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CELEBRATION OF
UNDERGRADUATE
RESEARCH

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The 18th Annual Celebration of Undergraduate Research AWARD CEREMONY

PANEL SESSIONS
Dear Carolina Community:

Welcome to the annual Celebration of Undergraduate Research!

The Office for Undergraduate Research (OUR) at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill hosts the Celebration each year to recognize and share the accomplishments of Carolina’s undergraduates. We are so glad that you are joining us today to learn more about the wide variety of research projects in which our undergraduate researchers are engaged.

As you’ll see in this program, students will be presenting in one of two poster sessions in the Great Hall or during panel discussions in other rooms in the Union. A map is included on the facing page to assist you in locating those rooms.

This year, many of the poster and panel sessions have been organized by special themes which were selected to encourage cross-disciplinary connections and conversations.

We also invite you to join us at our Award and Recognition Ceremony at 3:45 p.m. in the Auditorium. At the Award and Recognition Ceremony, we will acknowledge the Best Poster award winners, Graduate Student Mentor award winners, graduating OUR student Ambassadors, and our 2016-2017 Carolina Research Scholars.

If you need information or assistance, please talk with any of the OUR staff or student ambassadors at the welcome and registration tables.

Thank you for attending the Celebration. We appreciate your support of undergraduate research.

Sincerely,

Troy Blackburn, PhD
Associate Dean & Director
Office for Undergraduate Research (OUR)
All panel sessions take place upstairs, directly across the atrium from the stairwell. There will be a staff member at the top of the stairs who can direct you to the panel rooms.

Each student has ten minutes to present research. This is followed by a question and answer period where all the students in the panel participate together, with a goal of encouraging conversation about the connections between the projects.

**Computing and Programming: 1:15-2:15 pm**  
**Room 3203**

1:15-1:25  Evan Gertis, Physics & Astronomy  
*Programming Stepping Motors with NI LabView*  
Advisor: Hugon Karwowski

1:25-1:35  Lucas deHart, Physics & Astronomy  
*TUNL: Revealing 50 Years of Excellence in Nuclear Physics*  
Advisor: Christian Iliadis

1:35-1:45  Liz Reeder, Psychology & Neuroscience  
*Effects of presentation style on the Author Recognition Task*  
Advisor: Jennifer Arnold

1:45-1:55  Dayton Ellwanger, Physics & Astronomy  
*Pedagogy of Quantum Computing: An Investigation Into the Feasibility of Teaching Quantum Computing to Undergraduates*  
Advisor: Jonathan Engel

1:55-2:15  Questions
Narratives of Health: 1:15-2:15 pm
Room 3205

1:15-1:25    Hallie French, English & Comparative Literature
*Haunted Houses, Haunted Memories: Embodiment, Reproduction, and Storytelling*
Advisor: GerShun Avilez

1:25-1:35    Presentation withdrawn

1:35-1:45    Kaylyn Pogson, Biology
*The Cancerous Breast*
Advisor: GerShun Avilez

1:45-1:55    Mary Glenn Krause, Anthropology
*Patrick Livingston Murphy: A Glimpse into An Innovative, Yet Largely Forgotten North Carolinian Mental Healthcare Pioneer*
Advisor: Dale Hutchinson

1:55-2:15    Questions

Contemporary Policy Issues
Room 3206

1:15-1:25    Sarah Arney, Philosophy
*Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors: Understanding the Debate over the role of LGBT+ Christians in the United Methodist Church*
Advisor: Todd Ochoa

1:25-1:35    Emily Venturi, Political Science, and Ana Dougherty, Economics
*Economic Integration of Refugees and Migrants in Armenia*
Advisor: Niklaus Steiner

1:35-1:45    Vishnu Ramachandran, Computer Science
*False Hope: Body-Worn Cameras as Community Policing in Durham, North Carolina*
Advisor: Torin Monahan

1:45-1:55    Sarah Eliza, Journalism & Mass Communication
*When Whistleblowers Become Traitors: Approaching Internal Relations in the Intelligence Community from a Psychological Perspective*
Advisor: Joseph Cabosky

1:55-2:15    Questions
The Arts in England, 1450-1650: 1:15-2:15 pm
Room 3209

1:15-1:25 Jeremy Howell, History
Masculine Aspirations: Young Men Asserting Masculinity Through Arms & Armor in Tudor Portraiture
Advisor: Tania String

1:25-1:35 William Yoder, English & Comparative Literature
A Narrative of the Life of the Mind: The Engravings of Bacon’s Sylva Sylvarum
Advisor: Tania String

1:35-1:45 Grace Ketron, Journalism & Mass Communication
Francis Delaram’s Print of Queen Elizabeth: Charles I’s Message of Elizabethan Pax
Advisor: Tania String

1:45-1:55 Dana Rodriguez, Art
The Notorious Case of Lady Frances Howard
Advisor: Tania String

1:55-2:15 Questions

This panel session, “The Arts in Tudor England, 1450-1650,” includes student projects from a Research Exposure Course taught Fall 2016 by Professor Tania String, Department of Art & Art History.

