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UC Berkeley

Joshua Blumenstock	School of Information	Evaluating Community Cellular Networks: How Does Mobile Connectivity Affect Isolated Communities?
Carl Boettiger	Environmental Science, Policy, and Management	Big Data, Big Uncertainty: Ecological Decision Theory for the 21st Century
Anne Collins	Psychology	Learning value from goals
Danika Cooper	Landscape Architecture and Environmental Planning	Waving a Magic Wand: Contemplating the Future of Water Management in Phoenix, Arizona
William Fithian	Statistics	Interactive Data Analysis and Replicability
Sanjam Garg	Electrical Engineering and Computer Sciences	Towards Cryptography from Minimal Assumptions

Laura Lammers	Environmental Science, Policy, and Management	Optimizing phosphorus recovery and reuse for agrifood sustainability
Arthur Middleton	Environmental Science, Policy, and Management	Evaluating patterns of puma predation to reduce human-wildlife conflicts in Patagonia
Raluca Ada Popa	Electrical Engineering and Computer Sciences	Enabling collaborative analytics on private data
Avani Sood	Law School	What's So Special About General Verdicts? Experimentally Exploring the Legal and Psychological Consequences of Special Versus General Verdicts in Criminal Law
Mahesh Srinivasan	Psychology	Reasoning about Religious Norms
Hayden Taylor	Mechanical Engineering	Processes for manufacturing 3D structures in very soft polymeric materials

Dan Weisz	Astronomy	Uncovering the Origin of the Elements
Emily Zazulia	Music	Theorizing Difficulty in Late-Medieval Music
UC Davis		
Katherine Eriksson	Economics	Mortality and migration in the early 20th century USA: Infants and cities
Ryan Finnigan	Sociology	How effectively do reporting-pay laws limit work schedule variability?
Seongkyu Lee	Mechanical & Aerospace Engineering	Toward quiet transformative electrical vertical aircraft

Alejandro Martinez	Civil & Environmental Eng	Enhanced harvesting of clean renewable geothermal energy enabled by soil treatment
Sarah (Sabbie) Miller	Civil & Environmental Eng	Bio-inspired geometries to advance sustainable plastics
Frances Moore	Environmental Science & Policy	Quantifying the costs of ecosystem damages from climate change for improved climate policy analysis
Crisitna Moya	Anthropology	The origins and spread of ritual
David Olson	Chemistry	Cellular methods for determining halucinogenic potential
Justin Spence	Native American Studies	PE Goddard's unpublished Hupa texts: Translation, analysis, and publication

Rachel Vannette	Entomology & Nematology	Characterizing the sructure and function of polinator microbiomes
Jiayi Young	Design	What does the bot say to the human? Data mapping presidential election social media activity
UC Irvine		
Ana Muñiz	Criminology, Law & Society	Digital Border-Building Through Gang Classification Completion and production of Gendering Reform, Networking Feminism:
Catherine Sameh	Gender & Sexuality Studies	Women's Rights Activism in Iran and the Diaspora and support for 2nd book project on Transnational Feminist Responses to Islamophobia
Tingting Nian	Business	Gender Bias in Online Tech World
Jaeho Lee	Mechanical & Aerospace Engineering	Bio-Inspired Emitters for Dynamic Surface Cooling and All-Day Clean Water Generation
Stephen Mahler	Neurobiology & Behavior	Long-Lasting Reward Circuit Changes Caused by Adolescent Exposure to Cannabinoid Drugs

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Nicholas Marantz Urban Planning & Public Policy The Political Economy of Apartment Housing in Coastal California

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UCLA

Daniele Bianchi	Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences	Acoustics Illuminates the California Current Ecosystem
Stephanie Bosch	Comparative Literature	The World in Short: Form, Media, and African Literature
Karida Brown	Sociology/African American Studies	The Origins of Racial Inequality in Education
Molly Fox	Anthropology/Psychiatry and Biobehavioral Sciences	Women's Pregnancy History and Alzheimer's-Related Immunoregulatory Deficiency
Jana Gallus	Management	Feedback and Worker Motivations in Online Labor Marketplaces
Ximin He	Materials Science and Engineering	Enhanced Purified Water Production by Artificial Phototropic Solar Vapor Generator

