. John Martinez, Dr. Robert Forrester

Awarded Second Place
Kaushik Shah, *Hyperledger/Blockchain and Fraud: The Good, the Bad and the Ugly*
Accounting and Management Information Systems
Faculty Mentor: Dr. Paul San Miguel

Simon Ospina, *The Impact of NWTSBDC Centers on Entrepreneurial Success: A Comparative Study*
Economics, Finance, and General Business
Faculty Mentors: Dr. Scott Manley, Dr. Geoffrey Clegg

Korey Beaver, Pete Lerma, Michael Davis, Chandler Johnson, *Student Retention Issues at MSU Texas*
Management, Marketing, and Legal Studies
Faculty Mentor: Dr. Thuy D. Nguyen

Federica Bove, Ashley Baird, *Organizational Citizenship Behaviors in Millennials: An Exploratory Study and Measurement Development*
Management, Marketing, and Legal Studies
Faculty Mentors: Dr. Shih Yung Chou, Dr. Charles Ramser
Jordan Entler, *Power of the Peacemakers: Mediation in a Global Economy*
Management, Marketing, and Legal Studies
Faculty Mentor: Dr. Charles D. Bultena

**Poster Presentation:**

*Awarded First Place*

Taylor McCreary, *The emotion behind how they built it: A comparative study of how diverse entrepreneurs express emotion while describing their entrepreneurial journey*
Faculty Mentor: Dr. Niyati Kataria

**DCOBA Special Session: Forecasting Competition**

Kaushik Shah, *Forecast of the Spot Exchange Rate between the U.S. Dollar and the United Kingdom Pound*
Accounting and Management Information Systems
Faculty Mentors: Dr. Pablo Garcia-Fuentes, Dr. Joseph Smalley

Carolynda Welcome, *Forecast of the Standard and Poor's (S&P) 500 index*
Economics, Finance, and General Business
Faculty Mentors: Dr. Pablo Garcia-Fuentes, Dr. Joseph Smalley

Erick Gamboa, *Forecast of the Spot Exchange Rate between the Swiss Franc and the U.S. Dollar*
Economics, Finance, and General Business
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Federica Bove, *Forecast of the Spot Exchange Rate between the Euro and the U.S. Dollar*
Management, Marketing, and Legal Studies
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Jacob Elder, *Forecast of the National Association of Securities Dealers Automated Quotations (NASDAQ) index*
Economics, Finance, and General Business
Faculty Mentors: Dr. Pablo Garcia-Fuentes, Dr. Joseph Smalley

Zanu Laudat, *Forecast of the Spot exchange Rate between the Japanese Yen and the U.S. Dollar*
Economics, Finance, and General Business
Faculty Mentors: Dr. Pablo Garcia-Fuentes, Dr. Joseph Smalley

Zihao Wu, *Forecast of the Spot Exchange Rate between the Chinese Yuan and the U.S. Dollar*
Economics, Finance, & General Business
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