Research Exposure Courses introduce students to research in a particular discipline by having students complete at least one sustained original research project during the course. The course must include training on developing a research topic, using research methods appropriate to the discipline, and how to communicate the results of their research to others.

Most Research Exposure Courses include assistance from a Graduate Research Consultant. These graduate students are chosen for their expertise in the field or in relevant research methods, and they spend 30 hours over the course of the semester assisting students with research.

In the 2015-2016 school year, 4,292 undergraduate students completed one of 202 GRC courses offered in departments across the university. More than 30,000 students at UNC have participated in these classes since their creation in 2003.
Adaptations & Change: 2:30-3:30 pm
Room 3203

2:30-2:40   Bhairavi Rajasekar, Biology
**Analysis of the Effects of Variations in Chemosensory Genes in Drosophila**
Advisor: Corbin Jones

2:40-2:50    Emily Watson-Cook, Environmental Science
**Characteristics and Classification of Southern Appalachian Spruce-Fir Forests**
Advisor: Robert Peet

2:50-3:00   Jasmine Shah, Psychology & Neuroscience
**Hedonic Capacity Influences Motivated Behavior in Autism Spectrum Disorder**
Advisor: Gabriel Dichter

3:00-3:10:   Emily Reckard, Anthropology
**Cultivating Belonging: The role of community farming in the lives of refugees from Burma**
Advisor: Jocelyn Chua

3:10-3:30   Questions

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Social Identity and Social Change: 2:30-3:30 pm
Room 3205

2:30-2:40   Kyley Underhill, Communication Studies
**#BuryTropesNotUs: How queer women create online communities to resist unfair representation**
Advisor: Alex McVey

2:40-2:50    Jamie Ramos, Information Science
**Looking @ the Trolls behind the Screen**
Advisor: Leslie Frost

2:50-3:00   Timber Beeninga, Global Studies
**The Anti-Apartheid Shanty Protest from 1985 to 1987**
Advisor: Lauren Jarvis

3:00-3:10   Erin Lewis, Public Policy
**BlackCrime BlueShield: How Race Affects Support of Police Body Cameras**
Advisor: Courtney Rivard

3:10-3:30   Questions
Identity and Community Integration: 2:30-3:30 pm
Room 3206

2:30-2:40 Amanda Lalezarian, Journalism & Mass Communication
What is the future of Judaism in Denmark? (A Documentary examining history from the Holocaust in 1943 to modern life in 2016)
Advisor: Charlie Tuggle

2:40-2:50 Sarah Shannon-Mohamed, History
Beyond the Veil: Exploring Issues of Social Adversity Female Muslim Students at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill are Faced With While Integrating Into the Fabric of University Life
Advisor: Tommy Ender

2:50-3:00 Makaela Jones, Exercise & Sport Science
Psychosocial Antecedents of Athlete Burnout in Black Student-athletes
Advisor: J.D. DeFreese

3:00-3:10 Leah Bishop, Music
Futebol, Feminismo e Funk
Advisor: David Garcia

3:10-3:30 Questions

Prevention & Treatment of Injury & Disease: 2:30-3:30 pm
Room 3209

2:30-2:40 Shelby Waldron, Exercise & Sport Science
Training’s Effect on Burnout Over Time
Advisor: J.D. DeFreese

2:40-2:50 Hannah Price, Exercise & Sport Science
Gender Discrepancies in Persistent Symptom Presentation One-Month Post-Concussion in Youth Athletes
Advisor: Johna Register-Mihalik

2:50-3:00 Kathryn Citrin, Biology
The inhibitory protein PMEPA1, but not SMAD7, inhibits BMP signaling in endothelial cells
Advisor: Victoria Bautch

3:00-3:10 Grant Cabell, Exercise & Sport Science
The Test-Retest Reliability and Exercise-Driven Changes of UCH-L1 in Healthy, Recreationally Active College Students
Advisor: Kevin Guskiewicz

3:10-3:30 Questions
Are you an undergraduate student at Carolina who is interested in research?

