What Happens at the Celebration

If you are presenting a poster:

Please bring your poster to the Great Hall in the Frank Porter Graham Student Union. Find your assigned poster number (link to the schedule) and set up your poster. We will provide an easel with a poster board and pushpins, so your poster does not need to be mounted. You should plan to have your poster up no later than ten minutes before your scheduled start time, but you may come up to half an hour early.

You must leave your poster up for the entire hour of your session time (session I or session II), and you are expected to remain with your poster to answer questions from attendees. After your assigned time, you may take down your poster immediately, or you may return to get it, but all posters must be taken down by 4 pm on the day of the Celebration. Any posters that are left behind will be recycled.

We encourage you to join us for the Carolina Research Scholars Recognition and poster award presentation at 3:45 pm. All posters are automatically considered for a poster award and you do not need to be present at the Recognition to receive the award.

If you are presenting on a panel:

You will be asked to submit any PowerPoint presentations, videos, or other electronic presentation materials at least one week in advance. This includes links to online materials, like YouTube videos and Google presentations. The internet connection in the Student Union is sometimes unreliable, so this allows us to have all presentations loaded and buffered, and to check for sound and other technical problems, so that your presentation proceeds smoothly.

The presentation room will include a PC laptop and digital projector to show a presentation or video.

You will be assigned to a panel, and you are expected to remain for the entire one-hour panel. Your own presentation may take up to 8 minutes. After all the panel presenters have spoken, all of the panelists will be invited back to the front for Q&A. You are encouraged to ask the other presenters questions in addition to answering questions about your own research.

Other Questions?

If you have questions about presenting at the Celebration of Undergraduate Research, please see the Presenter FAQ or email our@unc.edu.