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**Hometown:** *Spencerport, NY*

**Major:** *Psychology*

**Hobbies:** *Reading, sewing, board games.*

### **Do/did you like Geneseo? Why did you choose to come to Geneseo?**

*Leyna:* A professor I had previously at Monroe Community College told me that Geneseo has the best psychology program in the SUNY system. I knew then that it would be the school I wanted to attend. Especially because I feel I perform better academically in smaller settings.

Geneseo was great, everything from the atmosphere of the town to the friendliness of the staff and student body. Like my previous MCC professor said, I got a really rigorous education that will help me as I pursue higher education.

### **Why do you feel that GREAT Day is important?**

GREAT Day is a great (pardon the pun) opportunity for students. Students are able to showcase what they have been diligently working on, and they can also learn what their friends and classmates have been working on.

### **How did it feel to present your work at GREAT Day?**

Unfortunately, there was a sudden death in my family and I was not able to actually present at GREAT Day because I was out of town. But, I thoroughly enjoyed the process; eagerly awaiting the decision, the elation when picked, the renewed excitement in my own work as I broke my paper down into presentation format, and finally when I returned to town to see that my paper excerpt had still been in the GREAT Day brochure. Although I did not get the full experience, I count myself lucky to have participated in the process.



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