

FULL SCHEDULE

9:00 am – 5:00 pm

TIME	SESSION	LOCATION
9:00 – 9:30 am	SET UP POSTERS	PONDEROSA A & B
9:30 – 10:15 am	POSTER PRESENTATION (undergrad and faculty)	PONDEROSA A & B
10:15 – 10:45 am	WELCOME Emcee - Socorro Carrera Juan Carlos Guzman Dr. Carlos Humberto Jimenez, Gonzalez Dr. Doug Biggs Jorge Espejel Montes Jim Nekuda Dr. Maria del Carmen Vergara Quintero Charito Tavera Sabalú Dr. Néstor Saul Lopez Irías	Ponderosa E Bellevue University Delfin Program Coordinator, US Chapter General Coordinador Programa Delfin Interim Assistant Vice Chancellor for International Affairs Head Consul, Consulate of México in Omaha, NE Vice President, Bellevue University Delfin Program Coordinator, Colombia Chapter Delfin Program Coordinator, Perú Chapter Delfin Program Coordinator, Nicaragua Chapter
10:45- 11:00 am	BREAK	
11:00 – 12:30 am	SESSION I	PONDEROSA C & D
12:30 – 1:40 pm	LUNCH AND KEYNOTE SPEAKER Dr. Sharon Obasi, UNK Director of Research Integrity <i>"It Takes a Global Village: Recognizing the Reward of Collaborative Research"</i>	PONDEROSA E
1:45 - 2:40 pm	SESSION II	PONDEROSA C & D
3:15 – 4:00 pm	ROUND TABLE; opportunities to network for future collaborations faculty and administration only	PONDEROSA C
4:00 – 4:45 pm	INTERNATIONAL KEYNOTE SPEAKER Dr. Manuel Ivan Girón Perez, Dean, Research and Graduate Studies Universidad Autónoma de Nayarit <i>"Scientific Research in Nayarit, Mexico: History and Current Situation"</i>	PONDEROSA E
4:45 – 5:00 pm	AWARDS AND CLOSING REMARKS Delfin Students, Research Seminar and ELI program	

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SESSION I - PONDEROSA C

11:00 am – 12:30 pm

TIME	SESSION
11:00 – 11:15 am	Presenter: Jorge Luis Vargas Rojas Research Mentor: Dr. Ladan Ghazi Saidi <i>“Selective Apraxia of Speech in Bilinguals with Aphasia”</i>
11:15 – 11:30 am	Presenter: Maria Dolores Morales Guerrero Research Mentor: Dr. Ladan Ghazi Saidi <i>“Language induced Neuroplasticity in adults above the age of 50”</i>
11:30 – 11:45 am	Presenter: Areli Barba Pérez Research Mentor: Dr. Ladan Ghazi Saidi <i>“Pathological and Normal Cognitive Decline in Rural Areas”</i>
11:45 – 12:00 pm	Presenter: Shirel Abigail González Hernández Research Mentor: Dr. Ladan Ghazi Saidi <i>“Effects of bilingualism on cognitive function in healthy older adults”</i>
12:00 – 12:15 pm	Presenter: Miguel Angel Palacios Garay Research Mentor: Dr. Ladan Ghazi Saidi <i>“Adherence to Passive Music Therapy in Older Adults: A pilot study”</i>
12:15 – 12:30 pm	Presenters: Brenda Sofía Rosas Torres & Alejandro Rubio Díaz Research Mentor: Dr. Ladan Ghazi Saidi <i>“Management of Depression and Anxiety in Patients with Aphasia”</i>

