A SYMPOSIUM dedicated
to sharing the scholarly and
creative pursuits of faculty, staff,
and students at SUNY Oswego.

Wednesday, April 19, 2006
Hewitt Union, Lanigan Hall
& Penfield Library
8:30 am to 5:00 pm

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PURPOSE of
QUEST ’06

The Scholarly and Creative Activities Committee
and the Office of Research and Sponsored
Programs are proud to sponsor Quest ’06. The
purposes of this conference are the following:

■ to encourage and recognize faculty, students, and
  staff engaged in scholarly and creative activities at
  Oswego.

■ to provide an opportunity for faculty, students, and
  staff to share their scholarly and creative efforts
  and communicate across disciplines.

■ to help students share their scholarly and creative
  work, develop an appreciation for the diversity of
  creative and research activity at Oswego, and
  identify faculty with whom they may wish to study.
Keynote Speaker
Robert J. Spitzer Ph.D.

The Bush Presidency and the Unitary Theory of Executive Power

Wednesday, April 19, 11:00 am
Hewitt Union Ballroom

ROBERT J. SPITZER (Ph.D. Cornell, 1980) is a Distinguished Service Professor of Political Science at the State University of New York, College at Cortland. His books include The Presidency and Public Policy (1983), The Right to Life Movement and Third Party Politics (1987), The Presidential Veto (1988), The Bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution (1990), President and Congress (1993), Media and Public Policy (1993), The Politics of Gun Control (1995; 2nd ed. 1998; 3rd ed. 2004), Politics and Constitutionalism (2000), The Right to Bear Arms (2001), Essentials of American Politics (co-authored, 2002; 2nd ed. 2006), and The Presidency and the Constitution (co-authored, 2005). He is also Series Editor for the book series American Constitutionalism for SUNY Press. He received the SUNY Chancellor’s Award for Excellence in Scholarship in 2003. Spitzer is the author of over 200 articles, essays, and papers appearing in many journals and books on a variety of American politics subjects. He formerly served as President of the Presidency Research Group of the American Political Science Association. He also served as a member of the New York State Commission on the Bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution, and has testified before Congress on several occasions, most recently before the U.S. Senate Judiciary Committee on the meaning of the Second Amendment’s right to bear arms. Spitzer has appeared on NBC’s Today Show ABC’s Good Morning America and Network Nightly News PBS’s News Hour With Jim Lehrer CNN’s NewsStand CNN & Co. and Insight CNBC’s Upfront Tonight NHK Television (Japan), the documentary film Guns and Mothers (aired on PBS on May 13, 2003) and has been quoted in or by the New York Times, the Washington Post, Time Magazine, the Los Angeles Times, USA Today, the Wall Street Journal, the Christian Science Monitor, the Boston Globe, the Chicago Tribune, the Philadelphia Inquirer, the Miami Herald, the Dallas Morning News, the Detroit Free Press, the Kansas City Star, the Seattle Post-Intelligencer, Orlando Sentinel, Newsday, the Denver Post, Toronto Globe, Congress Daily, The Hill, Rolling Stone, the National Journal, The Nation, The Spectator, Reuters, AP, Gannett, Knight Ridder, the BBC (Britain), CBC (Canada), ABC News Online, Fox News Online, National Public Radio, and CBS Radio, among others. His op-ed articles on gun control and other subjects have appeared in many newspapers around the country.
BRIEF HISTORY OF QUEST

In 1979, the Scholarly and Creativity Activities Committee (SCAC), then known as the Faculty Research Committee (FRC), attempted to come up with ways to encourage research on campus. One suggestion was to have a Scholarly Activities at Oswego Conference Day, where faculty could present their research to the campus community. The Committee decided to ask the administration for permission to hold such a conference the following spring, and FRC Chair Helen Daly took the proposal to the administration. They reluctantly agreed, adding that we should not be disappointed by lack of participation, since “Oswego is a teaching college.” Quest had an impressive 77 presentations that first year.

