Ted Hovet Undergraduate Conference on Literature, Language, and Culture

Friday, November 11, 2022 - Cherry Hall 125

1:30pm: Honoring Ted Hovet's Legacy: New Research in Film & Media Studies Moderated by Birhanu Gessese & Max Zambrano

- Tuesday Grenead, "Demetrius and Lysander: Hatred as Intimacy in Taymor's A Midsummer Night's Dream (2014)"
- Daniel Ungs, "Daisies' Castration of the Spectator"
- Christian Butterfield, "The Ontology Of The Confessional Booth: The Parallels Between Literary Nonfiction And Reality Television"

2:15pm: Modern Takes on Classic Texts

Moderated by Sama Huseynova and Jarek Jarvis

- Sarah Stevens, "Manifestations of Feminine Strength in Ovid's Metamorphoses"
- Miriam Story, "A Queer Reading of The Epic of Gilgamesh"
- Jolie Finley, "Toxic Masculinity and Opportunities for Change in Galatea"
- Joseph Shoulders, "Even Harder Times: When Dickensian Satire Becomes Mainstream Conservatism"

3:15pm: Meaning, Medium, & Message

Moderated by Ericka Russell and Kristen Tinch

- Marybeth Hunt, "Analysis of a Political Cartoon on Gun Violence"
- Autumn Jones, "When you need a word, or a sentence"
- Emily Gawarecki, "Variation in Translations of Bei Dao"
- Liliane Keith, "All You Had To Do Was Switch It Off": Adaptation as Existential Terror"