2015 ANTHROPOLOGY CAPSTONE PRESENTATIONS

**Tuesday, May 5** – Garfield Community Room, 10 a.m. to Noon

**Identities in Flux: Gender, Race, and Personhood**

Katrina Graven ~ Women, Politics, and Language: Exploring the Role of Gendered Communication in United States Politics  
Daniel Stell ~ Identity Formation through Register Development and Broader Language Ideologies Among Queer College Students  
Tyler Kaplan ~ Modernization in Thailand: A Sex Fueled Economy  
Brittany Gundy ~ Who Will the Babies Become? The Social Personhood of Infants in the Pacific Northwest  
Amanda Seely ~ Natural and Negotiable: Intersex, Medical Education, and the Construction of Sex and Gender

**Thursday, May 7** – Garfield Community Room, 10 a.m. to Noon

**Constructing Communities: The Internet, Role Playing, and Ritual Practices**

Angela Shier ~ Women Online: The Offline Effects of Online Identity Construction through Social Media  
Jessica Lawson ~ Sociopolitical Organization of the Live Action Role Play Group, Amptgard  
Brandon Peterson ~ Fur and Fiction: Physically Manifesting a Virtual Identity  
Kendra Van Beek ~ Ordinary to Fantastic Self: An Exploration of Temporary Identity Change within the American Cosplay Community  
Felicia Hambrick ~ The Ways People of Martinique Express Their Identity Through Carnival

**Tuesday, May 12** – AUC 201, 9:55 – 11:40

**Our Material World: Archaeology, Waste, Agriculture, and Health**

Megan Wonderly ~ Yeha to Aksum: The Development of Metallurgy and Trade Relations in Highland Ethiopia  
Alex Robertson ~ An Analysis of Equine Domestication in the Eurasian Steppes  
McKenzie Williams ~ The Campesino Identity: Subsistence Farming of Maize in Chiapas, Mexico Following NAFTA  
Clark Wittenberg ~ Human Epidemics: Political Ecology of Cancer Villages in Shandong China  
Lauren Mendez ~ Insight into the Layers of Power and Agency: Exploring Kolkata’s Waste Management

**Thursday, May 14** – AUC 201, 9:55 – 11:40

**Social Institutions: Ritual, Trauma, Education, and Change**

Nicole Plastino ~ Magick in Theory and Practice: Ritual as Mediator between Thelemic Ethos and Behavior  
Linn Chloe Hagstroem ~ Terror, Islamophobia, and National Identity in Norway  
Liandra Daniels ~ Risks and Benefits for Infants: Prenatal Cannabis Use within Rastafarian Culture in Jamaica  
Kimberly Roman ~ The Construction of Homeless Identity in Seattle through Interaction with Places and People  
Hope Sussman ~ Effective Education: Helping Kids Help Themselves, a Tool For Multicultural Educators  
Shannon Mott ~ Aftereffects of Residential Boarding Schools: Cultural Continuity among Indigenous People in the Pacific Northwest