

**Center for Undergraduate Research and Scholarship (CURS)
CURS Grant Funding Final Report**

Faculty Member:	Mahera Khaleque
Amount of Award:	\$388.70
Student(s) Involved (if any):	Shannon Smith
Specific Outcomes:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Drawing twelve complete drawings on paper in mixed media (varied scales, largest being 18" X 24") along with some preparatory sketches on the theme of mortality2. Studying the art works by the Norwegian Expressionist, Edvard Munch and the Baroque concept, "Vanitas"
<p>Discussion and Comments:</p> <p>The assignment allowed Smith to connect her concepts with her artistic abilities, resulting in a body of work that possesses the quality of public exhibits. She is in a process of developing her own style through using specific mark and art materials that are appropriate to express her thoughts.</p> <p>Thank you for the grant that helped Smith mat/frame four of her drawings.</p>	