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J. Stephen Sanders - Bagpiper

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Dean, School of Applied Sciences
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RECOGNITION OF T.A. CROWE FACULTY AWARD
Peter W. Grandjean

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Heather Landry Shirley
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Kira Dean
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Allison Ford-Wade
Associate Dean of Community Engagement

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Clyde King
Public Health

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS
Peter W. Grandjean

CLOSING REMARKS
Peter W. Grandjean
Nicholas Alan Bosley  
Effects of Eccentric Exercises on Pain and Dysfunction Associated with Lower Limb Tendinopathies: A Critically Appraised Topic

Anthony Paul Camerieri  
Post-Exercise Thermoregulation with and without a Misting Fan in Collegiate Distance Runners: A Pilot Study

Charity Danielle Eubanks  
Standard Concussion Assessments: Are They Effective Long-Term for Athletic Performance & Activities A Critically Appraised Topic

Sabrian Khalil Howard  
DI Football Player Fractures 3rd & 4th Metacarpals via Direct Contact to Dorsal Aspect: A Case Study

Tanner Morgan Hunter  
The Effectiveness of Ankle Rehabilitation on Chronic Ankle Instability - Theraband vs. Isometrics: A Critically Appraised Topic

Kerianne Marie Lea  
Mouthguard Usage in Relation to Traumatic Brain Injuries: A Critically Appraised Topic

Sarah Elizabeth Martin  
Mental Health Perception in the Secondary School Setting: A Critically Appraised Topic

Hillary Staten  
Simultaneous Surgical Repair of Multiple Injuries to Left Ankle of Collegiate Football Player: A Case Study

Jasmine T. Suggs  
DI Football Athlete Receives Fracture to Body of Scapula from Anterior Blow to Acromioclavicular Joint: A Cased Study

Kathleen Erin Sullivan  
Mindfulness and Meditation Effectiveness on Athletes’ Mental Health and Performance: A Critically Appraised Topic

Tapanga Kiana Taylor  
The Role of Psychological Barriers in Return to Sport After Injury to Anterior Cruciate Ligament: A Critically Appraised Topic

Sloan Leighton Weeden  
Popliteal Artery Entrapment Syndrome (PAES) in a 21-Year-Old Female Division I Soccer Player: A Case Study
Eniola Akinniyi
Marquesa Dra'shawn Davis
Kirsten Brielle Deans
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*Homeland Security & Emergency Management (Online)*

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*Homeland Security & Emergency Management (Online)*  
*Leaving No One Behind: Improving Emergency Evaluation Planning for Vulnerable Populations*

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*Homeland Security & Emergency Management (Online)*

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*Homeland Security & Emergency Management (Online)*  
*Maximizing Resilience: Reforms for Resource Allocation in Emergency Management*

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*Examining and Reducing Police Misconduct*
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*The Recruiting and Retention Crisis in Law Enforcement Today*

Destiny Simone Hampton  
*Criminal Justice Leadership (Online)*

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*Criminal Justice Policy & Practice*  
*Exploring The Perceptions and Attitudes of True Crime Podcast Listeners*

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*Criminal Justice Policy & Practice*  
*Regional Differences in the Adoption of Automated License Plate Readers Among Police Departments*

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Criminal Justice Policy & Practice
Moderation in Online Incel Forums: A Comparison of Warning Behaviors

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Joshua Jude Rosenbaum
Criminal Justice Policy & Practice
Financial Strain, Depression, and School Suspension

Christopher Cody Smith
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Criminal Justice Policy & Practice
Juvenile Coping and General Strain Theory

Hsien Tung
Criminal Justice Policy & Practice
Does The Strictness of Gun Laws Affect Gun Crime?

