8:30 a.m. Welcoming Remarks  
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8:45-10:45 a.m. Session A  
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Andrea Locke, Texas A & M University  
Jamie Stern, University of Vermont  
Mercedes Spencer, Vanderbilt University  
Stephany Cuevas, Harvard University

10:45-11:00 a.m. Break

11:00-1:00 p.m. Session B  
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Kevin Holt, Columbia University  
Mariana Giusti Rodriguez, Cornell University  
Kendall Park, Princeton University

12:30 p.m. Closing Remarks/Boxed Lunches
SESSION A
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8:45 a.m. Andrea Locke, Texas A&M University
Optical Bio-sensing towards Point of Care Applications

9:15 a.m. Jamie Stern, University of Vermont
Behind the Scenes: Distinct Structural Changes Underlie Tau’s Dynamic Microtubule Binding Behavior

9:45 a.m. Mercedes Spencer, Vanderbilt University
The Comprehension Problems of Children with Poor Reading Comprehension despite Adequate Decoding: Findings from Multiple Investigations

10:15 a.m. Stephany Cuevas, Harvard University
"Con mucho sacrificio, we give them everything we can": The Strategic Sacrifices of Undocumented Latina/o Parents

SESSION B
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11:00 a.m. Kevin Holt, Columbia University
Get Crunk: Performativity and Politics in Atlanta’s Hip-Hop Party Culture

11:30 a.m. Mariana Giusti Rodriguez, Cornell University
Going Beyond Co-ethnicity: Ethnic Cleavages and Programmatic Preferences in the Andes

12:00 p.m. Kendall Park, Princeton University
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