

2018 STUDENT PAPER COMPETITION

Winners

The North Central Sociological Association is pleased to announce the 2018 winners of the student paper competition.

GRADUATE DIVISION

1st place: Jaclyn Tabor, Indiana University

“Mom, Dad, or Somewhere In Between: Ambiguities Facing Children of Transgender Parents”

Adviser: Brian Powell, Indiana University

2nd place: Brittany Kowalski and R. Kyle Saunders, West Virginia University

“My Fellow Americans: Role Congruity of Presidential Candidates Impacts Public Perceptions”

Adviser: Lisa Dilks and Lynne Cossman, West Virginia University

3rd place: Roshan K. Pandian, Indiana University

“World Society Integration and Gender Attitudes in Cross-National Context”

Adviser: Brian Powell, Indiana University

UNDERGRADUATE DIVISION

1st place: Emily Baert, Saint Mary’s College

“I’m Homeless but I’m Not Homeless: How Guests at the Center for the Homeless Construct Identity”

Adviser: Leslie Wang, Saint Mary’s College

2nd place: Alexis Hilling, Yasaman Jafarloo, Deryn Kenyon, and Casey Snyder, West Virginia University

“The Impact of Gender on Campus Sexual Assault: Where does Responsibility Lie?”

Adviser: Lisa Dilks, West Virginia University

3rd place: Kristie LeBeau, Saint Mary’s College

“Support a School, Preserve a Community: A Content Analysis of a Newspaper's Portrayal of a Rural School-Community Relationship”

Adviser: Leslie Wang, St. Mary’s College