AUSTIN PEAY STATE UNIVERSITY

GRADUATE STUDENT RESEARCH AND CREATIVE ACTIVITY EXTRAVAGANZA

March 02, 2010 10:00 a. m.—3:00 p. m. MUC Ballrooms A/B

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Extravaganza Purpose: To showcase the quality of APSU graduate students' research and creative activities A monetary award will be presented to one winner in each of the three Extravaganza Categories (see below).

Eligibility for Extravaganza Participation: APSU graduate student

Extravaganza Categories:

- Creative Arts and Literature Expression (e.g., musical compositions, musical performances, literary works, audio and video presentations, website designs...)
- Completed Data-based Research—not necessarily yet defended (a completed research project with an abstract, introduction, method, results, discussion, and references.)
- **Non-Empirical Research** (In this type of research, no data are collected. APSU Plan I or Plan II is appropriate as defined in the student's discipline.)

Relevant information:

- Students should have posters, equipment, material and the like in place by 8:30 a.m. on March 2, 2010)
- Students will be assigned a table for tri-fold posters, equipment, material, and the like.
- Laptops are appropriate, but students must bring their own extension cords.
- Students should be stationed at their table as much as possible during the day to explain their research/creative activity to guests
- **Students must be at their tables at 3:00 p.m. when President Hall announces three winners (one in each category)
- Students must submit the Extravaganza Application, which is found on the following page.
- Application submission information
 - o Application Deadline: Thursday, February 25, 2010
 - o Application (on the next page) should be e-mailed or sent through APSU Campus Mail to:

Dr. Dixie Dennis (dennisdi@apsu.edu)

Interim Director, Grants and Sponsored Research,

MCR 108, APSU Box 4517

**In observance of the Governor's Proclamation, and as per guidelines from the Tennessee Colleges of Graduate Studies regarding Graduate Education Week, the winner of the Data-Based Research division will be sent to Nashville April 7, 2010 to showcase his/her work at Legislative Plaza in Nashville, TN.