Jocelyn Ho	Music	Women's Labor
Jungseock Joo	Communication	Fake News and Misinformation: Media Credibility and News Believability
Aliza Luft	Sociology	Sacred Treason: How French Bishops Defected from Vichy to Save Jews during the Holocaust
Vadim Shneyder	Slavic, East European & Eurasian Languages and Cultures	Russia's Capitalist Realism: Historical Change and Narrative Form in Dostoevsky, Tolstoy, and Chekhov
Ellen Sletten	Chemistry and Biochemistry	A General Carrier for Biotherapeutics
Courtney Thomas	Community Health Sciences	The Racial Self-Awareness Framework of Race-Based Stress, Coping, and Health: A New Approach to Evaluate the Biopsychosocial Pathways to Health among African Americans

Felipe Zapata	Ecology and Evolutionary Biology	Studying the Speciation Continuum: Testing Hypotheses about the Origin and Evolution of Species
UC Merced		
Anand Subramaniam	Engineering	Deciphering the mechanism of formation of vesicles on cellulose paper and engineering artificial red blood cells
Benjamin Stokes	Chemical Sciences	Sustainable Methods to Construct Pharmaceutically Relevant Congested C-C Bonds
Justin Cook	Economics	Mapping and Digitizing Historic Civilization Borders
Stephen Wooding	Public Health	Genetics and domestication of cassava (Manihot esculenta) a key Amazonian crop

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UC Riverside

Jiasi Chen	Computer Science & Engineering	Deep learning for augmented reality on mobile devices
Jody Benjamin	History	The Texture of Change: Cloth, Commerce and History in Western Africa, 1700-1850
Laura Sales	Physics And Astronomy	Diffuse Stellar Halos as Cosmological Time Machines
Liz Przybylski	Music	A New Song: Musical Performance as Aesthetic Action
Quinn Mcfrederick	Entomology	Pollinator Protection via the study of Symbiosis
Sara Becker	Anthropology	Motion Capture Computer Modelling Ancient Labor Practices

William Dunlop	Psychology	Mapping the Personality of Young Adult Moral Exemplars
UC San Diego		
Patty Ahn	Communication	Black/Korea
Erik Carlson	Music	Webern Variations recording project
Erica Cho	Visual Arts	Beautiful Stories (short narrative film series)
Sergey Kryazhimskiy	Ecology/Behavior & Evolution	Predicting Adaptive Evolution in a Microbe

Arun Kumar	Cse	A Declarative, High-Throughput, and Reproducible Model Selection Framework for Deep Neural Networks
Johathan Novak	Mathematics	New Mathematical Methods for the Analysis of Complex Systems
Jeremie Palacci	Physics	Tunable Structural Pigments for Smart Fabrics using Non-Equilibrium Interactions
Lauren Prather	Global Policy And Strategy	From Monitoring to Meddling: How Foreign Actors Shape Local Trust in Elections
Stephanie Richards	Music	Scratch & Sniff: The Stephanie Richards Quartet
Caren Walker	Psychology	Diversity in Learning Contexts and the Emergence of Abstract Reasoning

Brian Zid	Chem/Biochem	The Role of RNA/Protein Mislocalization During Aging
UC Santa Barbara		
Elizabeth Chrastil	Geology	Individual differences in navigation ability as an early marker for mental disorders
Erika Eliason Parsons	Ecology, Evolution, and Marine Biology	Can diet mediate environmental tolerance limits?
Matto Mildenberger	Political Science	Prospects for climate risk mitigation in a post-Paris world
David Lawson	Anthropology	Understanding Men's Incentives for Women's Empowerment: Testing predictions from sexual conflict theory in Tanzania

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	Lal Zimman L	inguistics	The Language of I	Latinx. Chicanx &	Indiaenous Tro	ans Identities in México & California
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Joseph Balnkholm Religion "Purely Secular: Organized Nonbelievers and the Negated Tradition"