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Author	Dissertation Title
Bubley, Walter J.	Updated Life History and Population Structure Assessment of Spiny Dogfish, <i>Squalus Acanthias</i> , in the Gulf of Maine

Biochemistry

Author	Dissertation Title
Sung, Way	Study of the Rate and Spectrum of Spontaneous Mutations
Zhang, Chongxu	Identifying Novel Proteins in Translation Complex by Using Analytical Ultracentrifugation With Fluorescent Detection System

Chemistry

Author	Dissertation Title
Bubnis, Gregory J.	Modeling the Self-Assembly of Functionalized Fullerenes on Solid Surfaces Using Monte Carlo Simulations
Haase, Karl B.	Calibration, Optimization, and Deployment of PTR-MS Instruments During the Airmap Project
Taschner, Ian Scott	I. Progress Toward the Synthesis of Plakortether B Through A Zinc-Mediated Homologation II. Synthesis of Novel Hydroxy-Cyclopropyl Peptide Isosteres
Terova, Ilia	Chromatographic Studies and Analytical Methods Development for Selected Tetraazamacrocycles and Their Cu(II) Complexes

Civil Engineering

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Krishna Swamy, Aravind	Evaluating Mode of Loading Effect and Laboratory Fatigue Performance of Asphalt Concrete Using Viscoelastic Continuum Damage Mechanics

Computer Science

Author	Dissertation Title
Pineo, Daniel S.	The Application of Computational Modeling to Data Visualization

Earth&Environmental Sci

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Carlson, Cynthia H	Efficiency of the Built Environment: Interdependencies in Transportation, Development Form and Public Health
Contosta, Alexandra Reid	Seasonal, Biogeochemical, and Microbial Response of Soils to Simultaneous Warming and Nitrogen Additions
Kim, Su Youn	Continental Outflow of Polluted Air from the U.S. to the North Atlantic and Mercury Chemical Cycling in Various Atmospheric Environments

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Education

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Carter, Mary Halpin	Independently Innovative: Teachers and Change in Successful Schools
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Kortz, Kirsten Nerissa	Linking Goals to Outcomes: Exploring Students' Achievement Goals, Strategy Use, and Standards of Success for Learning
Malloy, JoAnne M	"If We Want an Education, We Want an Education. It's Our Choice:" How Four Youth at Risk of Dropping Out of High School Experienced Social Capital
Rohde, Leigh E	Preschool Teachers' Beliefs and Practices: Emergent Literacy in Inclusive Preschools
Young, Michael C	An Analysis of Appreciative Inquiry as Organizational Development for an Alternative School

EES:Oceanography

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Goodwin, Deborah S	Sattellite-Derived Fluorescence Quantum Yields as Indicators of Phytoplankton Photophysiology
Novak, Alyssa Beth	Unraveling the Mystery of Leaf Reddening in Seagrasses

Electrical Engineering

Author	Dissertation Title
Chen, Gang	Design of a Low Power Switched-Capacitor Pipeline Analog-to-Digital Converter

Engineering:Mat Science

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Siik, Melissa Kim	"The Alien Within": Residual Catholicism and the Emerging National Identity of Post-Reformation England
Williams, Jason Richard	Competing Visions: Women Writers and Male Illustrators in the Golden Age of Illustration

History

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Pastore, Christopher L.	From Sweetwater to Seawater: An Environmental History of Narragansett Bay, 1636-1849

Materials Science

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Augustyniak, Anita	In-Situ Early Detection of Metal Corrosion Via "Turn-On" Fluorescence in "Smart" Epoxy Coatings

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Yuan, Chengwei	Models and Methods for Computationally Efficient Analysis of Large Spatial and Spatio-Temporal Data

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Generazzo, Susan D	Proof and Reasoning in an Inquiry-Oriented Class: The Impact of Classroom Discourse

Mechanical Engineering

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Hasan, Raed Zuhair	Analytical and Numerical Prediction of Localized Necking in Sheet Metal Forming Processes

Microbiology

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Nascimento, Lucigleide N.	The Long Journey to Become the 'River of National Unity': The Sao Francisco River Basin from 1940s to 2008 and the Interactions of Environment, Government and Local Citizens
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Traister, Elena	Effects of Physical and Chemical Disturbance on Stream Ecosystem Structure and Function

Ocean Engineering

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Physics

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Dregely, Isabel M.A.	Hyperpolarized 129XE Magnetic Resonance Imaging of Functional Lung Microstructure
Qian, Xin	Computational Studies of Nonlinear Dispersive Plasma Systems
Ren, Guoqin	Aspects of String Compactification
Woolf, Richard S.	Development and Characterization of a Fast Neutron Imaging Telescope (FNIT) for 1-20 MeV Neutrons from the Sun and Nuclear Material

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Dobias, Joshua Jay	Ocular Dominance and Temporal Dynamics in the Venetian Blind Effect
Hembrook, Jacqueline R	The Role of Reuniens and Rhomboid Thalamic Nuclei in Spatial Memory
Overson, Catherine Elizabeth	Three Elements of Self-Regulated Learning: Metacognitive Functioning, Self-Efficacy, and Study Behavior
Rogers, Rachel A.	The Role of Personal and Contextual Variables in College Students' Academic Achievement
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Turcotte-Seabury, Catherine Anne	Wage Employment, Traditional Subsistence, and Aspirations Among Inupiat and Yup'ik in the Mixed Economy of Northwest Alaska

Systems Design

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Suprock, Christopher A	Wireless Sensor Integrated Tool for Characterization of Matching Dynamics in Milling

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Marston, Susan P.	Maximizing Profit on New England Dairy Farms: An Economic Comparison of Four Total Mixed Rations for Organic Holsteins and Jerseys