Helen accepted the responsibility of organizing Quest. Originally scheduled for March 25, delays in printing the programs forced the presentation date to be changed to April 23. It was decided to call the conference “Quest ’80” after our quest for knowledge and the year.

In the opening session, Helen Daly gave introductory remarks. Assistant Provost Gubbi Sachidanandan (Sachi) introduced President Virginia Radley, who spoke on “Reasons Why,” and Provost Ralph Spencer, who spoke on “Quest for What.” After the first successful Quest, the FRC petitioned administration to approve Quest Day the following year. The administration was again dubious that faculty would find enough new material to have Quest every year, but reluctantly agreed to Quest ’81. That year Quest had fewer participants, but still had an honorable 56 presentations. After the second Quest, the administration knew Quest would be a successful annual program, and canceled classes for Quest ’82 for the first time. The following year Quest included Honors Convocation and again classes were canceled for Quest ’83, and this practice has continued ever since. Quest ’83 also offered the first President’s Award for Creative and Scholarly Activity and Research and the first Sigma Xi lecture the eve of Quest.

In 1980, all of the Quest presentations were in Hewitt Union. For Quest ’93, Lanigan was used extensively for the first time. Now Quest is spread between Hewitt Union and Lanigan Hall, with special programs offered in Tyler Hall and Penfield Library.

Few students presented their work in the original Quest ’80; now students give the majority of presentations. Quest ’04 even offered a presentation by a deaf student with the help of a signer. Quest ’96 was dedicated to the memory of Helen Daly, because she took the concept of Quest and turned it into reality.

After running Quest for three years, Dr. Daly asked to break in a new person for Quest ’83 to take over the following year. Others that have chaired or co-chaired the Quest Subcommittee include Jack Narayan, Warren Flint, Vince D’Ambrosio, Said Atri, Joe LeFevre, Karen Nicholas, Terry Hammill, Nola Heidlebaugh, Mary Loel, Alok Kumar, Al Lackey and Sarfraz Mian. In 1995, SCAC petitioned the administration for help in running Quest, and in 1996, Bill Bosch began chairing the Quest Subcommittee in his capacity as Director of CELT.
A Distinguished Teaching Professor of Psychology at SUNY Oswego, Dr. Helen B. Daly was internationally known for her work on the behavioral effects of pollutants. She directed the Center of Neurobehavioral Effects of Environmental Toxins at SUNY Oswego. Her keynote address on this topic at the biennial meeting of the International Joint Commission on the health of the Great Lakes in September in Minnesota received national media attention. This fall the American Association for the Advancement of Science named her an AAAS fellow in recognition of her work in this area and in the psychology of learning. Along with her husband, Dr. John T. Daly of SUNY Oswego’s mathematics department, she made a major contribution toward developing a mathematical model of learning.

Daly was a fellow of the American Psychological Association. Her research over the years was funded by major grants from the National Science Foundation, National Institute of Mental Health, Great Lakes Protection Fund and Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry and had been published in the leading journals of experimental and physiological psychology and learning. She was co-author with her colleague Dr. Kenneth M. Rosenberg of a textbook, Foundations of Behavioral Research, published in 1993. She served for four years on the National Institute of Mental Health grants review panel, and her expertise was sought by the National Science Foundation as a grants reviewer.

She joined the SUNY Oswego faculty in 1968, received the SUNY Chancellor’s Award for Excellence in Teaching 1986 and the SUNY Oswego President’s Award for Creative and Scholarly Activity and Research in 1985. She was promoted to distinguished teaching professor, a rank above full professor, by the SUNY Board of Trustees in 1989. Last year she received a gold medal for sponsored research at SUNY Oswego in recognition of her success in obtaining research grants.

At Oswego, she was a founder of the college’s annual Quest Day, in which students, faculty and staff devote a day to sharing their scholarly, research and creative activities. She was active in the college’s honors program in psychology.

In the community, Daly was active in local environmental organizations, including Ecology Action of Oswego.

