

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 2025

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**STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT** 2025  
CONFERENCE



BEMIDJI  
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## STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT CONFERENCE – APRIL 2, 2025

### CREATE, INNOVATE, INSPIRE

#### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 9:30 to 10 a.m.** Breakfast- Pastries, Potatoes, Bacon, Sausage, Eggs, Coffee, & Decaf, Hot Tea
- 10 to 11 a.m.** Opening Ceremony-Keynote speaker Gary Johnson  
<https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/94595166627>
- 11 to 12 p.m.** Oral Presentations
- 12 to 1pm** Lunch-Fried bread taco available for purchase @AIRC
- 1 to 2 p.m.** Poster Presentations
- 2 to 3:30 p.m.** Oral Presentations (Cont.)

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#### OPENING CEREMONY

**10 a.m. - 11 a.m.**

- Bemidji State University's Land Acknowledgment
- Welcome Song: Nathaniel McDonald
- Welcome Video: Dr. John Hoffman, President
- 2025 Student Achievement Conference Poem:
- "An Artist's Eye" – Eddie Anderson
- Keynote Speaker: Gary Johnson, Former CEO & General Manager, Paul Bunyan Communication  
<https://minnstate.zoom.us/j/94595166627>
- Closing Remarks: Dr. Travis Ricks

## KEYNOTE SPEAKER

### GARY JOHNSON

Gary Johnson recently retired after a 36-year career in technology and telecommunications. He spent his entire career with Paul Bunyan Communications, Minnesota's largest not-for-profit broadband cooperative, where he started as a computer programmer. Gary held various technical and leadership roles leading up to his last 12 years as CEO, always focusing on the people and the technology enabling Internet, digital video, and broadband innovation.

Paul Bunyan Communications has received national recognition for their early adoption of fiber optics technology, aggressive rollout of the GigaZone – their advanced all-fiber multiple gigabit network, and their commitment to the rural communities they serve.

In addition to numerous roles with the cooperative, Gary was active in a number of local, state, and national industry organizations, serving in a variety of governance and leadership capacities. He continues his volunteer service to a number of local community organizations, including the United Way of Bemidji Area, Sanford Health of Northern Minnesota, and the Bemidji Rotary Club.

His commitment to both community and industry led to a number of awards and recognition including Minnesota State University Moorhead's Distinguished Alumni Award, NTCA – The Rural Broadband Association's Lifetime Achievement Award, Twin Cities Business magazine's 100 People to Know, and Rotary International's District Rotarian of the Year.

Gary is married to Denise, his wife of 35 years. They have three adult children.



# An Artist's Eye

By Eddie Anderson

Perspective. (Noun.)

: A mental view or prospect.

The distance from a canvas, lambskin.

The muse of your someday-soon magnum opus, beautiful.

The reason you ever decided to write, politics.

Form. (Noun.)

: The shape and structure of something as distinguished from its material.

The rhythmic structure of a poem, heartbeat.

The placements in a still-life, artificial.

The marble skin of a stone-cold Roman, Venus.

Distance. (Noun.)

: An extent of space measured other than linearly.

The narrator speaking in dulcet tones, unreliable.

The calculation of ratio, golden.

The view of your television screen, fear.

Tone. (Noun.)

: Color quality or value.

The vulnerability of skin, crimson.

The multitudes of hatred, black.

The blues in the sky and sea, overwhelming.

Creator. (Noun.)

: One that creates, usually by bringing something new or original into being.

The life experiences that shape you, fiction.

The world you see, in all its shapes and colors, painting.

The meanings you piece together with every little word, poetry.

# ORAL PRESENTATIONS

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

## HAGG-SAUER 150

11:00 – 11:15 a.m.

Title: The Humanities in Revolt: How Student Activism Reclaimed Higher Education

Presenter: Darby Bersie

Sponsor: John Ellis

Facilitator: Bonner Karger

11:20 – 11:35 a.m.

Title: Student Voices, Administrative Silence: A Student Perspective on Leadership and Institutional Failures at Bemidji State University

Presenter: Darby Bersie

Sponsor: Danielle Sullivan

Facilitator: Bonner Karger

11:40 – 11:55 a.m.

