Spring 2020 Dean’s Student Colloquium
Proposal Instructions

Completed proposals (including the cover page) are due to camille.johnson@sjsu.edu by March 6, 2020 at 5pm.

The proposal should not exceed 1200 words (excluding the bibliography/references page) and must contain the following sections.

A. INTRODUCTION
   • Background, including the need for the project
   • Research question/s and/or issues addressed, with a clear thesis statement
   • Significance of the project, including potential impact to the discipline/field

B. MATERIALS & METHODS
   • Methodology and rationale for addressing the research question/s or issues (e.g., describe the steps undertaken to do the project)
   • Research or creative methods (e.g., statistical analysis, surveys, experiments, content analysis, textual analysis, rhetorical analysis, ethnography, interviews, performance, exhibition, etc.)
   • Description of data or materials

C. RESULTS OR OUTCOMES
   • Results/outcomes (probable results/outcomes if the project is in-progress)
   • Discussion of results/outcomes

D. RELEVANT BIBLIOGRAPHY