She received her bachelor’s degree in psychology in 1963 from Harpur College of SUNY Binghamton and her doctoral degree in 1966 from the University of Rochester. She was a postdoctoral fellow of the National Institute of Mental Health at Syracuse University from 1966 to 1968.

In addition to her teaching at Oswego, she was affiliated on a visiting basis with Yale University, the University of California at San Diego and at Irvine, and the University of Texas at Austin.

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Starting at 12:00

Math Mystery Object Boxes
Susan Chan, Stacey Clark, Jenna Lusardi, Melissa Joy Newmark, Audrey C. Rule, Erin Turner, Julie Wellington (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)

Comparing Camp Experiences
Liana Herman, Audrey Rule, Carolyn Mckeever (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)
Sponsor: Audrey Rule

Fracture and Kinematic Analysis of the Indian Lake Fault Zone, Central Adirondack Mountains, New York
Eugene Kush, Noah Mantaro, David Valentino (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: David Valentino

Assessing the Internal Architecture of Glacial Till at Rice Creek Field Station Using Electrical Resistivity Techniques
Kelli Jo Hoover (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: David Valentino

Bedrock Geology and Deformation History for Wellesley Island, Thousand Islands, New York
Kevin Rietz, David Valentino (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: David Valentino

Deformation and Metamorphic Conditions for the Eastern Flank of Snowy Mountain Dome, Central Adirondack Mountains, New York
Noah Mantaro (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: David Valentino

Magnetic Survey and Geophysical Modeling of Oswego County, New York
Laura Bianchi, Jessica Gawron, Shanna Severance, Noah Mantaro (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: David Valentino

What Predicts Male Commitment?
Rebecca Burch, Daniel Hipp (PSYCHOLOGY)

The Effect of Paternal Absence
Rebecca Burch, Kyle McAuliffe (PSYCHOLOGY)

Gender Differences in Behavior
Rebecca Burch, Regan Moloney (PSYCHOLOGY)

The Effect of the Menstrual Cycle
Rebecca Burch, Courtney Condon (PSYCHOLOGY)

Combining Mediums
Richard Mulye (ART)
Sponsor: Michael Thomas
Life and Death Study and Reflections on SPE National Conference, Chicago, 2006  
Sarah Nesbitt (ART)  
Sponsor: Julieve Jubin

The Forgotten Cure  
Tasia Sawyer (BIOLOGY)  
Sponsor: Kamal Mohame

Light as a Medium  
Mark Millanti (ART)  
Sponsor: Julieve Jubin

Fracture Trace Analysis of the Bedrock Under Lake Ontario using High-Resolution Infrared Imagery, Oswego, New York  
Joshua D. Valentino (EARTH SCIENCES)  
Sponsor: David Valentino

Corruption  
James Strail (PUBLIC JUSTICE)  
Sponsor: Andrew Smiler

Children of Deployed Parents  
Laura Lenker, Jennifer Palmer (COUNSELING AND PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES)  
Sponsor: Betsy Wateman
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| 8:45 | **Heavy Metals in Typha Glauc**  
Daniel George (CHEMISTRY)  
Sponsor: Jeffery Schneider |
| 9:00 | **Carbohydrate Profiles of Wheat Malt using High Performance Liquid Chromatography**  
Patricia Dutton (CHEMISTRY)  
Sponsor: Jeffery Schneider |
| 9:15 | **Carbohydrate Profiles of Spelt**  
Shawn Larson (CHEMISTRY)  
Sponsor: Jeffery Schneider  
CHAIR: KESTAS BENDINSKAS |
| 9:40 | **Enzymatic GHB Detection**  
Daniel Dempsey (CHEMISTRY)  
Sponsor: Kestas Bendinskas |
| 9:55 | **Glycosidation of Carbohydrates**  
Katherine Cook (CHEMISTRY)  
Sponsor: Kestas Bendinskas |
| 10:10 | **Genetics and Obesity**  
Patricia Sattelberg (CHEMISTRY)  
Sponsor: Kestas Bendinskas |
| 10:25 | **Digestion/Detection of Sugars**  
Kelly Wallace (CHEMISTRY)  
Sponsor: Kestas Bendinskas  
CHAIR: JOSEPH LEFEVRE |
| 1:00 | **Isolation of Natural Products from Mauby Bark**  
Yueyun Long (CHEMISTRY)  
Sponsor: Joseph LeFevre |
| 1:15 | **Derivatives of Betulonic Acid**  
Erin Dunigan (CHEMISTRY)  
Sponsor: Joseph LeFevre |
| 1:30 | **Selective Oxidation of Betulin Isolated from Betula papyrifera**  
Michael Bovino (CHEMISTRY)  
Sponsor: Joseph LeFevre |
1:45  **The Molybdenum Cluster**
    James Guernsey (CHEMISTRY)
    Sponsor: Raymond O’Donnell