Title: The Importance of Cultural Capital and Funds of Knowledge

Presenter: Angeline Harris

Sponsor: Danielle Sullivan

Facilitator: Bonner Karger

## HAGG-SAUER 109

11:00 – 11:15 a.m.

Title: Incorporating Creative Writing in the Secondary Classroom

Presenter: Chloe Luce

Sponsor: Danielle Sullivan

Facilitator: Angela Fournier

11:20 – 11:35 a.m.

Title: Personality Development in Individuals with Dissociative Identity Disorder

Presenters: Ashley MacNeil

Sponsor: Sarah Cronin

Facilitator: Angela Fournier

11:40 – 11:55 a.m.

Title: Understanding Attitudes About Sexual Misconduct at Bemidji State University

Presenter: Malia Mains, Victoria Ames,

Gracy Yang, & Elijah Guist

Sponsor: Judith Zatkin

Facilitator: Angela Fournier

## HAGG-SAUER 116

11:00 – 11:15 a.m.

Title: Toxicity of Oxycarboxin and 2DG on Pancreatic Cancer Cells

Presenters: Sophia Gruener & Cameron Thoe

Sponsor: Kjerstin Owens

Facilitator: Kristina Cirks

11:20 – 11:35 a.m.

Title: Analysis of Porcupine Microbiota Through 16S rRNA Genomic Sequencing

Presenter: Shawn Martin

Sponsors: Kjerstin Owens & Mark Fulton

Facilitator: Kristina Cirks

11:40 – 11:55 a.m.

Title: The Next Step: Uncovering Pedagogical Impact in Online Environmental Education

Presenters: Crystal Kastl

Sponsor: Paul Kivi

Facilitator: Kristina Cirks

## HAGG-SAUER 214

11:00 – 11:15 a.m.

Title: Gadzooks!: Slang and Modernisms in Translation and Adaptation

Presenter: Liz Fisher

Sponsor: Larry Swain

Facilitator: Miriam Rivera-Hokanson

11:20 – 11:35 a.m.

Title: Shakespeare and Musical Adaptation

Presenter: Hannah Lewis

Sponsor: Stephen Hamrick

Facilitator: Miriam Rivera-Hokanson

11:40 – 11:55 a.m.

Title: Making A Better Drawer Pull

Presenter: Joshua Wright

Sponsor: Michael Lund

Facilitator: Miriam Rivera-Hokanson

# POSTER PRESENTATIONS

## 1-2 p.m.

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#1

Title: The Perceptions of Prisoners Based on Demographics of Participants  
Presenter: Kaylee Schmidt  
Sponsors: Judith Zatkin & Kristina Cirks

#2

Title: Student-Athletes and the Relationship Between Body Image, Performance Anxiety, and Disordered Eating  
Presenter: Evelyn Hullopeter  
Sponsor: Judith Zatkin

#3

Title: Indigenous S.A.F.E. Screening  
Presenter: Fawn Leslie  
Sponsor: Mark Baez

#4

Title: The Time of Semester as a Confound Variable Leading to Inconsistent Correlational Findings Between Belongingness and Other Variables of Interest  
Presenter: Robert Mangiamele  
Sponsor: Travis Ricks

#5

Title: The Psychological Effects of Sport-Related Injuries on NCAA Division I Student-Athletes  
Presenter: Alexia Waller  
Sponsor: Shannon Norman

#6

Title: The Structural, Intermediary, and Socioeconomic Inequities of the Indian Residential School System Across the Midwest Region and Canada.  
Presenter: Savannah Martin  
Sponsor: Ashley Charwood

#7

Title: Examining the Social Determinates of Elder Housing / Homelessness in Beltrami County  
Presenter: Jade Frenzel  
Sponsor: Ashley Charwood

#8

Title: Examining Pregnancy and Motherhood while Incarcerated, in Scott County Minnesota  
Presenter: Blue Fischer  
Sponsor: Ashley Charwood

