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The latest issue of Scholarship and Practice of Undergraduate Research features articles on undergraduate research in the teacher education program, culturally responsive pedagogy with undergraduate researchers of color, undergraduate research in Japan, recommendations to increase the reproducibility of undergraduate research in the behavioral sciences, a study of two undergraduate research programs serving underrepresented populations in biomedicine, and more. Both PDF and EPub versions of the issue are available. READ MORE
Hurry! Nominations Due Nov 22 for the CUR-Goldwater Scholars Faculty Mentor Award

CUR and the Goldwater Scholars program invite nominations for the CUR-Goldwater Scholars Faculty Mentor Award, which recognizes faculty mentors of Goldwater Scholars who conduct their research in a STEM discipline. The nomination deadline is Nov 22, 2019. READ MORE

Deadline Nov 24: Abstracts, 2020 CUR Biennial

Submit abstracts for oral and poster presentations by Nov 24, 2019, for the 2020 CUR Biennial Conference at Purdue University on June 27-30, 2020. At the CUR Biennial, faculty, administrators, staff, academic and community partners, and policymakers will share models of undergraduate research activities from a wide variety of settings and disciplines, organized by the following themes:

- Assessment in Undergraduate Research
- Diversity and Inclusion in Undergraduate Research
- Integrating and Building Undergraduate Research into Curriculum and Coursework
- New Models and Settings for Undergraduate Research

In addition, submissions are welcomed that fall outside a specific theme, including those with nontraditional presentation formats (e.g., performances). READ MORE

CUR Health Sciences Division Offers Student Travel Grants for NCUR 2020

CUR's Health Sciences Division is offering a limited number of travel grants of $400 each for undergraduates in the health sciences who will be first-time presenters at the 2020 National Conference on Undergraduate Research hosted by Montana State University Bozeman. The application deadline is January 20, 2020. READ MORE

Early-Bird Deadline Approaches, 2020 CUR Dialogues

Take advantage of early-bird registration for CUR Dialogues 2020 on February 14-17, 2020, in Arlington, VA. The event will feature sessions with federal agency program officers and representatives from other funders. Early-bird registration closes Dec 12, 2019. READ MORE

Deadlines Near for Undergraduate Opportunities

Deadlines are coming up for the following undergraduate opportunities:

Undergraduate Travel Fellowships of the National Assn of Science Writers to attend the 2020 AAAS Annual Meeting in Seattle; app deadline Dec 1, 2019

Junior Fellows Summer Intern Program, Library of Congress; app deadline Dec 20, 2019
Mid-Atlantic Undergraduate Research Conference, VA Tech (for STEM students), Mar 28-29, 2020; app deadline Dec 31, 2019

DOE Scholars Program, Dept of Energy; app deadline Jan 3, 2020

REU in Increasing Statistical Preparation in Research Education for Underrepresented Undergraduates, Spelman College; app deadline Jan 15, 2020

Richard Macksey National Undergraduate Humanities Research Symposium, Johns Hopkins University, Apr 3-4, 2020; abstract deadline Jan 24, 2020

Great Lakes REU, Central Michigan University; app deadline Jan 31, 2020

PIKSI Summer Institutes, Penn State University/MIT/University of Massachusetts Boston (for underrepresented undergrads who wish to study philosophy); app deadline Jan 31, 2020

Weather, Climate, and Society REU, University of South Florida; app deadline Feb 1, 2020

REU in Conservation Science, Zoo Miami/Florida International University; app deadline Feb 2, 2020

Summer Student Fellowships, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution (for rising fourth-year students interested in ocean sciences, oceanographic engineering, mathematics, or marine policy); app deadline Feb 5, 2020

Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowships, Div of Organic Chemistry, American Chemical Society; app deadline Feb 14, 2020

Research Experience in Alpine Meteorology, University of Utah; app deadline Feb 14, 2020

REU in Materials Research Science and Engineering, Northwestern University; app deadline Feb 14, 2020

Summer Internships, John and Mable Ringling Museum of Art; app deadline Feb 15, 2020

PathwaysToScience.org (searchable database of more than 650 summer research programs for undergraduates in STEM disciplines)

**AIA-NEH Grant Program Supports Archaeological Research**

The Archaeological Institute of America and the National Endowment for the Humanities have a new grant program to support archaeological research around the world. The program offers two types of grants: small grants (up to $15,000 each) for postfieldwork research and publication preparation, and
larger grants (up to $50,000 each) for fieldwork. The application deadline is Dec 1, 2019.

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**NASEM Issues Call for Research Regarding the Red Wolf**

The National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine have issued a call for research to clarify the taxonomic identity of wild canid populations in southwestern Louisiana and other areas where the red wolf (*Canis rufus*) was historically known to inhabit. Research applications are due Dec 3, 2019. **READ MORE**

**NIH Announces Funding Opportunity Involving Common Fund Data Sets**

The National Institutes of Health (NIH) has announced a funding opportunity for pilot projects that demonstrate and enhance the utility of selected Common Fund data sets, including generating hypotheses and catalyzing discoveries. NIH will begin accepting applications on Jan 19, 2020. **READ MORE**

**CUR Events and Deadlines**

**Nov 22, 2019 / Nomination Deadline**, CUR-Goldwater Scholars Faculty Mentor Award

**Nov 22, 2019 / Submission Deadline**, Undergraduate Research Highlights

**Nov 22-24, 2019 / Beginning a Research Program in the Natural Sciences at a Predominantly Undergraduate Institution Institute**, Stetson University

**Nov 24, 2019 / Abstract Submission Deadline**, 2020 CUR Biennial Conference

**Dec 6, 2019 / Application Deadline**, Student Travel Awards, CUR Physics and Astronomy Div

**Dec 6, 2019 / Abstract Submission Deadline**, 2020 National Conference on Undergraduate Research

**Dec 12, 2019 / Early-Bird Registration Deadline**, 2020 CUR Dialogues

**Jan 13, 2020 / Application Deadline**, Student Travel Awards, CUR Biology Division

**Jan 20, 2020 / Application Deadline**, Student Travel Grants, CUR Health Sciences Division

**Jan 23, 2020 / Application Deadline**, Broadening Participation Institute

**Feb 3, 2020 / Application Deadline**, Student Travel Awards, CUR Psychology Div

**Feb 7, 2020 / Application Deadline**, Student Travel Awards, CUR Physics and Astronomy Div
Feb 13-15, 2020 / CUR Dialogues, Arlington, VA
Mar 26-28, 2020 / Nat Conference on Undergraduate Research, Montana State University Bozeman
April 20-24, 2020 / Undergraduate Research Week
Jun 27-30, 2020 / 2020 CUR Biennial Conference, Purdue University

NCUR 2020
March 26–28, 2020
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