

## Margaret Glide

**Title:** Undergraduate Conference on Language Variation and Language Contact

**Type:** Student conference presentation, Sociolinguistics Conference

**Time:** TBA

**Date:** March 30, 2012

**Location:** University of Michigan in Ann Arbor

**Sponsor:** University of Michigan in Ann Arbor

**Description:** Margaret Glide is an exceptional undergraduate student in the Department of Spanish. Her original research in Spanish linguistics, titled "*Languages of solidarity: a comparative analysis of Cuban Spanish in Miami and Judeo-Spanish*," has been accepted for presentation at the Undergraduate Conference on Language Variation and Language Contact, held at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor on March 30, 2012.

This undergraduate conference about language variation and language contact focuses on Native American languages, African American English, endangered languages, mixed languages, and pidgins and creoles, among other contact varieties. The conference will include a special panel session that provides undergraduates with advice on applying to and succeeding in graduate school. Also, the undergraduate conference will be held in conjunction with the Weinberg symposium (held the previous day, March 29, 2012), which will bring together many prominent language researchers from around the world.

Because her paper has been accepted for presentation, Ms. Glide's transportation, accommodation, and admission expenses will be funded by the conference, as will her admission to the Weinberg Symposium on the previous day, March 29.

More information about the Undergraduate Conference on Language Variation and Language Contact can be found at:

<http://linguistlist.org/callconf/browse-conf-action.cfm?ConfID=138663>

More information about the Weinberg Symposium can be found at:

<http://language.lsa.umich.edu/conferences-and-programs/weinberg-symposium>