SESSION II - PONDEROSA C

1:45 pm – 3:30 pm

TIME	SESSION
1:45 – 2:00pm	Presenters: Ana Montserrat Tapia Guzmán & Andrea Wuotto Flores Research Mentor: Dr. William Aviles <i>“Representation of femicide in Narcoculture: Sinaloa, Ciudad Juárez and Apatzingán, Mexico”</i>
2:00 - 2:15 pm	Presenter: Yesenia Martinez Research Mentor: Dr. John Kyndt <i>“Genomic analysis of new bacterial species in extreme environments”</i>
2:15 – 2:30 pm	Presenters: Montserrat Vieyra Vega & Jazmín Azucena Delgado Ortega Research Mentor: Dr. John Kyndt <i>“Unveiling the Secrets of Mono Lake’s Extreme Environment through Characterization and Genomic Analysis of Novel Extremophilic Bacterial Species”</i>
2:30 - 2:45 pm	Presenter: Jose Saul Ibarra Zamudio Research Mentor: Dr. Tyleer Moore <i>“Metagenomic Analysis of Soil Microbial Health After Glyphosate (Roundup) Treatment”</i>
2:45 - 3:00 pm	Presenter: Hannia Nahomi Ramirez Oxe Research Mentor: Mike Russell <i>“Using sound to detect machine damage: Impact of observer experience”</i>
3:00 – 3:15 pm	Presenter: Emiliano Peña Durán Research Mentor: Tyleer Moore <i>“Immune cell Signaling”</i>
3:15- 3:30 pm	Presenter: Tobias Kraft Research Mentor: Dr. Hector Palencia <i>“Synthesizing Silver Compounds to Tackle the Antibiotic Resistance Crisis”</i>

SESSION I - PONDEROSA D

11:00 am – 12:25 pm

TIME	SESSION
11:00 – 11:15 am	Presenter: Valentina Carrillo Pacheco Research Mentor: Dr. Sharon Obasi <i>“The Effects of Expanding Artificial Intelligence in Colombia”</i>
11:15 – 11:30 am	Presenter: Lateefat Alimi Research Mentor: Dr. Sharon Obasi <i>“Exploring Artificial Intelligence in Africa”</i>
11:30 – 11:50 am	Presenter: Ruth Elena Castañeda Méndez Research Mentor: Dr. Toni Hill <i>“Implications of Child Marriages”</i>
	Presenter: Julieta Dominguez Mariscal <i>“Child Marriages in Mexico, Peru, and the United States”</i>
11:50 – 12:10 pm	Presenter: Luis Fernando Rivera Gómez & Andres Yassir Leones Kligman Research Mentor: Dr. Martonia Gaskill <i>“Artificial Intelligence in College Level Classrooms: Students and Faculty Perceptions of Using ChatGPT”</i>
12:10 – 12:25pm	Presenter: Paola Yingyu Ruan Wu Research Mentor: Dr. Chandra Diaz <i>“Mental Health Stigma Development and Validation of a Theory-Based Mental Health Stigma Measure for university students”</i>

SESSION II - PONDEROSA D

1:45 pm – 3:15 pm

TIME	SESSION
1:45 – 2:00pm	Presenter: Dr. Aimée Argüero Fonseca, Universidad Autónoma de Nayarit <i>“Enhancing Environmental Psychological Restoration for Anxiety through Virtual Reality: A Promising Therapeutic Approach”</i>
2:00 – 2:15 pm	Presenter: Dr. Carlos Eduardo Covantes-Rosales, Universidad Autónoma de Nayarit <i>“Mechanism of immunotoxicity of organophosphorus pesticides; evaluation of the extraneuronal cholinergic lymphocyte system as a potential molecular target of Ops”</i>
2:15 - 2:30 pm	Presenter: Montserrat Guadalupe Becerra Soto Research Mentor: Dr. Satoshi Machida <i>“Discriminación, Hostilidad y Amenaza a la comunidad china en México a causa de la Guerra comercial entre China-USA”</i>
2:30 - 2:45 pm	Presenter: Dr. Victor Wagner Barajas-Carrillo, Universidad Autónoma de Nayarit <i>“Experimental phytochemistry, pharmacognosy, and immunomodulation by functional foods”</i>
2:45 - 3:00 pm	Presenter: Nayely Yaremi Borryo Gonzalez, Universidad Autónoma de Nayarit <i>“Development of a set of inter-institutional laboratories of mixed reality as a new proposal for advanced virtual educational interaction with an ethical, legal and humanistic approach”</i>
3:00 – 3:15 pm	Presenter: Dr. Abel Gomez Guitierrez, Universidad Autónoma de Nayarit <i>“Socio-economic and political development of the municipality of San Blas Nayarit in the most recent decade (2012-2022)”</i>