



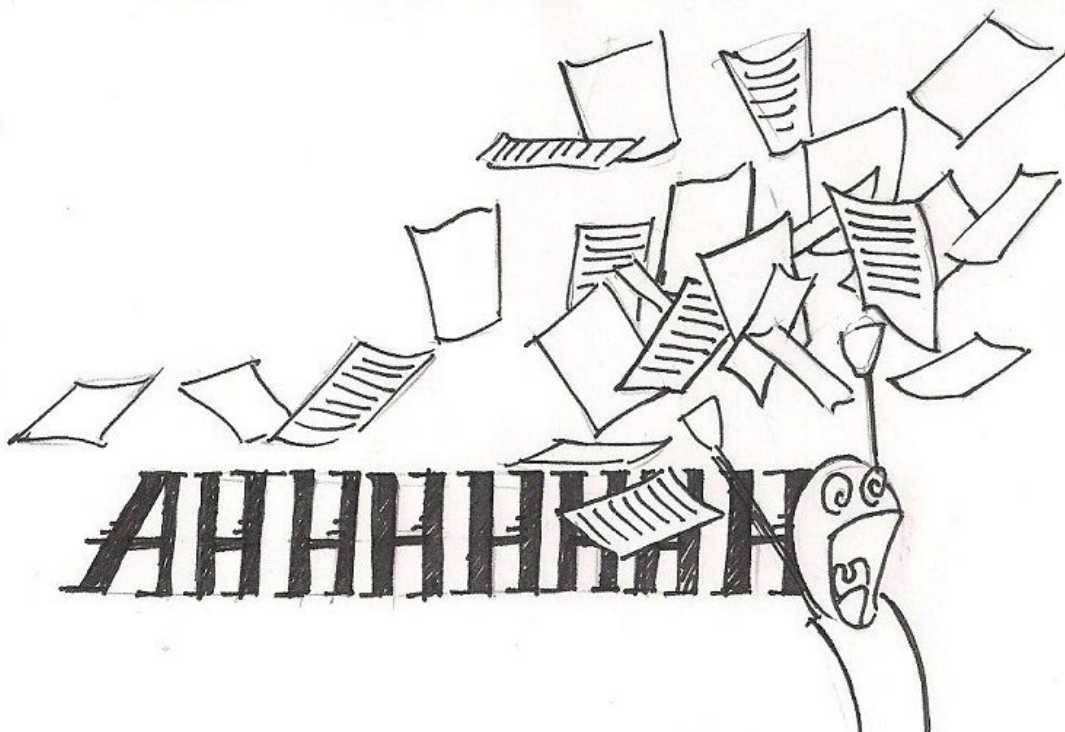
# CHI Digest

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## Last Week Of The Semester!

Finals, Assignments, & Projects, Oh My!

by **Anthony Abate** on December 11, 2017



It's here! Some of us dread it, some of us look forward to it, but regardless we all have to face it--finals week. As we head into this last week of school we want to remind all of you that you are capable of greatness. Here are a few tips for the week:

- Remember to use the resources on campus like the tutoring center, library, and Honors lounge.
- Studying is good, but studying with others can be more beneficial, so try to get a study group going with a few classmates.
- Lastly.....BREATHE! You can do this!

On behalf of CHI, we wish you well during this last week. We would also like to thank you all for such an amazing semester. We will see you all in Spring!

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THIS MONTH'S  
ANNOUNCEMENTS & HIGHLIGHTS



# Honors Students and Faculty Luncheon

by **Anthony Abate** on December 11, 2017

Our luncheon hosted by Honors Coordinator Judy Cannon was a huge success! We had an estimated 80 attendees including Honors students, faculty, and Foundation members. While everyone enjoyed a nice Italian lunch, we heard from various student and faculty speakers, including Professor Urbanovich, who spoke about what being an Honors professor means to him. We also heard about the importance of student research from Professor T.L. Brink. We are looking forward to future events like this that bring students and teachers together. Thank you all for attending.

