

Dear Student,

Shawnee State University will host the

5th Annual
A Celebration of Scholarship
Undergraduate Conference

on **Thursday, April 9th and Friday April 10th, 2009**. The purpose of the conference is to celebrate student academic and creative achievements. The conference is an excellent opportunity for you to present your academic work in a formal setting. Using either the oral or poster format, you can present your community service, creative and research activities, or independent study. Student scholarship from various disciplines such as the arts, education, mathematics, business, social sciences, humanities, health sciences, natural sciences, and engineering/engineering technology may be presented at this conference.

As a participant, this is a unique opportunity to develop and polish your presentation skills, to gain recognition of your scholarly activities, and to list the experience on your resume and/or graduate school application. Basically, you would expand your abilities necessary for success in the job market and in graduate school.

Call for Papers

The conference committee invites submission of presentation proposals now until **Friday, March 13, 2009**. Presentations of papers or posters that were developed for past classes or are being prepared for current classes are acceptable. Student presenters must have a faculty mentor or sponsor. For more information consult <http://celebration.shawnee.edu> In order to give a presentation at the conference, please complete the presenter registration form on back and return it to the address indicated or email the requested information to the conference director. The committee will accept proposals until **Friday, March 6, 2009**. However, students are encouraged to submit proposals as soon as possible in order to ensure a place in the program.

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Shawnee State University
Undergraduate Conference
Presenter Registration Form*

Proposals may be submitted by completing the form below. All proposals must be received by 5:00 p.m., Friday, March 13, 2009, to be included in the program. Please fill out all information on this registration form.

Participant *(Please Print or Type):*

Name: _____

Institution: _____

Major: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email address: _____

Faculty Mentor/Sponsor: _____

Title: _____

Email address: _____

Presentation:

Oral *(Please limit oral presentation to 10-15 minutes.)* Poster

Title _____

Short description of presentation:

Equipment Needs:

Slide Projector

VCR/monitor

CD player

Overhead projector

Digital projector (PowerPoint): _____

Digital projector w/computer _____

Other *(Please specify):*

Submit this form to:

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Or, email the information to: slawson@shawnee.edu

*Copy this form as needed