Hi,

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1. You are invited to VT's spring research symposium - this Friday

You are invited to the 2021 Dennis Dean Undergraduate Research and Creative Scholarship (Virtual) Conference this Friday, April 30, 2021. For over ten years, this conference has offered undergraduates the opportunity to gain experience communicating their work while engaging faculty and other students. This year, the conference will be held virtually, showcasing student excellence across disciplines in 120 asynchronous video presentations and opportunities to engage with the more than 250 presenters throughout the day, between 9am through 4pm. Learn more about the conference, schedule, and how to access the conference site on the conference website. The event is free and open to the campus community.

2. Undergraduate Research Excellence Program

Last call! Graduating seniors are invited to join VT's Undergraduate Research Excellence Program (UREP) and get recognized for their holistic engagement in undergraduate research. The program is open to any student, from any major, at any time in their academic career. This multi-tiered program allows students to track their journey through undergraduate research, from training and engaging to disseminating and reflecting, and receive recognition at graduation with a specially designed cord! Learn more and sign up to join the program online. The deadline to complete the program for Spring graduates is May 3 at 9am.

3. CUR Virtual Graduate School Fair - TODAY!

Join CUR TODAY, April 26, 2021, from 1:00 - 3:00 PM ET for the free 2021 Spring Virtual Graduate Fair
Want to start planning your future? Want to get tips on applying to your top program directly from admission counselors? Speak to over 18 graduate programs from the comfort of your living room!

**REGISTER.** It’s absolutely free to attend! Once registered you will receive an access link to the full site of exhibitors. The graduate fair will include link-outs to Zoom rooms so you can meet one-on-one with graduate school officials to learn more about their programs and find out if they’d be a good fit for your career goals.

Hop in and out of Zoom Rooms to speak with the following graduate schools:

- George Mason University
- George Mason University - Volgenau School of Engineering
- George Washington University School of Engineering and Applied Science
- National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Disease
- Indiana University School of Medicine
- New Mexico Tech
- NIH Oxford-Cambridge Scholars Program
- North Dakota State University
- Prescott College
- Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science
- The University of Alabama
- The University of Alabama at Birmingham
- University of Colorado Denver - Anschutz Medical Campus
- University of Kentucky College of Communication and Information
- University of Miami - Office of Interdisciplinary & Professional Studies
- The University of Nebraska Medical Center - Cancer Research Doctoral Program
- University of North Texas
- University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee
- West Chester University

4. **Summer Research Internships still available at Purdue University**

Are you still looking for a summer research experience? We have a couple of full-time, remote, paid, undergraduate research internships in Computational Nanotechnology available working with faculty at Purdue University, and you are invited to apply. See [attached flyer](#) for more information.

5. **Call for abstracts: NOBCChE National Conference**

The National Organization for the Professional Advancement of Black Chemists and Chemical Engineers (NOBCChE) is hosting its 2021 conference, Legacy of Resilience, virtually from September 16-18.

The 2021 call for abstracts is now open! Please submit your abstract by the deadline of **April 30, 2021**.
This year we will be accepting submissions for both oral presentations and posters. Each of the accepted presenters will receive feedback on their abstract from the review committee and may have the opportunity to participate in one of several poster competitions in which cash prizes will be awarded. Presentations will only be viewable by registered conference attendees.

Learn more and submit your abstract [HERE](#).

6. You are invited to attend Posters on the Hill

Please join us for the 25th annual Posters on the Hill, taking place virtually [Wednesday, April 28th](#) from 2-4pm eastern time.

- The poster session is taking place via Zoom and is free and open to the public. Please spread the word on your campuses or with anyone you think may be interested in speaking with our nation's most talented undergraduate researchers.
  - Join now [HERE](#).
- The event is drop-in style. The participants will be on hand to chat about their research for the full two hours but guests are welcome to pop in and out as their schedule allows!
- Learn more about our awesome participants via CUR's [Meet the Researchers](#) webpage.