## CHC Student Research Conference

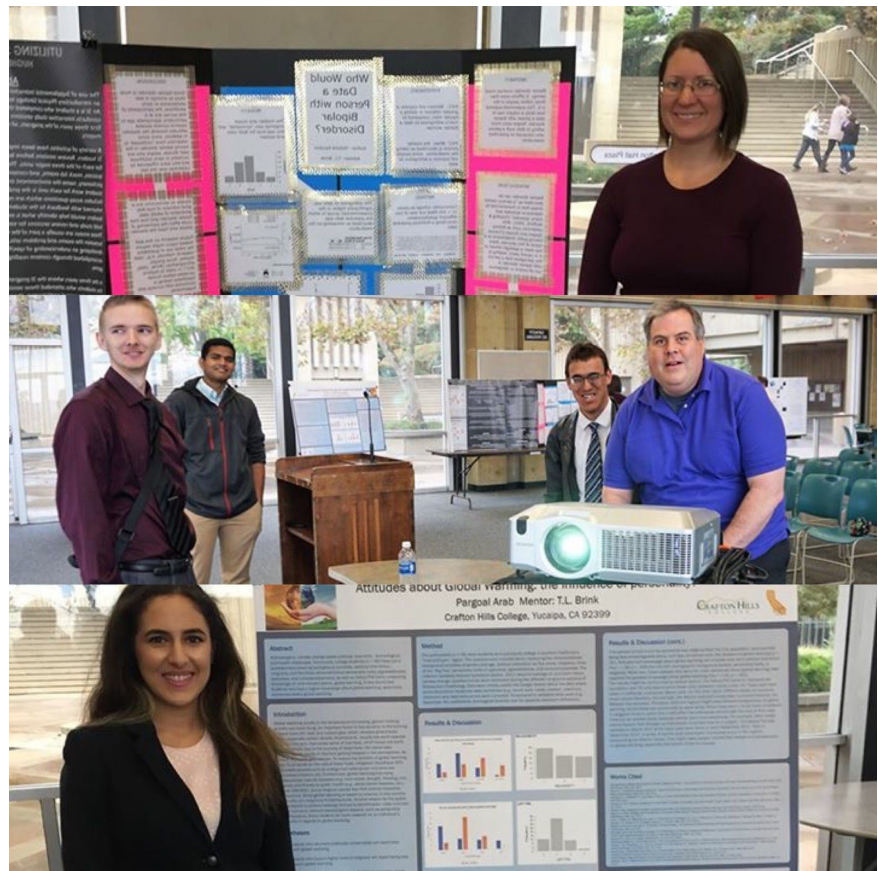
by **Pargol Arab** on  
December 11, 2017

The CHC Student Research Conference was held in the old cafeteria on Friday, November 17th.

Four students (Jason Mathew, Victoria Karalun, Daniel Mazzanti, and Pargol Arab) and one faculty member (Professor Hughes) presented posters, and one faculty member (Professor DiBartolo) had a display.

Six students (Glen Prozanski, Andrea Gomez, Daniel McCluskey, Victoria Karalun, Daniel Mazzanti, and Ramina Gharibgard) and five faculty (Professors Brink, Gamboa, De la Pena, Wurtz, and Yau) gave oral presentations. Many topics were covered, from vaccinations to suicide.

This event is held every fall. By attending or presenting, Honors students will receive points for the Honors Research Fellow Award.





# Double Honors Student Highlight

by **Anthony Abate** on December 11, 2017



## Meet **Jacob Granado!**

Jacob is a double major here at CHC in Communications & Social Science with plans to enter a production or media studies program at a 4-year college.

**What Honors means to Jacob:** *"Being part of the Honors program means challenging myself to be the best version of myself that I can possibly be. I've set out to challenge myself for most of my life in my educational development because I believe pushing yourself beyond your breaking point, beyond your comfort zone, is where you truly learn how to grow, mold and manifest your highest self."*

**A Fun Fact:** *"I am an adrenaline junkie. I have gone ziplining, bungee jumping, skydiving, and am constantly seeking the next great adventure. I'm not scared of much and will try anything once, although I'm deathly afraid of the dark."*

Swing by the honors lounge to check out Jacob's full interview.

## Meet **Elijah Gerard Wimby!**

Elijah is a Political Science Major

### **What Honors means to Elijah:**

*"I've never really joined things for the actual activity, I've joined them for community. With the Honors program, it's great to be able to meet other people who are passionate and determined when it comes to their education."*

**A Fun Fact:** *"I was part of the first marching band to march down the main street of Paris, France in 2015 as a part of their New Years parade."*

Swing by the honors lounge to check out Elijah's full interview.



# Coach Cupboard - Volunteer Opportunity

by **Maranda Jiles** on December 11, 2017

Coach Cupboard is a free resource to students on campus experiencing food insecurity. The Coach Cupboard food pantry was created in 2013 by our very own professor Janine Ledoux. It has always been her heart to give students and faculty a way to support others in need. In fact, the very name of the pantry reads:

COACH Creating Opportunities And Changing Hearts

The pantry partners with students like you to make sure the Coach Cupboard is open as many hours in the day as possible. Several Honors students have already started serving there and already have plans to complete their service hours there. Coach Cupboard has a convenient location on campus with space and time to help you complete your service hours while really taking care of the needs of others. If you are interested in doing your service hours there, contact [jilesmaranda@gmail.com](mailto:jilesmaranda@gmail.com) for more information. And Happy Serving!!!



## Do You Have Honorable Friends?

by **Anthony Abate** on December 11, 2017

We continue to grow in numbers weekly here at CHI, but we know there are more honorable students who would like to challenge themselves with the exciting opportunities in our program. We encourage you to share your experience with friends and classmates and encourage them to apply to join CHI. All of the qualifications as well as the benefits of completing the program can be found on our school website as well as in the link at the bottom of our newsletter. The only thing better than succeeding and accomplishing your goals is being able to do it with friends!

## Upcoming Events

Mon., Dec. 11 – Fri., Dec. 15: Finals

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