READ ABSTRACTS. Check out the POH 2020 program via CUR.org/POH2020. There you can read the full abstracts for this year’s participants. Get to know what they will be presenting and come up with some questions you may have.

GET ON TWITTER. Already on Twitter? Great. You are ahead of the game. Not on Twitter? Let us help you get started.
· Go to twitter.com and click “Join Twitter Today.”
· Fill out your name as you want it displayed on the site, your password and select your handle/username (@YOURNAME).
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  · Search for followers — search in the bar at the top of the screen for friends, coworkers, companies, industry leaders, etc.
  · Suggested account to follow: @CURinACTION
  · Contribute to the Twitter Community—tweet, retweet, reply and direct message.

FOLLOW US. CUR has an official Twitter handle @CURinAction. Make sure to follow us. We will be retweeting posters from our participants and lots more you won’t want to miss. Make sure to also search #POH2020 and #POHGoesVirtual. These are the hashtags our participants will be using on their posts.

COMMENT. POH is meant to be fun, informative, and interactive. If you don’t understand something, spark up a conversation in the comments section. If you need clarity on the research, ask. If you want to congratulate our participants, do it! These students were supposed to present in-person, so the more interaction they receive, the better!

Posters on the Hill (POH) is the Council on Undergraduate Research’s (CUR) signature student advocacy event. Each year, 60 participants are selected from approximately 400 applications. Students are invited from all over the country and Puerto Rico to come to Washington, DC to meet with members of Congress and discuss the importance of their particular research, the impact UR has had on their college experience and future educational and career goals, and advocate for the funding of important federal programs that support their work. The COVID-19 health crisis led to the cancellation of the Posters on the Hill 2020 in-person events, but CUR has chosen to honor the spirit of this impressive achievement for all participants by hosting a virtual Posters on the Hill, to take place on Twitter on April 21.