Join the Carolina Research Scholar Program!

Carolina Research Scholars are a community of students united by an interest in research and inquiry-driven learning in a variety of fields. It helps guide students in getting involved in research at Carolina, communicating their results to a larger community, and finding ways to use these experiences in careers or further education.

Carolina Research Scholars who successfully meet requirements are recognized with a “Carolina Research Scholar” designation on their transcripts.

All undergraduate students are eligible to join at http://go.unc.edu/CRSP.

Please join us to recognize this year’s graduating Carolina Research Scholars at 3:45 in the Auditorium

Undergraduate Research Consultant Team (URCT) Program

This new initiative for 2017-2018 will involve assembling small “strike teams” of undergraduates with complementary skills to engage in projects involving scholarly research, design work, or artistic output. The projects may be faculty-generated or student-generated with faculty mentorship.

The OUR will assemble the URCT teams consisting of 3-5 students drawn from more than one discipline. The teams will work toward a one-semester outcome (e.g., a research report) or product (such as a design, a model, or outreach materials). The URCT will work under the guidance of a Graduate Research Consultant (GRC) and a faculty sponsor.

Look for more information about this new program on the OUR website in coming months.
POSTER SESSIONS

All posters are in the Great Hall adjacent to the information desk.

Odd-numbered posters are in Session I, from 1:15-2:15 pm. Even-numbered posters are in Session II, from 2:30-3:30 pm. Posters are arranged numerically, with posters on similar topics together.

001. Alexis Bigelow (Radiologic Science)
*Motherhood versus Womanhood in Iraqi Literature*
Advisor: Claudia Yaghoobi

002. Hannah Petersen (Journalism & Mass Communication)
*Understanding campus media coverage of sexual assault from a survivor perspective*
Advisor: Dr. Anne Johnston

003. Leah Balkoski (English & Comparative Literature)
*The Self Reflected: Mirrors in Persian Poetry*
Advisor: Claudia Yaghoobi

004. Thomas Savransky (Psychology & Neuroscience)
*Imagining Poor People as Black (And What That Means for Poor White People)*
Advisor: Kurt Gray

005. Sarah Austin (Asian Studies)
*American Palestinian Women and Intersectionality*
Advisor: Claudia Yaghoobi

006. Kathryn Townsend (Public Policy)
*The U Visa, Domestic Violence, and Law Enforcement Reporting*
Advisor: Rebecca Kreitzer

007. Logan Gin (Biology)
*Implementation and Evaluation of a fishy CURE: Seafood Mislabeling for Biology Majors*
Advisor: John Bruno

008. Sweta Karlekar (Computer Science)
*Exploring a Flexible Computational Method for Comparing Massive Interaction Data from Science Visualizations*
Advisor: Kelly Ryoo

009. William Carter (Linguistics)
*Phonological Activeness Biases in Language Structuring and Acquisition*
Advisor: Elliott Moreton

010. Kripa Ahuja (Health Policy & Management)
*Molecular cloning involving the AAV-CXCL12 gene*
Advisor: JingJing Li
011. Sarah Jeffries (English & Comparative Literature)
Mindfulness in Education and Human Development
Advisor: Michele T. Berger

012. Mitchell Young (Physics & Astronomy)
The Sign Problem in Many Body Physics
Advisor: Joaquin Drut

013. Wanyi Chen (Information Science)
Computer Science Education in US and Chinese High Schools
Advisor: Ryan Shaw

014. Jihane Jadi (Psychology & Neuroscience)
Onset and Time Course of Cognate and Repetition Priming in Spanish-English Bilinguals
Advisor: Peter Gordon

015. Madison Chandler (Psychology & Neuroscience)
Teachers’ Use of Cognitive Processing Language (CPL) in Mathematics Instruction
Advisor: Peter Ornstein

016. Jessie Winfree (Sociology)
Accuracy of Early Head Start Child Care Center Attendance: Parent Reports vs Teacher Daily Records
Advisor: Richard Faldowski

017. Brandon Jocher (Chemistry)
The Implementation and Characterization of Coaxial EESI on a Thermo ESI Source
Advisor: Gary Glish