#9

Title: Examining Former and Current Incarcerated Individuals in Ramsey County  
Presenter: Alexia Lemke  
Sponsor: Ashley Charwood

#10

Title: Analyzing Homelessness and Housing Instability in Cass County, Minnesota  
Presenter: Justin Wilson  
Sponsor: Ashley Charwood

#11

Title: Examining Social Determinants of Health of Sex Trafficking in Koochiching County  
Presenter: Marissa Snell  
Sponsor: Ashley Charwood

#12

Title: Examining Substance Use and Abuse in Stearns County  
Presenter: Madison Janssen  
Sponsor: Ashley Charwood

#13

Title: Examining Domestic Violence in Polk County  
Presenter: Piper Glessing  
Sponsor: Ashley Charwood

#14

Title: Examining Parent and Children's Mental Health in Stearns County  
Presenter: Mikayla Schablin  
Sponsor: Ashley Charwood

#15

Title: Examining the Social Determinants in Youth Sex Trafficking in Beltrami County  
Presenter: Brittny Reierson  
Sponsor: Ashley Charwood

#16

Title: Examining Accessibility for Individuals with Disabilities in Olmsted County, MN  
Presenter: Brynne Vaught  
Sponsor: Ashley Charwood

#17

Title: Examining the Social Determinants of Child Abuse and Addition in Hennepin County  
Presenter: Allison Johnson  
Sponsor: Ashley Charwood

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Title: The Structural Determinants of Health Inequities of Native Americans in Minnesota  
Presenter: Marlena Hanson  
Sponsor: Ashley Charwood
- #19  
Title: The Impact of American Politics on Canadian Voters.  
Presenter: Reilly Funk  
Sponsor: Patrick Donnay
- #20  
Title: The Impact of Name, Image, and Likeness Agreements on Gender Equality in College Athletics  
Presenter: Aimee Christenson  
Sponsor: Patrick Donnay
- #21  
Title: Does Political Party Voter Contact Increase Voter Turnout?  
Presenter: Cody Gunsalus  
Sponsor: Patrick Donnay
- #22  
Title: Attitudes Toward Political Censorship in Eastern and Western Germany  
Presenter: Brandon Pionk  
Sponsor: Patrick Donnay
- #23  
Title: Deportation and Immigration Enforcement in the United States: Analysis of Regional and Country Variations  
Presenter: Exmond Ofori Sarpiah  
Sponsor: Patrick Donnay
- #24  
Title: The Disappearance of the Democratic Majority  
Presenter: Reese Adkins  
Sponsor: Patrick Donnay
- #25  
Title: Admissions and Outcomes: Evaluating the Predictive Power of the LSAT and UGPA  
Presenter: Lindsey McMonigal  
Sponsor: Patrick Donnay
- #26  
Title: The Affordable Care Act: Analyzing Rates of Healthcare Claim Denial  
Presenter: Lauren Sitter  
Sponsor: Patrick Donnay
- #27  
Title: To What Extent is Social Media A Tool for Political Mobilization?  
Presenter: Bridget Westrum  
Sponsor: Patrick Donnay
- #28  
Title: Identity and Adoption: Attachment Styles  
Presenter: Reagan Schwartz  
Sponsor: John Perlich
- #29  
Title: Media Consumption Effects on College Students' Dietary Choices  
Presenter: Sylve Waters  
Sponsor: John Perlich
- #30  
Title: The Healing Within the Medicine Game: Co-Cultural Theory and Indigenous Identity in the Sport of Baaga'adowewin - Lacrosse  
Presenter: Alex Rivera  
Sponsors: John Perlich & Timoth Baird
- #31  
Title: Alternative Media in Academia: Zines as Content & Creation  
Presenter: Crystal Kastl  
Sponsor: Danielle Sullivan
- #32  
Title: Serving Seniors with Spanish  
Presenter: Grace Kittel  
Sponsor: Miriam Rivera-Hokanson
- #33  
Title: Northern Student Magazine  
Presenters: Emma Niessink & Athena Hamann  
Sponsor: Valica Boudry
- #34  
Title: Analysis of Forest Dynamics  
Presenter: Gregory Gathje  
Sponsors: Mark Fulton & Jerry Smith
- #35  
Title: Does More Equal Less? The Effects of Elevated Carbon Dioxide and Temperature on Native and Invasive Grasses  
Presenters: Sonia Alfieri, Swelepru Marma, & Janette Hanni  
Sponsor: William Sea

