UPCOMING CUR EVENTS & DEADLINES
CUR events are highlighted in indigo, CUR upcoming deadlines are noted in green.

**CUR Conversations: Structures Be Damned**
Members Only | April 23, 2021 @ 1:00 PM ET

**2021 Virtual Spring Graduate Fair**
Virtual | April 26, 2021 @ 1:00 - 3:00 PM ET

**Posters on the Hill: Welcome Reception**
Virtual | April 27, 2021 @ 2:00 PM ET

**Posters on the Hill: Poster Session**
Virtual | April 28, 2021 @ 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM ET

**CUR Conversations: Building Community**
Members Only | April 30, 2021 @ 12:00 PM ET

**Biology Division Small Research Grant Award**
Deadline | April 30, 2021

**CUR Conversations: Revisiting Student Outreach, Mentoring and Accessibility through a DEI Lens**
Members Only | May 11, 2021 @ 3:00 PM ET

**CUR Discussions with Goldwater Scholars Faculty Mentor Awardees**
Virtual | May 12, 2021 @ 2:00 PM ET

**Annual Business Meeting**
Details to follow | June 17-18, 2021

**Centering Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion in UR + Creative Activity Conference**
Virtual | June 23 - 25, 2021

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**2021 Virtual Spring Graduate Fair**

Looking for a graduate school or community to continue with your studies in the future? Look no further! The Council on Undergraduate Research presents the 2021 Spring Graduate Fair. This virtual fair will provide unlimited access to multiple graduate schools, research programs, and communities that will help pave the way to planning your future. Virtually meet face-to-face with admissions counselors on April 26, 2021, from 1:00 – 3:00 PM ET with the ease of a simple Zoom link! Spread the information to your students. **Registration is free >>**

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**Meet the Researchers | April 28 @2PM ET**

Posters on the Hill is a critical element in CUR's advocacy efforts. It is more important than ever that the voice of undergraduate researchers and their mentors are heard on Capitol Hill. Sixty student presenters have been selected from
hundreds of applicants to participate in this prestigious event. Explore these
researchers' individual pages, learn about their research, and come ask questions
on April 28 from 2:00-4:00 PM ET during our Virtual Poster Session.
Don't forget to tell spread the word as well! Meet the researchers >>

CUR announces faculty and student recipients of 2021 awards from CUR divisions. Visit the links below for
more information on the awardees.

**CUR Arts and Humanities Division**
Faculty Mentor Awardee: Gregory Young (Montana State University)
Student Scholarship Awardee: Chitra Dassapa (Chapman University)
Student Scholarship Awardee: Jesus Sanchez-Orozco (CSU Monterey Bay)
Student Scholarship Awardee: Amelia Parker (CSU Monterey Bay)

**CUR Chemistry Division**
Outstanding Mentorship Awardee: Tarek Abdel-Fattah (Christopher Newport University)
Outstanding Mentorship Awardee: Fadi Bou-Abdallah (SUNY Potsdam)
Outstanding Mentorship Awardee: Loretta Jackson-Hayes (Rhodes College)

**CUR Health Sciences Division**
Mentor Awardee, Early Career: Shana Stoddard (Rhodes College)
Mentor Awardee, Mid-Career: Trevor Day (Mount Royal University)
Mentor Awardee, Mid-Career: Katherine H. Ingram (Kennesaw State University)
Mentor Awardee, Advanced Career: Ben A. Bahr (University of North Carolina at Pembroke)

*NCUR Presentation Awardees:*
Cody Anderson (University of Nebraska Omaha)
Destiny Cravens (University of Alabama at Birmingham)
Seth Hubbard (University of Alabama at Birmingham)
Charlene Mansour (University of Alabama at Birmingham)
Brian Nguyen (University of Alabama at Birmingham)

**CUR Physics and Astronomy Division**
Nadine Barlow Undergraduate Research Support Awardees:
Mariah Goeks (Northern Michigan University)
Joseph Hammill (Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University)
Shannon O’Connor (Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University)
Jarres Plummer (Austin Peay State University)
Ruilin You (University of San Diego)

CUR Psychology Division
Psychology Research Awardees:
Rachel Blickman (Boise State University)
Alexis Cheatham (Franklin College)
Denver Dobson (Idaho State University)
Emily Knopf (University of Chicago)

CUR Social Sciences Division
Undergraduate Conference Presentation Awardee:
Jakee Smith (University of Arkansas at Monticello)