018. Dylan Dutton (Physics & Astronomy)
Skynet Algorithm for Single-Dish Radio Mapping
Advisor: Dan Reichart

019. Mark Molinaro (Computer Science)
Exploring the Efficiency of First-Order Proving Methods
Advisor: David Plaisted

020. Elena Kovalik (Physics & Astronomy)
Modeling optical properties in few-layer intercalated graphene: a Drude model approach
Advisor: Scott Warren

021. Linnea Lieth (Art)
The Waiting and Weeping House: Stories from 250 Years and One Summer
Advisor: Priscilla Layne

022. David Spencer (Mathematics)
Global Existence for a Coupled Wave System related to the Strauss Conjecture
Advisor: Jason Metcalfe

023. Mark Laird (English & Comparative Literature)
Nietzsche, Dionysus, and the Form of Chaos
Advisor: Gregory Flaxman

024. Samir Patel (Mathematics)
Adapting 3D reconstruction software for coral reef structural complexity analysis
Advisor: Karl Castillo
025. Christopher DeFiglia  
(Mathematical Decision Science)  
Regular Mates of Power Squares  
Advisor: Carl Mummert

026. Ricardo Garcia (Computer Science)  
Sclerochronological Analysis of Two Contemporary Continental Shelf Bivalves and its Paleoceanographic Significance  
Advisor: Joel Hudley

027. Caroline Jasperse (Biology)  
Prevalence and Implications of Seafood Mislabeling in Global Seafood Markets  
Advisor: John Bruno

028. Omar Nawaz (Physics & Astronomy)  
Projection of tropospheric ozone load change from 2010-2040  
Advisor: Jason West

029. Gerardo Perez Goncalves (Chemistry)  
Cosolutes and the Stability of a Domain-Swapped Dimer  
Advisor: Gary Pielak

030. Francesca Peay (Environmental Studies)  
The Effect of Dune Height on Beachfront Property Values  
Advisor: Laura Moore

031. James Wheeler (Physics & Astronomy)  
A Simplistic Analytical Approximation of the Three-Body Contribution to the Neutrinoless Double Beta Decay Transition  
Matrix Element in Ge-76 and Se-76  
Advisor: Jonathan Engel

032. Jessica Boulton (Biology)  
Coral and associated symbiont physiologies are resilient to changes in pCO2 but are negatively affected by temperature stress  
Advisor: Karl Castillo

033. Maryam Kazemzadeh-Atoufi (Physics & Astronomy)  
Nanoscale Polystyrene Bead Self Assembly for Hierarchical Ordered Photonic Structures for Dye Sensitized Solar Cells  
Advisor: Jim Cahoon

034. Lily Olmo (Environmental Science)  
Multi-decadal growth histories of Siderastrea siderea and Pseudodiploria strigosa throughout the Bocas del Toro Archipelago, Panama  
Advisor: Karl Castillo

035. Max Lowman (Chemistry)  
Alternative Molecules for Imaging Carbohydrates  
Advisor: Carol Arnosti

036. Bryan Nixon (Biomedical Engineering)  
Developing Fragile Environments in an Undeveloped Healthcare Society  
Advisor: Brian Hogan

037. Amanda Lohmann (Biology)  
Intraspecific chase dynamics in wild, freely behaving dragonflies  
Advisor: Tyson Hedrick

038. Martina Savage (Biology)  
Carbon Usage and Gene Sequencing of Ruegeria pomeroyi  
Advisor: Scott Gifford
039. Tony Bird (Biology)  
*Three-dimensional measurement of columnar jointing in the Bishop Tuff, Owens River Gorge, California*  
Advisor: Allen Glazner

040. Kevin Ostrowski (Physics & Astronomy)  
*Signal Generation and Data Acquisition Using LabVIEW*  
Advisor: Frank Tsui

041. Karylle Abella (Chemistry)  
*Salinity-structured and particle-associated variations in bacterial communities and enzymatic activities in the coastal North Atlantic*  
Advisor: Carol Arnosti

042. Rachel Quindlen (Environmental Science)  
*Variations in Intertidal Oyster Reef Composition Across Landscapes and Tidal Gradients*  
Advisor: Tony Rodriguez

043. Kathia Toledo (Environmental Studies)  
*Analyzing Health and Epigenetic Influences of Refineria Esmeraldas in Esmeraldas, Ecuador*  
Advisor: Gabriela Valdivia

044. William Larsen (Geology)  
*Trace Metal Analysis of Drinking Water in Chapel Hill*  
Advisor: Xiaoming Liu

045. Brooke Benson (Environmental Studies)  
*Apparent timing of Siderastrea siderea density banding in relation to colony growth and physiology*  
Advisor: Karl Castillo