2:00  **Molybdinum Cluster Anions**
    Michael Bovino (MODERN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES)
    Sponsor: Johanna Henry

    CHAIR: LAWRENCE FULLER

2:30  **HPLC Determination of Taurine**
    Sheila Soltani (CHEMISTRY)
    Sponsor: Lawrence Fuller

2:45  **Proteomic Analysis of Toxic Algae, “Blowing In a Local Water Body”**
    John Merchant (CHEMISTRY)
    Sponsor: Andy Ouellette

3:00  **Counseling the Terminally Ill**
    Robert Palazzo, Ashlee Seguin, Tami Sapoznikov, Lillian Okumu, Sheena Roberts, Lyndsey Stewart (COUNSELING AND PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES)
    Sponsor: Jodi Mullen

    LANIGAN 102
    CHAIR: PAUL STEWART

8:30  **Critical Thinking in College**
    Nora Gannon (PSYCHOLOGY)
    Sponsor: Paul Stewart

8:45  **Affect and Cigarette Smoking**
    Richard Slagle (PSYCHOLOGY)
    Sponsor: Paul Stewart

9:00  **Prozac and Impulse Control**
    Laren Sartor (PSYCHOLOGY)
    Sponsor: Paul Stewart

9:15  **Closeness and Interdependency**
    Erin Marean (PSYCHOLOGY)
    Sponsor: Laura Brown

    CHAIR: LEIGH BACHER

9:40  **Gender Effects on Cooperation**
    James Liddle (PSYCHOLOGY)
    Sponsor: Rebecca Burch

9:55  **First Year Self-Efficacy**
    Kyle Emich (PSYCHOLOGY)
    Sponsor: Mark Morey
10:10  Insights from Infant Blinking
Leigh Bacher, Katie Lewis, Kate Wynkoop, Josh Norton, Nancy Zielinski, Leigh Ann Hubbard, Bethany Leece, Rachel Estep, Amanda Hernandez, Matt Wolf
(Psychology)

10:25  Determining the Contributing Factors of Successful Aging
Jennifer Hawley (Sociology)
Sponsor: Laura Brown

CHAIR: JAMES MCDouGAL AND AUDREY HAGER (O∆K)

1:00  Learning from the Hopi
Mary Frances Stuck (Sociology)

1:15  Targeting First Graders at Risk for Early Reading Failure
Edythe Russell, Jennifer Palmer (Counseling and Psychological Services)
Sponsor: James McDougal

1:30  Determining Individually Tailored Reading Interventions using Brief Experimental Analysis
Catherine Giamartino, Kelly Loveless, Jesse Milliman, Heidi Claridge, Corey Shaw (Counseling and Psychological Services)
Sponsor: James McDougal

1:45  State of the Alt.: A Brief Overview of Alternatively Formatted Educational Materials
Corey Shaw (Counseling and Psychological Services)
Sponsor: James McDougal

2:00  Rap Therapy
Mariel Anderson (Counseling and Psychological Services)
Sponsor: Jody Fiorini

CHAIR: MARK MOREY

2:30  A Summary of the Learning-Centered College Interview Project
Mark Morey, James Nichols, Paul Tomascak (COLT)

