

**Belmont Undergraduate Research Symposium**  
**1998 Psychology Papers**

**“The Relationship of Self-Esteem on Rating a Speaker After Overhearing a Derogatory Comment”**

Shannon E. Augustine

Faculty Advisor: Elizabeth Yost Hammer

**“The Truth About Cats and Dogs: Adult Gender-Based Stereotypes of Common Household Pets”**

Anastasia Bailey

Faculty Advisor: Elizabeth Yost Hammer

**“Effect of Exposure to Humorous Stimuli on Hostility Levels”**

Jennifer Behnke

Faculty Advisor: Elizabeth Yost Hammer

**“Advertising and Implicit Memory: It's All in a Name”**

Susan M. Dohner

Faculty Advisor: Lonnie R. Yandell

**“Finding a Psychologically Effective Role for the Parents of an Elementary School Athlete”**

Lisa J. Elkins

Faculty Advisor: Peter J. Giordano

**“Who Thinks Critically about the Paranormal? Differences by Gender, Age, and Academic Major”**

Tonya J. Elkins

Faculty Advisor: Peter J. Giordano

**“Supplication as a Means of Self-Handicapping and its Relation to Self-Esteem”**

Vanessa England

Faculty Advisor: Elizabeth Yost-Hammer

**“Mitigation, Forgiveness, and Retaliation in an Anger-Induced Situation”**

Brandi Gilland

Faculty Advisor: Elizabeth Yost Hammer

**“The Power of Suggestion: Reading Comprehension and Expectations”**

Brandi L. Hamilton

Faculty Advisor: Lonnie R. Yandell

**“The Effects of Self Report in Linking Intentions and Behavior Toward Alcohol”**

Kelly Harris

Faculty Advisor: Lonnie R. Yandell

**“Tennessee Parenting Inventory: Simplified Assessment of Parental Potential for Child Abuse”**

Megan Hartman

Faculty Advisor: Elizabeth Hammer

**“The Effect of Knowledge on Conformity and Attractiveness Ratings”**

Keesha J. Hopper

Faculty Advisor: Lonnie Yandell

**"The Psychometric Status of a Measure of Emotional Intelligence"**

Natasha Lindley, Lisa Donati, Brandi Gilland, Brandi Hamilton, Melinda Herrington

Faculty Advisor: Peter J. Giordano

**“Dieter Schematics, Behavior, and Intentions”**

Jackie Pennings, Brandi Hamilton, & Jessica Jackson

Faculty Advisor: Lonnie R. Yandell

**"Gender Differences and Coping with Stress: How is Health Related?"**

Jenny L. Whitely

Faculty Advisor: Elizabeth Yost Hammer

**"The Use of Computers in Educating the Child with Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder"**

Elizabeth Roby

Faculty Advisors: James Stamper, Elizabeth Yost Hammer, and Joy Criscoe

**“Personality Similarity and Relationship with Job Satisfaction in Supervisors and Subordinates”**

Leann D. Rhodes

Faculty Advisor: Elizabeth Yost Hammer

**"Christian Concepts of Psychology: Past, Present, and Future"**

William C. Schultz

Faculty Advisor: Peter J. Giordano

**“Effects of Locus of Control and Task Difficulty on Individual Performance in a Group Setting”**

Susan C. Scott

Faculty Advisor: Elizabeth Yost Hammer

**“The Psychological Effects and Treatment of AIDS”**

Jennifer Suarez

Faculty Advisor: Peter J. Giordano

**"Emotional Intelligence and Psychosocial Development"**

Brittany Vaughan

Faculty Advisor: Peter J. Giordano

**"Introversion/Extraversion and Learning Style Factors on Academic Success"**

Kristine Wehmeyer

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