Early-Bird Rates for June Conference End May 17
Don't miss out on early-bird registration for the June 23-25, 2021, Centering Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in Undergraduate Research and Creative Activity virtual conference. With a variety of sessions including Building a Foundation of Inclusivity, Structures, and Practices That Support Equity in Undergraduate Research, and Diversifying Undergraduate Research through Inclusive Faculty Allies, this three-day conference is filled to the max with a variety of tracks and sessions full of knowledge and tactics. Check out the agenda and register soon to take advantage of early-bird rates >>

Upcoming CUR Conversations: Don't Miss Out!
As we wrap up this busy month of April filled with great content, don't forget to check out our upcoming CUR Conversations:

Structures Be Damned | April 23 @ 1:00 PM ET
Have you had a goal or a clear purpose for a new program or initiative, but, for reasons outside your control, it did not materialize? How did you deal with this failure? Come and talk with your peers about overcoming failures and confronting reality. Register >>

Building Community | April 30 @ Noon ET
How has community building changed in a remote or hybrid experience? Bring your experiences and hear from others on how they are tackling community building in research settings and classrooms. Register >>

Revisiting Student Outreach, Mentoring, and Accessibility through a DEI Lens
May 11 @ 3PM ET
Revisit some of the recently discussed topics from past conversations through a lens that focuses on issues of diversity, equity, and inclusion. Register >>
What Does It Take to Become a CUR-Goldwater Scholar?
You are formally invited to take part in our upcoming discussion on May 12, 2021, at 2:00 PM ET with the 2020 and 2021 CUR-Goldwater Scholars Faculty Mentor Awardees, Steven J. Miller (Williams College) and Dominick Casadonte Jr. (Texas Tech University). Listen in on mentoring tips for those who conduct research in the STEM discipline, and how this award has helped their program's undergraduate researchers. Make sure to RSVP today >>

Check Out the Updated Student Resource Center
Drawing on the expertise of CUR and its volunteers, the Student Resource Center provides valuable content and guidance to help meet undergraduate resource student needs related to academic and career preparation. Share with your students tips and resources such as how to build a resume, how to locate a research mentor, and how to network. Start exploring >>

Are You a Postdoc or Grad Student?
Register for our June 21, 2021, workshop on mentoring for graduate students and postdoctoral scholars. This workshop will introduce graduate students and postdoctoral scholars to the why, what, and how of mentoring undergraduates in research, scholarship, and creative activities. The workshop will combine panel sessions with active breakouts and provide support material to aid participants in their mentoring. Not a postdoctoral scholar or graduate student? Make sure to spread the word on this great opportunity. Registration closes June 16, 2021. Get an additional discount by registering for the Centering Diversity, Equity, + Inclusion in UR and Creative Activity Conference. Learn more >>

Get Ready for the 2021-2022 Membership Year
CUR has released information on how to renew your current membership for the upcoming 2021-2022 membership year. If you would like to join as a new member or have questions about the renewal process, please email CURMember@CUR.org.

A special welcome to a new Institutional member: University of Alaska Fairbanks.

CUR IS ON THE MOVE!
Check out CUR’s new secure payment processing address and more via our FAQ page.
FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS
Latest Discussions Happening in Our Community

- A member shares information on volunteer hours for your undergraduate research students. Read more.
- The National Office shared the NCUR 2021 @Home Plenary sessions. Have you checked them out?

Check out some of the other 2,000+ discussions happening now. (Members-Only)

Highlights: Member Resource Library

- UR conferences are in full swing this spring. Make sure your students know how to properly cite presentations in MLA and APA styles.
- This Week in Washington for April 19, 2021, was released. Check it out.

We are updating our exclusive member resources daily. Continue to check them out! Have resources you want to share? Send them here.

Latest Postings: CUR Job Board

- Biology Associate Lab Instructor | Austin College
- Visiting Assistant Teaching Professor of Chemistry | Widener University
- Multiple Biology Faculty Opportunities | Gaston College

Join CUR’s Job Board Community. (Members-Only)

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Become a SPUR Reviewer

The success of CUR's academic journal Scholarship and Practice of Undergraduate Research (SPUR) lies in the many dedicated individuals who serve in various roles for the journal. Especially crucial are those who review manuscripts for the journal. If you are interested in serving as a SPUR reviewer, please email SPUR@cur.org and indicate areas of expertise (e.g., assessment).

Five-in-Five Videos

We want to share trade-secrets, give a helping hand to those struggling, and celebrate the successes we have found. CUR started its Five-in-Five series to bring answers, make connections, and support the community. Do you have something you would like to share? Send it to emoris@CUR.org.

