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Research Presentations from Dillard College Students and Faculty at UGRCA Forum

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Alyssa Dimmick Velazquez, Kervelle Guiste, *Forecast of the U.S. Unemployment Rate*
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Awarded Runner-Up for DCOBA
Preston Sanderson, Kaushik Shah, *Forecast of the Standard and Poor's (S&P) 500 and Dow Jones Industrial Average Indexes*
Economics, Finance and General Business
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Kaushik Shah, Zihao Wu. *On the Determinants of OECD Foreign Direct Investment in Sub-Saharan Africa*
Economics, Finance, and General Business
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Lexis Brickhouse, Issac Nunez, Jose Ramirez, Hongji Zhan. *Factors Influencing MBA Enrollment*
Management and Marketing
Faculty Mentor: Dr. Thuy Nguyen

RJ Sayler, *Coffee Prices*
Accounting and Management Information Systems
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Poster Presentation:

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**Megan Widner, *Commercialization Development in Low-Earth Orbit: What are the Keys to Sustainability?***
Management and Marketing
Faculty Mentor: Dr. Jeff Stambaugh