

**Department of Economics**  
**Honor Students**  
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Name	Title	Thesis Advisor	Honors Designation
Melissa B. Anderson	The Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act and Crime	Professor Barham	cum laude
Gregory J. Bland	Cyborg Capital: An Analysis of Utilities from Cochlear Implantation	Professor Flores	cum laude
Tara R. Buchalter	The Effects of South Africa's Old Age Pension on Educational Expenditures for Children in Multi-Generation Households	Professor Antman	cum laude
Natalia A. Duque Bernal	The Impact of the Internet on United States Earnings and Equality	Professor Savage	magna cum laude
William Grady Ferguson	The Effects of Information and Communication Technology on Income Inequity Across Countries	Professor Keller	cum laude
Maggie L. Peoples	Willingness to Pay Estimates for Type 2 Diabetes Prevention Program Attributes	Professor	