## 🏽 Honors Project

## Dallann Johnson

Dallann Johnson will graduate this spring with a bachelor's degree in psychology and a minor in sociology. During his time at La Roche, he served as a volunteer note-taker in support of students with disabilities and maintained an outstanding GPA. In 2019 Mr. Johnson was inducted into Psi Chi, the international honors society of psychology, and presented his work at an undergraduate psychology conference. After graduation Mr. Johnson plans to continue his education and enter the field of counseling psychology.

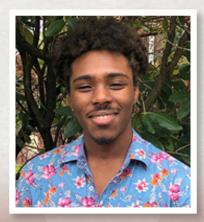
## Honors in Psychology

PTSD Treatment Outcomes and Race/Ethnicity

## HONORS COMMITTEE

Lee Markowitz, Ph.D.\* Barbara Herrington, Ph.D. Donald Kaminski, Ph.D.

African Americans have been found to develop PTSD more often and have higher lifetime prevalence of this disorder compared to other racial and ethnic groups. Current findings show African Americans drop out of treatment programs at a higher rate than other demographic groups. While some studies show a difference in care and outcomes by race and ethnicity, others find no difference at all for those who complete programs. Studies point to a need for innovation in research methods, as most studies rely on secondary analysis of existing data from prior research. This research examines the relationship of race/ethnic identity and PTSD treatment in the following areas: quality of care received, adherence, and outcomes.



LA ROCHE UNIVERSITY