Chemical Engineering

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Chen, Yi-Hsin	A Rotating Ring-Disk Study of Interactions Among SPS, Cuprous Ions, and Oxygen

Chemistry

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Ambrose, Jesse L.	Volatile Organic Compounds in the New England Troposphere: Atmospheric Chemistry and Measurement Techniques
Du, Jie	Ratiometric Fluorescent Metal Ion Indicators Based on Functionalized Poly (N-Isopropylacrylamide)
Jacobine, Alexander M.	I. Ceric Ammonium Nitrate-Mediated Oxidative Cleavages of Hemiacetals II. Synthesis of B-Proline Derivatives Through the Tandem Chain Extension-Imine Capture Reaction
Kopreski, Ryan P.	Computational and Experimental Studies of Acenes, Starphenes and [60]Fullerene Derivatives
Osambo, John O.	Chemical Sensors Based on Swellable Polymer Microparticles and Molecular Imprinted Polymers
Young, Matthew J.	Development of Nitrogen Protecting Groups and Synthesis and Complexation of Bridged Bistetrazamacrocycles

Computer Science

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Education

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Blatt, Erica	An Ethnographic Investigation of the Process of Change in Students' Environmental Identity and Pro-Environmental Behavior in an Environmental Science Course
Charles, Anita S.	"It's Just Part of What We Do": Adolescent Interactions with Multimodal Texts Across Social Spaces
Craig, Patricia J.	Moving Beyond Entry-Level Competencies: The Role of the Recreation Management Internship in the Moral Development of College Students
Henley, Antonio	Educator Perceptions of Policies that may Impact Black Male High School Persistence
Johnson, Rachel P.	Navigating the Cultural Gaps: Whiteness and Diversity in two Elementary School Classrooms
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Engineering:Systems Design

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Simpson, Steven W.	Learning Systems: An Ecological Perspective on Advanced Academic Literacy Practices of Multilingual Writers

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Mann, Alison T.	Slavery Exacts and Impossible Price: John Quincy Adams and the Dorcas Allen Case, Washington, D.C.
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Powers, Arthur G.	An Initial Evaluation of Market-Based Land Reform in Brazil: Can it Create Sustainable Communities?
Tardie, Peter S.	Land Development in Massachusetts: Its Effect on the Environment Within Essex and Middlesex Counties from 1990 to 2007
Trubetskova, Irina	From Biosphere to Noosphere: Vladimir Vernadsky's Theoretical System as a Conceptual Framework for Universal Sustainability Education
Washburn, Erika L.	To Pave Or Not To Pave: A Social Landscape Analysis of Land Use Decision-Making in the Lamprey River Watershed

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Miao, Bin	Local Structure of Earth's Quasi-Perpendicular Bow Shock
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Zoology

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Auker, Linda A.	The Effects of Didemnum Vexillum Overgrowth on Mytilus Edulis Biology and Ecology
Golet, Walter J.	Somatic Condition, Growth and Distribution of Atlantic Bluefin Tuna (Thunnus Thynnus) in the Gulf of Maine
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Kavanaugh, Scott I.	Gonadotropin Releasing Hormone in Agnathans
Struwe, Weston B.	Modeling Congenial Disorders of Glycosylation in C. Elegans: Genetic Influences and Structural Consequences of N-Linked Glycosylation

Chemistry

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Odendaal, Antoinette Y.	A Modified Synthesis, C-Functionalization, Resolution and Racemization Kinetics of Cross-Bridged Tetraazamacrocycles
Stigers, Dan J.	Synthesis of Unsymmetrical Pendant-Armed and Phosphonic Acid-Pendant-Armed Cross-Bridged Tetraazamacrocycles
Zhou, Hui	Clycan Characterizations with Application in Metal Ion Binding, the 1918 Influenza Virus Neuraminidase Formation and Human Receptors

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Earth&Environmental Sci

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Education

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Engineering:Civil

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Prieto Piedrahita, Rafael	Treatment of Contaminated Sediments using Reactive Cap Technology: Characterization and Modeling of Geotechnical, Hydraulic and Contaminant Transport Behavior of Cap-Sediment Systems
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Engineering:Electrical

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Engineering:Mat Science

Author	Dissertation Title
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Engineering:Ocean

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Mulukutla, Gopala K.	Determination of Geotechnical Properties of Seafloor Sediment using a Free Fall Penetrometer

English

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Hanson, Joleen R.	Knowing More Than They Can Tell: An Assessment of Genre Awareness Among Students in Writing Intensive Zoology and Civil Engineering Courses
Healey, Christina L.	Excavating the Landscapes of American Literature: Archaeology, Antiquarianism, and the Landscape in American Women's Writing, 1820-1890
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Genetics

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History

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Grasso, Glenn M.	The Maritime Revival: Antimodernity, Class, and Culture, 1870-1940
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Yuan, Wei	Kadison-Singer Algebras

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Hopkins, Mary H.	A Wild Web: The Tangled History of Attitudes Toward Wildlife in a Dynamic New England Culture, 1945-1985
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Physics

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Gilman, Anne T.	Keeping Visual-Auditory Associations in Mind: The Impact of Detail and Meaningfulness on Crossmodal Working Memory Load
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Dunn, Rebecca L.	Biomonitoring Polybrominated Diphenyl Ethers in Lactating Women

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Chemistry

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Earth Science: Oceanography

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Engineering:Civil

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Engineering:Electrical

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Genetics

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History

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Literacy&Schooling

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Mathematics

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Microbiology

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Spenninhauer, Tania R.	The Development of Tools to Allow Genetic and Genomic Analysis of Frankia
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Mitchell, Clayton R.	The Local Land Use Process in New Hampshire: Does it Contribute to Sprawl?
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