PROGRAM

9:15 - 9:20 a.m.
WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS
BESHARA DOUMANI
DIRECTOR OF MIDDLE EAST STUDIES

9:20 - 9:40 a.m.
SABIYA AHAMED

9:40 - 10:00 a.m.
NIKHITA MENDIS

10:00 - 10:20 a.m.
Q & A

10:20 - 10:30 a.m.
BREAK

10:30 - 10:50 p.m.
KUTAY ONAYLI
Thesis: Other Things That May Have Happened During A Long Day

10:50 - 11:00 a.m.

12:30 - 12:40 p.m.
RUBY MOORE-BLOOM
Capstone: A GIS Spatial Analysis of Iraqi and Syrian Refugees Resettled in New England

12:40 - 12:50 p.m.
NAISHAD KAI-REN
Capstone: Under what conditions do oil exports lead to exporter interventions in third world countries?

12:50 a.m. - 1:05 p.m.
Q & A

1:05 - 1:15 p.m.
RAPHAELA CHAKRAVARTI
Capstone: Reassessing Contentious Politics: The Algerian War of Independence

1:15 - 1:25 p.m.
ASYA IGMEN
Capstone: The Syrian Diaspora’s Potential to Fill the Gaps in Traditional Humanitarian Response

1:25 - 1:40 p.m.
Q & A

1:40 - 1:55 p.m.
MAX SCHINDLER
Capstone: Toward a historicized hermeneutics of the Shoah and its consequences for human rights

1:55 - 2:10 p.m.
MELISSA DEMBSKI-SULLIVAN
Capstone: The use of supplemental resources in Arabic foreign language high school curriculums

2:10 - 2:30 p.m.
FINAL WORDS

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