# NEWSLETTER

Undergraduate Research Program
Happy February!

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# **Upcoming Conferences**

#### National Conference on Undergraduate Research (NCUR)

The Council on Undergraduate Research (CUR) has selected the city of Long Beach, California to hold the 2024 National Conference on Undergraduate Research (NCUR) in partnership with the California State University – Long Beach (CSULB). The conference will be April 8-10, 2024.

Conference submission and registration: <u>https://www.cur.org/events-services/ncur/</u>

#### 10th Annual Regional Undergraduate Student Research Conference (RUSRC)

The Regional Undergraduate Student Research Conference (RUSRC) consortium invites abstract and proposal submissions for its annual interdisciplinary conference hosted this year by the University of Delaware. This year's theme invites presenters to consider the myriad of ways that social and environmental climate changes are impacting humanity. How is research, activism, and decision making influenced by those concerned (or unconcerned) about the planet's physical, philosophical, and political future? All disciplines, ideas, and projects are welcome. https://www.africanastudies.udel.edu/research/undergradu ate-research-conference

# Socials:



## IMPORTANT DATES



#### **Travel Award**

• Deadline to apply is April 15, 2024

#### Winter Symposium

- Takes place Feb 13th,
- 🔪 2024 @ Rodney Room, 🚽
- Perkins

#### Summer Scholars

- Applications close March
- **4th, 2024**

#### UDRAW

- Spring postings will announce first week of
- February



<u>Click here for the Project</u> <u>Linus website</u>

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## **Travel Award Recipient**

**Elena Lynn** - Attending the Academy Health Dissemination and Implementation conference was very beneficial. This conference helped me affirm the route I plan to pursue for my career. I really enjoyed getting to learn about the field of implementation science and the major topics they are currently addressing. This conference also allowed me to be able to present my current research and I was able to speak with very influential people such as people who work at the National Institutes of Health (NIH). This conference has taught me a lot and I plan to continue doing research and presenting in the future.

## **Volunteer Opportunity**



Project Linus provides handmade blankets to children 0-18 in the United States who are seriously ill, traumatized, or otherwise in need.

> Make blankets and drop it off at a chapter closest to you!

Click on the website to find a chapter near you



Takes place year-round!

## **Summer Scholars & Fellows**

Both programs involve working on original creative or research projects with a faculty mentor.

The summer programs conclude with a Celebratory Symposium at which students have the opportunity to present their work either through oral reports or posters. Summer Scholars applications are now open and are due March 4th. Summer Fellows will open in early April. The application portal can be found here:

https://www.urp.udel.edu/applicationdeadlines/

### **UDRAW**

UDRAW is a work-study program that allows eligible students to use federal funds in order to gain research experiences at the University of Delaware. Students gain experience and make a meaningful contribution to a project administered by faculty while learning about research in their field.

Applications are ongoing and more information can be found here: <u>https://www.urp.udel.edu/urp/research-</u> <u>apprenticeship/</u>

Spring postings will be announced the first week of February.

## Winter Symposium

#### Tuesday, February 13th 12-3pm Rodney Room, Perkins Student Center

Over winter session, the Undergraduate Research Office offers a number of competitive scholarships designed to bolster participation in undergraduate research and increase the visibility of undergraduate research and professional opportunities on campus. As part of this initiative, we are hosting a Winter Showcase of Undergraduate Research, Scholarly and Creative Works. The showcase will feature posters or "lightning talk" of the Winter Fellows' projects.



# Meeting with URP

If you have any questions about undergraduate research, want to talk through a research idea, or need any help at all you can always set up an appointment with our office. Fill out an appointment request through the following link and someone will reach out to you: <u>https://www.urp.udel.edu/schedule-an-</u>

<u>appointment/</u>