046. Daniela Lopez (Geography)  
*Making ends meet in Esmeraldas, Ecuador: economic implications of environmental injustice*  
Advisor: Gabriela Valdivia

047. Kylie Lawrence (Chemistry)  
*Quantifying reversible oxidation of proteins thiols in Chlamydomonas reinhardtii*  
Advisor: Leslie Hicks

048. Harry Heyworth & Cordell Corbin (Physics & Astronomy)  
*Physical Impact of Cancer Cells on the Extracellular Matrix*  
Advisor: Laurie McNeil

049. Kim Dang (Chemistry)  
*Fragmentation of Benzyl Pyridinium Salts by Paper Spray Ionization*  
Advisor: Gary Glish

050. Aihui (Alyssa) Guo (Biology)  
*CRISPR Screening to Identify DNA Repair Pathways Used During Cancer Therapy*  
Advisor: Gaorav Gupta

051. Alice Yunzi Yu (Nutrition)  
*Dietary Trends in Energy, Carbohydrate, Protein, Fat, Sodium and Potassium Intake by Urbanicity Index in Chinese Adolescents from 1991 to 2011*  
Advisor: Barry Popkin

052. Deekshita Ramanarayanan (Biology)  
*Characterization of Hepatocyte-Specific CD73 Knockout Mice*  
Advisor: Natasha Snider
053. Julia Gallini (Biostatistics)
The Effect of Sport on Concussion Knowledge and Attitude in Youth Coaches
Advisor: Johna Register-Mihalik

054. Morgan Andrejchak (Exercise & Sport Science)
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Advisor: Darin Padua

055. Adam Aji (Computer Science)
Cooking by the Book: Using Knowledge from the Web to Improve Automatic Video Captioning
Advisor: Tamara Berg

056. Hannah Inman (Biostatistics)
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Advisor: Jane Monaco

057. Lynde Wangler (Psychology & Neuroscience)
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058. Rachel Uri (Psychology & Neuroscience)
Effects of Autonomic Reactivity on the Relationship Between Racial Discrimination and Anxiety
Advisor: Jean-Louis Gariepy

059. Heta Desai (Chemistry)
Development of an Enzyme Sensor for Reactive Oxygen Species
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060. Manisha Mishra (Biology)
Cytochalasin D Stimulates MAP Kinase Phosphorylation and MMP-13 Release in Normal Human Chondrocytes
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061. Luke Soliman (Chemistry)
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Advisor: Matthew Parrott

062. Moza Hamud (Biology)
Familial ALS Associated Mutations Cause Neurotoxicity in the Motor-Neuron-like Model NSC34
Advisor: Mohanish Deshmukh

063. Anne Feng (Biology)
Novel mutant-specific siRNAs induce selective mutant KRAS knockdown
Advisor: Chad Pecot

064. Olivia Anderson (Biology)
An Analysis of Limited Sanitation, Health Behavior, and Implementation of Health Education in Villa El Salvador, Peru
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065. Corey Ochs (Romance Languages)
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066. Emily Bass (Psychology & Neuroscience)
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067. Rachael Kang (Psychology & Neuroscience)  
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068. Ian Schlup (Chemistry)  
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Advisor: Gary Glish

069. Sarah Carter Jessup (Psychology & Neuroscience)  
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070. Aditya Anerao (Chemistry)  
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071. Elizabeth Thompson (Exercise & Sport Science)  
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072. Gabrielle Smith (Exercise & Sport Science)  
Associations between mechanical loading and femoral cartilage deformation in healthy individuals  
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073. Turner Wibbelsman (Biology)  
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074. Shawn Ahuja (Exercise & Sport Science)  
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075. Shrey Patel (Chemistry)  
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076. Katlyn McKay (Psychology & Neuroscience)  
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077. Amelia Bruce (Exercise & Sport Science)  
The Association Between Lower Extremity Muscle Mass and Muscle Tissue Loading  
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078. Archita Chandra (Psychology & Neuroscience)  
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079. Claire Storey (Biology)  
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080. Anne Worth (Chemistry)  
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097. Addie Humphrey (Psychology & Neuroscience)
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105. Miranda Sullivan (Biology)
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107. Eugenia Luc (Chemistry)
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108. Megan Hale (Exercise & Sport Science)  
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109. Jennifer Lyu (Nutrition)  
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112. Kathleen Morrisroe (Exercise & Sport Science)  
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