

Poster: Early and Later Childhood Combustible Smoking Impact on E-Cigarette Trying

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The conference included 3,500 students from across America giving poster or oral presentations in all disciplines. The breadth of research demonstrated at the conference taught me new corners of exploration, such as special district funding tracking, child-parent relationships, and literary analysis of Latino short stories.

The weekend enabled me to also see what new ideas my peers in my field were forming. Perception in pre-memory, deepening state and trait working memory differences, and mental representation of categories were brought to light at this conference, and it helped me to understand how other labs and research projects are run.

The conversations flying with MSU students and over lunch with other conference attendees furthered the connection to other kinds of research and ways to rethink my own. Staying stagnant in one location can never push me to achieve bigger and better goals within my research, but exploring other disciplines and methods helps to broaden the potential of my future research.

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