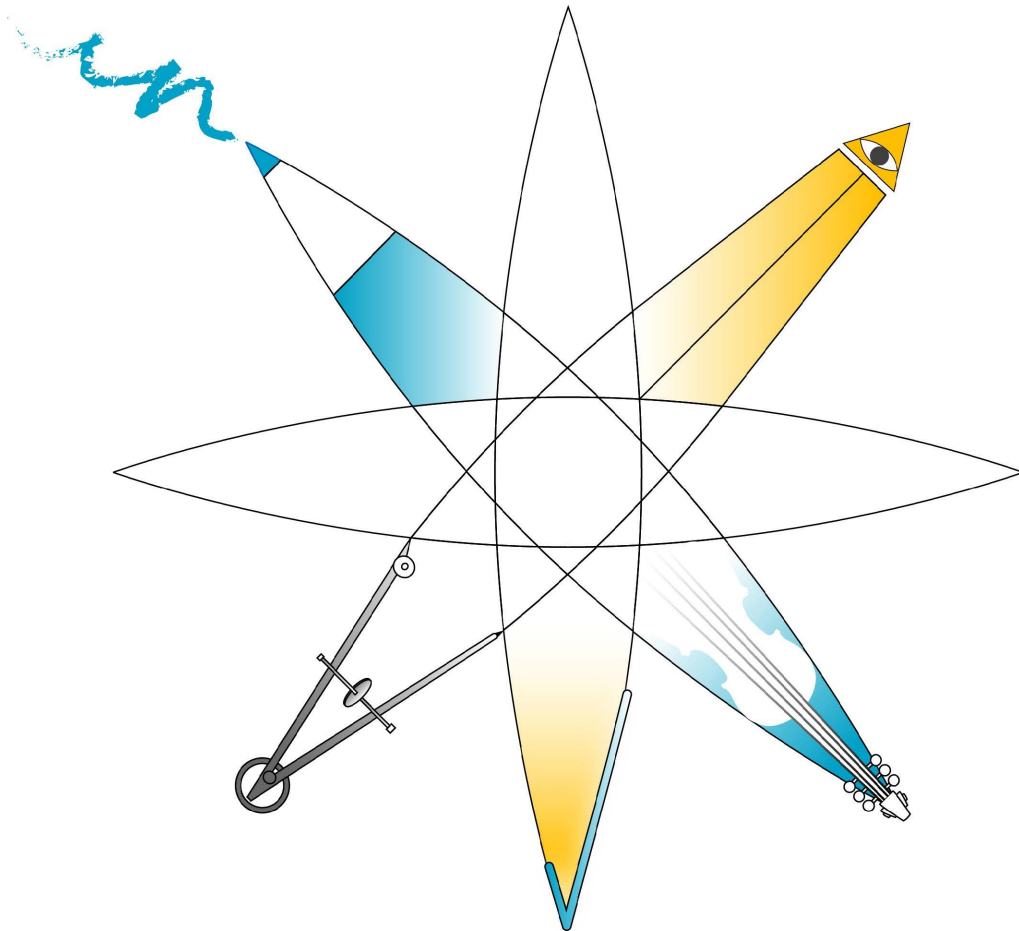


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# A CELEBRATION OF ACADEMIC AND ARTISTIC ACHIEVEMENT

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April 7 - 8, 2026



## THE ROBERT L. DRISCOLL **CONVOCATION** of Artists & Scholars

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# APRIL 7th

## 1:00—2:00 Opening of COAS Falany Performing Arts Center Flint Hall

**Presented by:**  
**Dr. Fredrick Tarrant**  
Dean, School of the Arts

**Dr. Mark A. Roberts**  
President  
Opening Remarks

### Performing Arts Showcase:

**Joshua Adams, Jackson Allen,  
Quintavius Carter, and Joshua L  t  **  
Marimba Quartet

**Hayden Laney**  
Trumpet

**Ciara Devane**  
Soprano

**Oliver Holmes**  
Tenor

**Bryson Padgett**  
Euphonium

**Lily James**  
Soprano

**Emma Barnes, Madison Burdette,  
Makena Fosdick, Reese Gilliam,  
Chance Johnson, Jaylene Rodriguez  
O'Garro, Grace Probst, Marin Rice,  
Kaylie Rickles, Kaylee Rae Traverso**  
Dance Ensemble

## 2:00—3:00, SESSION 1 Library Community Room

**Presented by:**  
**Dr. Christopher Robinson**  
Professor of Psychology

**Dr. Kenneth Wheeler**  
Provost  
Opening Remarks

**Molly Stevens**  
Vertebrate Diversity in Different  
Forest Types

**Katy Beth Beddingfield**  
Why Domestic Violence Is Handled  
Differently Across Cultures: The Roles  
of Stigma, Legal Systems, and Family  
Structure

**Amberlyn Broussard**  
Sociopsychological Implications of  
Elite Status in Collegiate Sororities

**Emma Scott**  
Lost in Translation: How Culture  
Shapes Emotional Interpretation of  
Social Media Content

## 3:00—4:00, SESSION 2 MATH & SCIENCE POSTERS Library Community Room

**Hailey Gregorich**  
**Julia Hunt**  
**Jaylene Rodriguez O'Garro**  
**Samayra Zamaranor**  
**Keith Hudson**  
**Zander Dionne**  
**Braniff Mahoney**  
**Matthew Bowman**  
**Carter Paul**  
**Emma Scott**  
**Paige Denney**  
**Jaquoia Pennamon**  
**Rylee Antonino**  
**Ethan Rice**