News Outside of CUR

NEH Opens Second Grant Round, New Directions for Digital Scholarship in Cultural Institutions

The National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) is accepting applications for the second round of the New Directions for Digital Scholarship in Cultural Institutions program supported by NEH and the UK Arts and Humanities Research Council. The initiative seeks to advance digital scholarship in cultural institutions such as museums, libraries, galleries, and archives. Recipients are eligible to receive grants of up to $150,000. The application deadline is July 8, 2021. Read more >>

Society for Science Celebrates 100 Years

The Society for Science has launched a new online timeline, 100 Years of Impact, that celebrates its centenary of service in covering key scientific discoveries, fostering science literacy, and nurturing leaders in STEM. Read more >>

Virtual UR Presentation & Paper Opps

- **Call for Abstracts**, 2021 Online Conference, NSF-Research Experience for Undergraduates Intersection of Linguistics, Language, and Culture | **Deadline April 25, 2021**
- **Call for Abstracts; Social Work Science for Racial, Social, and Political Justice; Society for Social Work and Research** | **Deadline April 30, 2021**
- **Call for Poster Abstracts**, "Legacy of Resilience," 2021 Virtual Conference, Nat Organization for the Professional Advancement of Black Chemists and Chemical Engineers | **Deadline April 30, 2021**
- **Call for Abstracts**, 2021 Virtual Mizzou Musculoskeletal Research Training Program Symposium | **Deadline April 30, 2021**
- **Call for Submissions, Undergraduate Research journal, Georgia College and State University** | **Deadline May 1, 2021**
- **Call for Abstracts**, Virtual 2021 Annual Conference, The Wildlife Society | **Deadline May 14, 2021**
- **Raymond J. Cunningham Prize**, American Historical Assn (for the best article published in a journal written by an undergraduate student) | **Deadline May 15, 2021**
- **Call for Papers**, “Special Forum: Undergraduate Perspectives on Feminism”; Journal of Feminist Scholarship | **Deadline May 15, 2021**
- **Call for Proposals**, Information+ Conference 2021: Interdisciplinary Practices in Information Design & Visualization | **Deadline May 15, 2021**
- **Call for Abstracts**, Student Poster Contest, American Center for Life Cycle Assessment 2021 Conference | **Deadline May 24, 2021**
- **Call for Poster Abstracts**, Inaugural Scientific Meeting, Glut1 Deficiency Foundation | **Deadline May 15, 2021**
- **Call for Papers**, *Afkar: The Undergraduate Journal of Middle East Studies* | **Deadline June 1, 2021**
- **Twenty-First Annual Steel Design Student Competition**, Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture | **Deadline June 2, 2021**
- **Call for Papers**, *Mystērion: The Theology Journal of Boston College* | **Deadline June 15, 2021**
- **Call for Papers**, *Cura Terra: Georgetown's Undergraduate Journal of the Environment* | Submissions accepted on a rolling basis

### Internship & Research Opps

- **Racial Justice Undergraduate Internships**, City of Burlington Racial Equity, Inclusion, and Belonging Department | **Deadline April 27, 2021**
- **Various internships**, Congressional Black Caucus Foundation | **Deadline April 30, 2021**
- **2021 Boone Scholars Internships in East Asian Studies**, Field Museum (for advanced undergraduates attending institutions in Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, or Wisconsin) | **Deadline April 30, 2021**
- **Summer 2021 Registration/Exhibitions Internship**, Scottsdale Museum of Contemporary Art | **Deadline April 30, 2021**
- **Museum Entry Points Internship in Collections and Exhibitions for Underrepresented Undergraduates**, The Bass Museum of Art | **Deadline April 30, 2021**
- **Internships**, Office of Economic Impact and Diversity, US Dept of Energy | **Deadline May 1, 2021**
- **REU in Advanced Secured Sensor Enabling Technologies**, Florida International University | **Deadline May 10, 2021**
- **Fall 2021 Community College Internships (CCI) Program**, US Dept of Energy | **Deadline May 27, 2021**
- **Fall 2021 Science Undergraduate Laboratory Internships (SULI) Program**, US Dept of Energy | **Deadline May 27, 2021**
- **Archives and Curatorial Internships**, Phillips Collection | No deadline listed

Want to discover more opportunities or would like to share one of your own? Check out our internship and research opportunities and paper and presentation opportunities.

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