2:45  Community in DL Courses
Mary Frances Stuck, Mary Ware (Sociology)

3:00  The Un-Truth of Memoir
Brandon Maxam (English)
Sponsor: Ira Sukrungruang

3:15  In Your FaceBook
Robin McAleese (Student Affairs)
8:30 Literacy-Art-Pedagogy-Drama
Dennis Parsons, Wendy Ballard, Deidre Cohen, Joan Dain, April Fairchild, Megan Green, Evelyn Kreiley, Melisa Joy Newmark, Sarah Scherer, Pamela Slaver, Jennifer Storke, Raymond Trumble, Malissa Walker, Kathy Carroll (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)

9:45 You Can Walk A Mile in Their Shoes
Virginia MacEntee (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)
CHAIR: JOHANNA HENRY

1:00 Interdisciplinary Spanish
Ximena Castillo-Galvez, Erin Place (MODERN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES)

1:15 German Research Translation
Vincent Scalfani (MODERN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES)
Sponsor: Johanna Henry

1:30 Neurobiology of Learning
John Tilert (MODERN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES)
Sponsor: Johanna Henry

1:45 Distant Transfer of Pollutants
Dustin Goodwin (MODERN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES)
Sponsor: Johanna Henry

2:00 Oxcarbazepine vs Carbamazepine
Kyle Payne (DEPARTMENT OF MODERN LANGUAGE)
Sponsor: Johanna Henry

2:30 Testing Science - Consumerism
Eric Olson, Mary Cree, Laura DeYoung, Sarah Dolan, Michele Long, Starr McGrath, Natasha Moore, Carrie Orr, Danielle Phillips, Jessica Reap, Tara Shimer, Alicin Welsh, Edward Winheld (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)

3:20 Constructivist Teaching From Kindergarten through Graduate School
Anne Fairbrother, Wendy Ballard (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)

8:30 An Analysis of the Contributions of Upstream Moisture Sources to Precipitation of Lake Effect Snowstorms
Mathew Szwejbka (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: Robert Ballentine, Steven Skubis

8:45 The Dryline and its Effects on Convective Initiation
Christopher Thuman (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: Steven Skubis
9:00 The Effect of a Significant Heat Island on Two Small Cities in NY
Christopher Thuman (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: Alfred Stamm

9:15 An Analysis of Model Simulations of Lake-effect Snow Bands to
Heat and Moisture Fluxes
Mathew Szwejbka (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: Robert Ballentine, Steven Skubis

CHAIR: PAUL TOMASCAK

9:40 Geochemistry of Migmatites
Ashley Cirmo, Paul Tomascak (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: Paul Tomascak

9:55 Effect of Road Salt in Streams
Jennifer Wandersee (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: Paul Tomascak

10:10 Stratigraphy of Mesoproterozoic Metasedimentary Rocks at
Chimney Mountain, Central Adirondacks, New York
Katherine Summerhays (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: David Valentino

10:25 A Study of the Use of Wind Vectors For Forecasting Eastern Lake
Ontario Snow Bands
Sarah Payne (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: Robert Ballentine, Alfred Stamm

CHAIR: STEVEN SKUBIS

1:00 Coupling of Upper Level Jet Streaks
Robert Schultz (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: Steven Skubis

1:15 Surface Ice Aggregation: a Meteorological Viewpoint
Brent Antkowiak (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: Steven Skubis

1:30 An Observational and Model Analysis of the Water-spout Event
of 2 and 17, Oct. 2003
Holly Sobocinski (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: Steven Skubis

1:45 Derechos: A Mesoscale Convective System
John Thomas (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: Steven Skubis

2:00 Hurricane Season 2005: Complete from Arlene to Zeta
Robert Metcalfe (EARTH SCIENCES)
Sponsor: Steven Skubis
2:30  **Lightning in Lake Effect Snow**  
*Jason Keeler, AJ Veith, Chris Wilcox (EARTH SCIENCES)*  
Sponsor: Scott Steiger

