

Symposium for Student Research, Scholarship and Creative Achievement

Thursday, April 16, 2026

8:00 AM – 3:00 PM Registration

11:30 AM – 12:00 PM Lunch for Presenters and Faculty Mentors

12:15 PM Welcome from the Provost

Robert M. Smith Student Center Theatre

PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE 2:00 – 3:15 PM

Time:	Title:	Performers, Faculty Sponsor & Department:	Location:
2:00 – 2:30 PM	<i>Sacred Steps: “Dancing Religions” of Afro-Diasporic Latin American Genesis</i>	Paula Rodriguez - Alvarez Emma Banic Abbey Dowler Bridget Emory Herrman Nora Hoy Quinlyn Karns Rayann Martini Sarah Meyers Rebecca Niggel Darby Parke Syndee Staley Makayla Ulery Ms. Melissa Teodoro Dance	Theatre
2:45 – 3:15 PM	<i>Tactile Connections: The Exploration of Proprioception and Touch in Contemporary Dance Partnerships</i>	Norah Spradling Annalese Isenberg Ms. Jennifer Keller Dance	Theatre