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#36

Title: Edible Plants and the Effect of Elevated Atmospheric Carbon Dioxide and Soil Temperature  
Presenters: Alison McAghon, Selma Bles, Madison Zeiba, Joseph Votava, Amira Raukar, & Jerome Johnson  
Sponsor: William Sea

#37

Title: Mapping Aquifer Layers and Assessing Surface-Groundwater Connectivity in the Shingobee River Watershed  
Presenters: Ashley Crowl, Jordyn Harvey, & Mikenna Pattrin  
Sponsor: Miriam Rios-Sanchez

#38

Title: Analysis of Aquifer Hydrodynamics in Response to Precipitation Events for Integrated Management of Surface Water in the Shingobee River Watershed, Minnesota  
Presenters: Sienna Houle & Parker Young  
Sponsor: Miriam Rios-Sanchez

#39

Title: Comparative Analysis of Soil Health in Former Commercial Agriculture Lands at White Earth Tribal and Community College  
Presenters: Matty Bowstring, Raeanna Connor, Natalie Manypenny, Brent Murray, Bruce Turner, Asondra Weaver, & Delayna Heisler  
Sponsors: Allen Derks & Miriam Rios-Sanchez

#40

Title: Scavenger Activity on White-tailed Deer Carcasses; Implications for Prion Dispersal in Northern Minnesota  
Presenter: Damon Cooper  
Sponsors: Jacob Haus & Kristina Cirks

#41

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Presenter: Damon Cooper  
Sponsors: Jacob Haus & Kristina Cirks

#42

Title: The Relationship Between Plant Density and Microplastic Concentration in the Water in Lake Bemidji  
Presenter: Arian Garcia  
Sponsor: Andrew Hafz

#43

Title: Toxicity of Oxycarboxin and 2DG on Pancreatic Cancer Cells  
Presenter: Cameron Thoe  
Sponsor: Kjerstin Owens

#44

Title: Combination of SDH Inhibitors Decreases Pancreatic Cancer Cell Survival  
Presenter: Emily Wade  
Sponsor: Kjerstin Owens

#45

Title: Population Dynamics of Benthic Macroinvertebrates Utilizing Zebra Mussel Druses as Habitat  
Presenter: Amanda Schuermann  
Sponsor: Debbie Gueda

#46

Title: Evaluating the Roles of Rho Family GTPases in Basophilic KU812 Cell Degranulation  
Presenters: Dylan Cleveland & Robert Mangiamele  
Sponsor: Michael Hamann

#47

Title: Investigating Binding of Plantoside Derivative Compounds to Penicillin Binding Protein (PBP).  
Presenters: Trevor Rohder & Thor Solien  
Sponsor: Michael Hamann

#48

Title: Evaluating Interactions Between the Rho GTPase TCL and Coronin2b Using Split-Luciferase Assays.  
Presenters: Marlee Smith, Aleksandra Grigoryants, & Britta Lund  
Sponsor: Michael Hamann

#49

Title: Characterization of Little Ben that Infects Mycobacterium Smegmatis  
Presenter: Andrew Rizea  
Sponsor: Holly LaFerriere

#50

Title: Isolation and Characterization of the Novel Bacteriophage Jant and its Efficacy Against Mycobacterial Biofilms  
Presenter: William Ketola  
Sponsor: Holly LaFerriere

#51

Title: The Isolation and Characterization of Bacteriophage 4JanetorGreg  
Presenter: Karl Miller  
Sponsor: Holly LaFerriere