Posters on the Hill is CUR’s signature advocacy event. It is more important than ever that the voice of undergraduate researchers and their mentors are heard on Capitol Hill. This prestigious event celebrates the impressive work of the accepted students and supports the messages of the importance of undergraduate research at the federal level. Throughout next week the students and their mentors will meet (virtually) with their members of Congress to engage in this important advocacy work. Sixty student presenters/teams have been selected from hundreds of applicants to participate in this prestigious event.

7. National Undergraduate Presentation and Paper Opportunities

Please note that this list is constantly being updated as new opportunities become available and is presented by deadline and not in order of receipt.

NOTE: A "call" is academic-speak for an invitation to submit your work to be considered for presentation at a conference or in a journal or maybe for some kind of competition. So, a "call for papers" means that a professional organization or similar body is asking people to submit original, scholarly articles for review and consideration for a publication (www.quora.com). An "abstract" is a short summary of a research project so a "call for abstracts" usually implies that you will be submitting a short summary of your research project in order to be considered as a presenter at a conference.
• **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 Abstracts**: Social Work Science for Racial, Social, and Political Justice; Society for Social Work and Research | **Deadline April 30, 2021**

• **Call for Abstracts**: What is Anti-Racism in Health Promotion Practice? Evidence, Action, and Emerging Voices Advancing Equity and Justice | **Deadline May 1, 2021**

• **Call for Submissions**, *Undergraduate Research* journal, Georgia College & State University | **Deadline May 1, 2021**

• **Call for Abstracts**, The Wildlife Society’s 28th Annual Conference | **Deadline May 14, 2021**

• **Call for Poster Abstracts**, Inaugural Scientific Meeting, Glut1 Deficiency Foundation | **Deadline May 15, 2021**

• **Call for Proposals**, Information+ Conference 2021: Interdisciplinary practices in information design & visualization | **Deadline May 15, 2021**

• **Call for Papers**, “Special Forum: Undergraduate Perspectives on Feminism”; *Journal of Feminist Scholarship* | **Deadline May 15, 2021**

• **Raymond J. Cunningham Prize**, American Historical Assn (for best article published in a journal written by an undergraduate student) | **Deadline May 15, 2021**

• **Call for Abstracts**, Student Poster Contest, American Center for Life Cycle Assessment 2021 Conference | **Deadline May 24, 2021**

• **Call for Papers**, Journal of Student Research | **Deadline May 31, 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**: *Curà Terra*: Georgetown's Undergraduate Journal of the Environment | **Submissions accepted on a rolling basis**

• **CUR’s online catalog of undergraduate research journals** | Various deadlines
8. National Undergraduate Internship and Research Opportunities

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*Many of the programs listed are “REUs”. An REU is a Research Experience for Undergraduates, which is typically funded by the National Science Foundation and offered at a college or university, with research centered around a central theme or research area.*

- **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**
- **Summer 2021 Donald P. Gallop Neighborhood Image Mapping Project Intern**, Missouri Historical Society | **Deadline April 30, 2021**
- **Internships**, Office of Economic Impact and Diversity, US Dept of Energy | **Deadline May 1, 2021**
- **The Markey STRONG Scholars Program** | **Deadline May 3, 2021**
- **REU** in Advanced Secured Sensor Enabling Technologies, Florida International University | **Deadline May 10, 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
- Summer REU at University of Iowa: **Computing for Health and Well-being** | Rolling review of applications
- **Biomedical Research Internships**- catalog of 260 biomedical research internship opportunities offered nationwide, compiled by Fred Hutch | **Various deadlines**
- **Undergraduate Summer Research Opportunities in the Arts and Humanities- sortable database** | Various deadlines
- **Pathways to Science Summer Research Programs** | **Various deadlines**
- **2021 Summer Internships**, Transportation Security Laboratory, US Dept of Homeland Security | **No application deadline listed**
- List of more than 300 **NSF REU sites** across the country with links | **Various deadlines**
Have a great week! Be Committed. Be well.

Best,
Keri

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