Kevin Ray Turner Jr.
Homeland Security & Emergency Management (Online)

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Bearing Injustice: The Disproportionate Toll of Fetal Endangerment Laws on Black Women in America
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Malia Nicole Vinson-Dower
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Bailea Nicole Blanton
*Inequality and Sexism in Sports: Threats Female Athletes Face in the Sports Industry*

Cas Manning Blevins

Daniel A. Cencer Jr.
*Predicting Post-Season Rewards using Pre-Season Performance Testing in NCAA Division 1 American Football Players*

Nicholas Charles Chambers

David Cobb
*How Freshmen Contributions are Changing in College Basketball’s Player Empowerment Era*

Briana Cara Crowley

Jalani Keshon Davis
*How do Genetics and Environment Shape Professional Athletes’ Success?*

Kenneth Dean Dill
*Does “Moneyball” Work? A Look into the Analytics Used in the Blockbuster Movie*

Lemarcus Trevon Echoles
*The Impact of Back-to-Back Games on Player’s Performance in the National Basketball Association*

Camryn Edens
*Predicting Player Salaries in the National Basketball Association*

Justin Michael Foxworth
*The Impact of Nutritional Habits on Injury Recovery and Prevention in Athletes*

Dawson Alexander George
*Force Plate Data to Determine Return to Sport Readiness on Football Athletes Post Anterior Cruciate Ligament Reconstruction*
Adam Richard Grelecki  
Comparing Prediction Models for Sports Tournaments Based on Actual Versus Expected Stats

Patrick Herry  
Manfred’s Moneyball: A Payroll Analysis of the Current State of Major League Baseball

Tara Lynn Hoffman  
The Wage Gap Between Genders: How the United States Women’s National Team are Changing Standards

James Daniel Hughes  
Esports Social Media Engagement

Liam Jacobson  
How High-Speed and Sprint Running influence Hamstring Health in Professional Soccer

William Bishop James  
Analyzing Predictive Variables: Men’s College Basketball Regular vs. Postseason Discrepancies

Benjamin David Johnson  
Effects of Extended Non-Conference Travel on NCAA Men’s Basketball Teams

Megan Kerstetter  
Predicting USA Swimming Medal Count at 2024 Olympic Games

Riley Harcourt Killip  
Expected Goals and Probability of Winning in the Premier League

Jack Kitson  
The “English Tax” in Global Football; Fact or Fiction?

Michael LaBella  
Is Data Analytics Helping or Hurting the Game of Baseball?

Jack Ryan Laderoute  
How Can Analytics Impact Play Calling in Football?

Pierre Marc Mewissen  
An Analysis of Rebounding Statistics in the NBA
Austin James Neal

Lauren Hearon Oakes
First-Year Student-Athletes Perceptions of Mental Health Services at NCAA Division-I Institution

Brian Christopher Parrish

Nathan J. Rigot
Impact of Offensive Line Strength on Fantasy Football Player Production

Cody Rozell
Just Bet the Underdogs: Researching March Madness Betting Trends and Strategies of Betting the Underdogs

Delaney Leoda Rummell
College Athletes Academic Motivation at Power 5 Institutions

Jose Francisco Salas Matos

Henry Scott Seiler
Comparison of Throwing-Arm Injury Incidence in Major League Baseball Pitchers from Warm-and Cold-Weather Climates

Kaden Heath Semon
How Much Does Height & Weight Matter to Get Into the NFL?

Emily Lynn Strickland
Does Attendance Impact the Outcome of Games?

Benjamin Tasner
How Longer Shots Affect Rebounding in the National Basketball Association

Anna Laura Tate
Enhancing a Fastpitch Softball Pitcher’s Approach to Batters through Comprehensive Data Analytics

Isaac Egboida Omiete Ukwu
Understanding the Evolution of Sports Consumption: A New Streaming Age
Eric Joseph Vercellone

Shelley Curtis White III
*Is there now a Power 6 in College Football?*

Brady Evans Young
Skylar Kathryn Boogerd
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Assessment of Food Insecurity and Dietary Acculturation Among South Asian Students

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