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#52

Title: Phage Therapy as a Solution to Antibiotic Resistance: Evaluating Bacteriophage KunnuSta and Vanarele Against Pseudomonas Aeruginosa Biofilms  
Presenters: Colby Jelliff & Sydney White  
Sponsor: Holly LaFerriere

#53

Title: A Study of Quantification of Vitamin C and Magnesium in a Women's Everyday Multivitamin.  
Presenters: Emily Skime & Jenna Totzauer  
Sponsor: Keith Marek

#54

Title: Analysis of Iron and Vitamin C in Supplement Capsules  
Presenters: Carissa Schultz & Jessica Harvey  
Sponsor: Keith Marek

#55

Title: Determination of Caffeine in Prime Energy Drinks  
Presenter: Aydin Miller  
Sponsor: Keith Marek

#56

Title: Computational Studies of the Reaction of Oxygen Atom with Propargyl Amine  
Presenter: Derek Hoffman  
Sponsor: Bob Quandt

#57

Title: Design, Synthesis, and Kinetic Analysis of an NBD-Coumarin Probe for Selective Hydrogen Sulfide Detection  
Presenters: Nickolas Olson & Ryan J. Richard  
Sponsor: Katie Peterson

#58

Title: Gd(III)-D03Am-Benzester for the Sequestration of Bicarbonate  
Presenters: Jack Larson, Caden Bolte, & Tristen Garner  
Sponsor: Katie Peterson

#59

Title: Quantitative Comparison of Famotidine and Calcium in Pepcid Complete vs. Generic Dual Action Antacid  
Presenters: Jack Larson & Owen Dukowitz  
Sponsor: Keith Marek

# TECHNOLOGY, ART & DESIGN ACHIEVEMENT

## Memorial 260

## 1-2 p.m.

### Graphic and Exhibit Design Portfolio Work

- Asia Anderson
- Jackson Struck
- Yeonwoo Kim
- Brigid Baier
- Abigail Jensen
- Isabelle Hennen

### Fine Art, Illustration, & MakerSpace Projects

- Zach Thureen
- Olivia Bakke
- Catarina Black

# ORAL PRESENTATIONS (CONT.)

2 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

## HAGG-SAUER 150

2:00 – 2:45 pm

Title: How Using Problem Solving Activities Can Positively Contribute to Better Small Group Communication.

Presenters: Grace Wipson, Aiden Doms-ki, Preston Garfin, & Matthew Greiner  
Sponsors: John Perlich & Donna

Pawlowski

Facilitator: Ruth Eckstrom

## HAGG-SAUER 214

2:00 – 2:15 pm

Title: Abundance Narrative Project: Time Capsule of Me (Online)

Presenter: Allie Halseth

Sponsor: Danielle Sullivan

Facilitator: Gary Rees

2:20 – 2:35 pm

Title: Climate Activism Through Storytelling

Presenter: Crystal Kastl

Sponsor: Danielle Sullivan

Facilitator: Gary Rees

2:40 – 2:55 pm

Title: Math Modeling: an Introduction for Non-Mathematicians

Presenter: Collin Ford

Sponsor: Dinush Jayasooriya

Facilitator: Gary Rees

# ONLINE POSTER PRESENTATION

10 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

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#1

Title: Integrating Funds of Knowledge to Engage Disengaged Students in Writing

Presenter: Rhianna Tschida

Sponsor: Danielle Sullivan

#2

Title: Promoting Funds of Knowledge and Cultural Capital: The Game of Rez Life

Presenter: Crystal Holmberg

Sponsor: Danielle Sullivan

#3

Title: Funds of Knowledge

Presenter: Miranda Ramirez

Sponsor: Danielle Sullivan

#4

Title: Student Belonging through Creative Writing

Presenter: Grace Collins

Sponsor: Danielle Sullivan

# CAPITOL ROTUNDA PRESENTATION

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#1

Title: The Time of Semester as a Confound Variable Leading to Inconsistent Correlational Findings Between Belongingness and Other Variables of Interest  
Presenter: Robert Mangiamele  
Sponsor: Travis Ricks