2:45  **Superstorm 1993: The Perfect Atmosphere Conditions for the Strongest Blizzard of the 20th Century**  
*Mark Molnar (EARTH SCIENCES)*  
Sponsor: Steven Skubis

3:15  **Dario and Social Injustice**  
*Ava Giacona, Jalena French, Jamie Castellano, Anthony Fricano, Amy Annalora, Dario J., Liana Herman (EARTH SCIENCES)*

8:30  **“Last Resort” Pilot Series**  
*Adam Campbell-Schmitt (COMMUNICATION STUDIES)*  
Sponsor: Jerry Condra

8:45  **“Running Tight”**  
*Daniel Santa Lucia (COMMUNICATION STUDIES)*  
Sponsor: Jerry Condra

9:00  **In Touch: With Central New York**  
*Christopher Johnson (COMMUNICATION STUDIES)*  
Sponsor: Jerry Condra

9:15  **“Who’s YOUR...Best Friend??”**  
*Kristen Karwowski (COMMUNICATION STUDIES)*  
Sponsor: Jerry Condra

9:40  **Encounters and Ethics of Teaching Assistants**  
*Kathleen McGurn, Joseph Paccione (COMMUNICATION STUDIES)*  
Sponsor: Christine Hirsch

9:55  **New Media and Genre (for Oswego Quest)**  
*Davis Foulger (COMMUNICATION STUDIES)*

10:10  **“Curb Your Enthusiasm”**  
*Ed Bosak (COMMUNICATION STUDIES)*  
Sponsor: Doug Smart

10:25  **Romance = Feminist?**  
*Christine Hirsch (COMMUNICATION STUDIES)*
LANIGAN 104 (continued)

CHAIR: JOHN KARES SMITH

1:00 Thelma and Louise: Are They Feminist Martyrs or Bitches from Hell?
Amanda Webb (COMMUNICATION STUDIES)
Sponsor: John Kares Smith

1:15 Reflections of Political Stance and Ideology: an Interpretation of Country Music
Jessica Dawes (COMMUNICATION STUDIES)
Sponsor: John Kares Smith

1:30 Alice Paul and the White House Pickets
Susan Burt (COMMUNICATION STUDIES)
Sponsor: John Kares Smith

1:45 “So We’ll Be Together When We Die”: The Bombing of Hiroshima, 60 Years Later
John Kares Smith (COMMUNICATION STUDIES)

CHAIR: JEAN CHAMBERS

2:30 Camus and Capital Punishment
Christopher Sugar (PHILOSOPHY)
Sponsor: Robert Card

2:45 Gender, Justice and the Family
Robert Card, Courtney DeLosh (PHILOSOPHY)

3:00 Rawls’ Separateness of Persons
Ian Smith (PHILOSOPHY)
Sponsor: Charles Echelbarger

3:15 2nd Trimester Abortions & Technology
Melanie Doherty (PHILOSOPHY)
Sponsor: Jean Chambers

LANIGAN 105

CHAIR: PETER ROSENBAUM

8:30 DNA Identification Methods
Elizabeth Whitmore (BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES)
Sponsor: Anthony Ouellette

8:45 Assessment of the Life History
Kyle Pursel (BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES)
Sponsor: Peter Rosenbaum

9:00 Comparative Proteomics of E.Coli Cells Grown in Different Growth Media
Cody Spencer (BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES)
Sponsor: Anthony Ouellette
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Paul Denbaum (PUBLIC JUSTICE)
Sponsor: William Jones

3:00 Hate Crimes
Mathew Scott (PUBLIC JUSTICE)
Sponsor: William Jones

3:15 Police Brutality
Karen Madison (PUBLIC JUSTICE)
Sponsor: William Jones

8:30 The Impact of Computer Technology on Constructivist Practices of Secondary Mathematics Teachers
Marcia Burrell (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)

8:45 Students as Stakeholders
Barbara Garii (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)

9:00 Teacher Change and its Causes
Long Peng (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)

