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COLA Thanks You for a Wonderful Homecoming Experience!

Dr. Bakry Nominated for the 2024 SWECJMC's Pioneer Award



The Southwest Education Council for Journalism and Mass Communication nominated Dr. Bakry for their Pioneer Award for her research on public diplomacy and recent study on the Hijab-wearing Barbie doll and social identity.

Transgender Awareness Week

November 13th - 19th

COLA Professor Sheri Lazare Speaks to Local Baton Rouge High School Students



Three finalists of the 3-minute thesis contest are COLA! Congrats!

Chloe Guidry, Psychology: "Tangles, Turmoil, & Tropical Fish: Unravelling the Utility of the Zebrafish Model in a Translational Study of Cognitive Impairment in Alzheimer's Disease"

Rebecca Henry, Psychology: "Do We Treat Males and Females with Anorexia Differently?"

Mahek Pathak, English: "Dark Humor in Roald Dahl's Novels for Children"

CODI wins 3rd place in the Large Display Category of the Departmental Homecoming Decoration Contest



Learn Data Science with **RELACSS** group!

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RELACSS Information Session

Students are invited to join RELACSS this year with its exciting new format! All College of Liberal Arts students are welcome to be part of this dynamic and engaging learning community. Attend our orientation meeting or request a recording of the information session.

November 20, 2024 (Wed), Noon - 12:50pm, Griffin Hall 315

To express interest and request recording, fill out the form: <https://bit.ly/lafayettedata>

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2024-26

Dr. Masey Hammons



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Don't miss out on the COLA Lecture Series on Thursday on Multilingual Accessibility!

Multilingual Accessibility *Thursday 11/21, 3:30-5PM:*

- **Michelle Feist** (English), "Thinking-for-speaking: Codability and the description of motion in English and Spanish audio descriptions"
- **Elena Babatsouli** (Communicative Disorders), "Phonological disorders in child bilingualism: The state of the art"
- **Natalie Douglas** (Communicative Disorders), "A Role for Health Literacy in Protecting People with Limited English Proficiency against Falling: A Retrospective, Cohort Study"

Check out all of these study abroad opportunities!

Explore the world while also enhancing your education.

For more information, contact Dr. Sally Donlon

Want to Earn Credits While Exploring Ireland?

Join Dr. Sally Donlon in Ireland for these exciting courses:

ENGL 370 / HUMN 300 / HONR 385:
The Irish Lens: Ireland in Film & Literature

ENGL 328 / HUMN 300 / HONR 385:
Beyond the Page: Travel Writing in Ireland



May 19 - May 22, 2025 in Lafayette
May 24 - June 8, 2025 in Ireland

Cost: \$4,699 + University Fees: \$240


Deposit: \$500 via ULINK (applied to program cost).

Application Deadline: December 16th (late fee applies after this date).

Includes: Tuition, lodging, insurance, museum fees, field trips, public transportation



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A rare event in Alabama suggests Trump's MAGA movement can overpower incumbency effects

A new study has found that in Alabama's rare incumbent-versus-incumbent GOP primary, alignment with Trump's MAGA movement outweighed traditional incumbency advantages, leading to a narrow wi...

Ψ PsyPost / Oct 30

David Hughes' American Politics Research is covered by PsyPost.org

**Don't
forget
about
these
events!**

**Psychology
Brown Bag Event**

**Nov 18, 2024
noon - 12:50pm
Girard 205**

**The Exploration of Adverse
Childhood Experiences (ACEs):
Academic Achievement,
Psychological Well-Being, and
Protective Factors**

Kiara Martin, MS



COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

**Elevate: Faculty
Development
Series (Fall 2024)**

**OCTOBER 18: 12:30-2PM, LUNCHEON:
PROMOTION AND TENURE POLICIES, (315
GRIFFIN HALL)
DRS. ANI KOKOBOBO & CLANCY RATLIFF (COLA)**

**NOV. 14, 1:30-2:30PM: NAVIGATING THE IRB
PROCESS OF HUMAN SUBJECTS RESEARCH
(VIA ZOOM)
DR. HUNG-CHU LIN (PSYCHOLOGY)**

**DECEMBER 6, 12:30-2PM: BOOK PUBLISHING,
MYTHS VS. BEST PRACTICES
(VIA ZOOM)
DR. FAITH STEIN, SENIOR ACQUISITIONS EDITOR
(NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY PRESS)**



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List of Events by Date:

**Navigating the IRB Process of Human
Subjects Research: Nov. 14th**

**Undergraduate Research Panel: Nov.
15th - 16th**

Learn Data Science: Nov. 20th

**Psychology Brown Bag Event: Nov.
18th**

COLA Lecture Series: Nov. 21st

**Book Publishing Myths Vs. Best
Practices: Dec. 6th**

**If you want something included in the COLA Newsletter, email
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