#2 \*Outstanding Conference Poster Winner

Title: The Oppressive Social Determinants Fueling Low Mental Health Among Black Youth in Ramsey County  
Presenter: Jasmyn Moore  
Sponsor: Emily Paine

#3

Title: Playing the Medicine Game: Co-Cultural Theory and Indigenous Identity in the Sport of La crosse  
Presenter: Alex Rivera  
Sponsor: John Perlich

#4

Title: Characterization of Bacteriophage Little Ben that Infects Mycobacterium Smegmatis  
Presenter: Andrew Rizea  
Sponsor: Holly LaFerriere

#5

Title: The Effect of Zebra Mussels on Minnesota Fish Communities  
Presenter: Benjamin Strei  
Sponsor: Andrew Hafz

#6 \*Outstanding Conference Poster Winner

Title: Navigating Imposter Syndrome from an Indigenous lens at a PWI  
Presenters: Olivia Verley & Taysha Curry  
Sponsor: Sarah Cronin

#7

Title: The Relationship Between Plant Density and Microplastic Concentration in the Water in Lake Bemidji, MN  
Presenter: Arian Garcia  
Sponsor: Andrew Hafz

## STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT DAY RECITAL

Wednesday, April 2, 2025, 7:30 pm

Main Theater

Bangsberg Fine Arts Complex

Scherzo No. 2 in B-flat minor, op. 31

Frédéric Chopin  
(1810-1849)

Luke Bastian, piano

Concertino in Hungarian Style, op. 21

Oskar Rieding  
(1840-1918)

Connor Tollefson, violin

Dan Will, piano

Concertino for Bass Trombone

Eric Ewazen  
b. 1954

*Andante con moto – Allegro vivace*

John Kirk, bass trombone

Dan Will, piano

Maya

Ian Clarke  
b. 1964

Kylee Beilke, flute

Samantha Melberg, flute

Dan Will, piano

"Ave Maria"

from *Otello*

Giuseppe Verdi  
(1813-1901)

Tamara Moore, soprano

Dan Will, piano

"Una donna quindici'anni"

from *Così fan tutte*

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart  
(1756-1791)

Johanna Engman, soprano

Dan Will, piano

# STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT DAY RECITAL

Wednesday, April 2, 2025, 7:30 pm  
Main Theater  
Bangsberg Fine Arts Complex

Wir wandelten, op. 96, no. 2

Johannes Brahms  
(1833-1897)

Hannah Lewis, soprano  
Denise Laaveg, piano

"Be Kind and Courteous"  
from *A Midsummer Night's Dream*

Benjamin Britten  
(1913-1976)

Helen Bartlett, soprano  
Dan Will, piano

"Je dis que rien ne m'épouvante"  
from *Carmen*

Georges Bizet  
(1838-1875)

Hailee Colgrove, soprano  
Dan Will, piano

Pace non trovo  
from *3 Sonetti del Petrarca, S. 270a* (First version)

Franz Liszt  
(1811-1886)

Carson Binkley, bass  
Dan Will, piano

The Golden Age of the Xylophone

Floyd Werle  
(1929-2010)

Brady Kacon, xylophone  
Dan Will, piano

# BEMIDJI STATE UNIVERSITY UNIFIED BASKETBALL EXTRAVAGANZA 2025

Gillett Recreation Center • 10 a.m - 1:30 pm.



Students: Brooke Theis, Erin Barrette, Jana Swanson, Eli Coenen, Keaton Brill, Mason Cronk

Sponsor: Sherry Holloway & Kierstin Hoven

## BEMIDJI STATE UNIVERSITY LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

We acknowledge that Bemidji State University is located on land and water that is the current and ancestral homeland of the Ojibwe and Dakota. We acknowledge the painful history of genocide, forced assimilation and efforts to alienate the Indigenous inhabitants from their territory here. We honor and respect the many diverse Indigenous peoples still connected to this land, retained tribal sovereignty, treaty rights and cultural resilience. Indigenous people are spiritual and physical caretakers of this land to which we all belong. Bemidji State University respects these sacred lands, stands with the community members from these Nations and will fight injustice in all its forms.



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