9:40 Alternative Energy - Wind
Thomas Kubicki, William Bissell, Adam Cancio (TECHNOLOGY)

9:55 Hydroponics
Thomas Kubicki, Jonathan Bogardus, Walter Sosnowki, Brendan Wade-Keszey (TECHNOLOGY)

10:10 Electrathon Vehicle
Thomas Kubicki, William Gilmore, Travis Owens (TECHNOLOGY)
Sponsor: Thomas Kubicki

1:00 Class Environmental & Student Involvement
Rob McCarthy (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)
Sponsor: Faith Maina

1:15 Homework In A Math Classroom
Michele Joyner (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)
Sponsor: Faith Maina

1:30 Teacher Stress
Jeremy Lenchert (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)
Sponsor: Faith Maina
1:45 Special Needs Students  
Michelle Kline (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)  
Sponsor: Faith Maina

2:00 Maximizing the Effectiveness of Gifted Students within a Middle School Percussion Section  
Glen Gagnier (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)  
Sponsor: Faith Maina

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2:30 High School Orchestra  
Victoria Kinney (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)  
Sponsor: Faith Maina

2:45 Technology in Science Classes  
Matthew Brooks (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)  
Sponsor: Faith Maina

3:00 A Study of ADD in the Classroom  
Wendy Beers (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)  
Sponsor: Faith Maina

3:15 Is Non-Traditional Music Notation More Successful than Traditional Notation for Beginning Elementary Instrumental String Students?  
Greg Stone (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)  
Sponsor: Faith Maina

3:30 Positive Interventions to Reduce Negative Behaviors: Social Skills Instruction and Token Economies in an Alternate Setting  
Tricia Hodson (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)  
Sponsor: Faith Maina

LANIGAN 106A  
CHAIR: JOHANNA HENRY

8:30 Chronobiologische Untersuchungen an einem neugeborenen Afrikanischen Elefantenbullen (Loxodonta Africana)  
Lindsey Scales (MODERN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES)  
Sponsor: Johanna Henry

8:45 Physiology & Biochemical of Urine  
Thomas Rees (MODERN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES)  
Sponsor: Johanna Henry

9:00 Hydrogen Power for Boats  
Michael Kiley (MODERN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES)  
Sponsor: Johanna Henry

9:15 On Indoeuropean Media Aspirata  
Samuel McCabe (MODERN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES)  
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*Marilynn Smiley (MUSIC)*

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*Geraldine Forbes, Noelle Dor, Peg Lynn, Mary Bivens (HISTORY)*

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*Said Atri (GLOBAL AND INTERNATIONAL STUDIES)*

10:00 TESOL: Puzzles and Solutions  
*Aziz Goksel, Danusia Goldmann, Leah Guhin, Cynthia Kellogg, Ryan Lower, Meghan Rockwell, Mary Wainwright (CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION)*
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Maureen Curtin, Michelle Abounader, Kelly Crahan, Katie Riedel, Vanessa Shaka, Leslie Simrell (WOMEN'S STUDIES)

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Norman Weiner, Robert Moore, Audrey Hager, Chris Hebert, Lauren Jackson, Joel Ralston, Sara Schwartz (COLLEGE HONORS PROGRAM)  
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**HEWITT UNION, STEEPER BELL AUDITORIUM**

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Brad Korbesmeyer (ENGLISH)

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Jessica Reeher (COMMUNICATION STUDIES)

2:15  *Transforming Social Movements*  
Jessica Reeher, Christine Hirsch, Eileen Gilligan (COMMUNICATION STUDIES)

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David Vampola (INFORMATION SCIENCE)  
Sponsor: Rhonda Mandel

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David Vampola, Elisa Allen, Michael Kelly, Joshua Steffensen (INFORMATION SCIENCE)  
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Michael Lupa (ART)  
Sponsor: Kathy Budd

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- to help students share their scholarly and creative work, develop an appreciation for the diversity of creative and research activity at Oswego, and identify faculty with whom they may wish to study.