## 4:00—5:00, SESSION 3 Library Community Room

**Presented by:**  
**Ms. Tami Smith**  
Director, Price School of  
Education

**Courtney Foster**  
GaETC Conference Report

**Madison Hasty**  
GaETC Conference Report

**Cristina Scoretz**  
Dyslexia Capstone

**Sophia Gregory, Kamryn Fisher,  
and Anberlin Cole**  
FYS

## 5:00—6:00, SESSION 4 Library Community Room

**Presented by:**  
**Dr. Ken Wheeler**  
Provost

**CJ Hollinquest & Michael  
Anderson**  
FYS Bridge Program

**Andr  s Jorquera**  
Cozy Eagle: A Community-Centered  
Approach

**Eryn Lee**  
Internship Presentation

# APRIL 8th

## 11:00—12:00, SESSION 5 SCHOLARS PROGRAM POSTERS Library Community Room

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## 1:00—2:00, SESSION 6 Library Community Room

### Presented by: Dr. Joe Mullins

Dean, McCamish School of  
Business and Professions

### Lendsey Bishop

Lendsey's Patch Works

### Jenna Smith, Shallyn Olszowy, Kaitlyn Musulman

Bus 309: Applying Kotter's Model at  
GreenBridge Health System

### Grier Deedrick

From Posts to Places: How Social Media  
Drives Tourism Engagement

### Gabriel Gutierrez

The Simternship Experience

## 2:00—3:00, SESSION 7 NURSING POSTERS Library

### Presented by: Ms. Tiffani Harper

Adjunct Professor of Nursing

### Alexandria Groom

### Ashton Gilbert

### Breanna Guttilla

### Bria Ricks

### Brianna Cooks

### Catherine Antalis

### Devon Jackson

### Emma Fernandez Torres

### Emma Ingram

### Hadlee Lewis

### Jewellee Bateman

### Kayla Burnat

### Krista Nye

### Lily Waldron

### Madeline Myers

### Omarys Muniz-Rivera

### Rachel Lefebvre

### Renee Hicks

### Riley Krueger

### Sydney Spinks

### Tassany Carter

## 3:00—4:00, SESSION 8 Library Community Room

### Presented by: Dr. Zach Felix

Dean, College of Humanities,  
Sciences, and Technology

### Natalee Lauger

An Analysis of Gene Expression as a  
Response to UV Light Radiation  
Using Bioinformatics Tools

### Collin Lauger and Jacob Hendrix

Identification of Promoter  
Elements in Bacteria

### Hailey Gregorich & Julia Hunt

Flint Orchard Internship

### Matthew Bowman

Investigating the DNA binding  
specificity of Red No. 40 food dye

## 4:00—5:00, SESSION 9 Library Community Room

### Presented by: Dr. William Walsh

Director of Creative Writing

### Kat Williams

Writers on the Rise

### Jake Baratka

Writers on the Rise

### Wesley Sever

Writers on the Rise

### Jake Baratka

A Living History of Eastern  
Orthodoxy: Reflections on a Church  
Visit

## 5:00—6:00, SESSION 10 World Music Showcase

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# SCHOLARS PROGRAM POSTER SESSION

11:00—12:00, April 8th  
Library Community Room

Presented by:  
**Dr. Amy Cottrill**  
Director, Scholars Program

Robert Mein  
Robyn Walker  
Ruth Nunfio  
Ryan Stannard  
Sally McDonald  
Sariah Jackson  
Scarlett Mumford  
Shelby Orange  
Shelby Schroyer  
Tyler Fortier  
Violet Schroer  
William Roebuck  
Grace Leyva  
Abigail Bell  
Amberlyn Broussard  
Ansley Brooks  
Ayden Perry  
Bailey Wages  
Brianna Moles  
Bryson Padgett  
Carter Callahan  
Kyndell Howland  
Owen Carnes  
Emily Potter  
Felipi Ferreira  
Gabriella Herrera  
Grace Probst  
Ja'Sarah Gray  
Joshua Ingram  
Kyndell Howland  
Preston Justice  
Reid Sullivan  
Matthew Bowman  
Zane May  
Daniela Rangel  
Deluxe Masawi

# WORLD MUSIC SHOWCASE

5:00—6:00, April 8th  
Falany Performing Arts Center  
Flint Hall

Presented by:  
**Dr. Fredrick Tarrant**  
Dean, School of the Arts

## World Music Showcase:

*Bonwere Kente' Wene*      Ephraim Amu (1899 -1995)

Sariah Jackson, Soprano  
Evan Greenberg, Piano

*Fire (Percussion Arrangement)*

Brody Chason, Derrick Gilbert, George Blankson,  
Jackson Allen, Sebastian Rendon, Quintavius Carter

*Agbadza*      RU African Drum and Dance Ensemble

*Dancers*  
Annie McCarthy  
Erin Jones  
Jadan Randolph

*Drummers*  
Brody Chason  
Derrick Gilbert  
Jackson Allen  
Sebastian Rendon  
Quintavius Carter

Latin American Music Demo      Sebastian Rendon  
Evan Greenberg, Piano