SERSCA Graduate Assistantship Program
2021-2022 Awarded Students

Jonathan Alcantara
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. John Garcia
Social Work
Analyzing Behavioral Interventions for Reducing Juvenile Recidivism Rates

Autumn Andersen
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Monica Flores
English
Teaching the New Latinx Family: The Death of Nuclear Family Traditions

Olivia Blea
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Meggan Jordan
Social Work
Sociological Teaching Assistantship

Milissa Bradley
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Virginia Montero-Hernandez
Doctor of Education in Educational Leadership (EdD)
Understanding the Role of Personal Voice in Student Empowerment at the Higher Education Level

Tyler Cavett
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Kelly Cotter
Psychology
Graduate Teaching Assistantship for PSYC 3000: Experimental Methods and Design

Katelynn Forney
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Anita Pedersen-Pennock
Psychology
A Qualitative Study of Resilience During the Infertility Process

Lalayna Hablutzel
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Jennifer Cooper
Biology
MHC Heterozygosity and Fitness Related Traits in California Ground Squirrels

Britney Hayes
Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Sevaughn Banks
Social Work
Interprofessional and Collaborative Applied Global Health Practice
Ellen Howell  
**Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Steven Drouin**  
Advanced Studies in Education  
*Engagement through Gamification and Game Based Learning*

Ryan Jordan  
**Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Anthony Perrello**  
English  
*Gothic/Horror Studies TA, Research Presentation and Published Article*

Morgan Lincoln  
**Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Jesse Wolfe**  
English  
*Graduate Teaching Assistant English 3230*

Kendra McKinley  
**Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Anita Pedersen-Pennock**  
Psychology  
*Continuing a Longitudinal Exploration of Family Interaction Patterns When Children Have Disabilities*

Rachel Riojas  
**Faculty Sponsor: Dr. John Kincaid**  
Social Work  
*The Impact of the Pandemic on Food Insecure Students*

Katherine Sheldon  
**Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Jesse Wolfe**  
English  
*The Self-Reinvention of F. Scott Fitzgerald: Marketing the Jazz Age*

Nathan Wilke  
**Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Anthony Perrello**  
English  
*Revenge: Shakespeare’s Avenger in Modern Film*

Meghan Williams  
**Faculty Sponsor: Dr. Jennifer Cooper**  
Biology  
*Characterizing the Diversity of the Gut Microbiome in California Ground Squirrels (Otospermophilus Beecheyi) with Relation to Agriculture*