

MEMO

TO: All Faculty
FROM: Eloise Libassi, Office of Research Services
DATE: March 10, 2011
RE: **11th Annual Celebration of Student Scholars**

The University of Scranton will hold its **11th Annual Celebration of Student Scholars** on **Tuesday, May 3, 2011**. This all-day event, held on the fourth floor of the DeNaples Center, will celebrate both undergraduate and graduate student scholarship by featuring their work through either a physical display of posters or oral presentations.

This memorandum is a call for submissions. If you are mentoring student research, we ask that you encourage your students to present their work during this event. This celebration should be as inclusive as possible, with a wide variety of disciplines represented.

Acceptable student scholarly work includes thesis research (e.g. for a graduate degree, for the honor's program), research conducted as part of the FSRP or resulting from a President's Fellowship for Summer Research, and undergraduate or graduate research *or other scholarly projects* carried out as independent study. If students have engaged in extramural research, we would be glad to include that as well.

Recognizing that poster format can be too restrictive for non-science disciplines, we are including oral and creative presentations as well. This format has become popular over the past four years, and we would like to encourage more students to take advantage of this opportunity. Please ask your students to be specific about their format needs when completing the attached form. Scholarly work that has been previously presented or published elsewhere is welcome. Students may also submit work in progress. If you have any questions about what is appropriate for presentation, please contact me in the Office of Research and Sponsored Programs, 941-6301.

We are excited about this opportunity to recognize the scholarly and creative work of students and their faculty mentors. Students who participate in the event will be awarded a certificate and receive a commemorative gift from the University. We ask that you please pass the **attached submission form** along to potential student participants and have them complete and return it to the Office of Research and Sponsored Programs **by April 21, 2011**.

Please join us in making the 11th Annual Celebration of Student Scholars a great success!

SUBMISSION FORM

Annual Celebration Of Student Scholars

May 3, 2011

Student's Name: _____

Student's Local Address: _____

E-Mail: _____

Student's Major: _____

Faculty Mentor: _____

Department: _____

Title of Research Project: _____

Description of Research Project (50 word limit for publication in program):

Please complete a 50 word description on a separate sheet and e-mail with this form to
libassie2@scranton.edu

Please check all that apply:

This research is part of :

____ Independent Study/Undergraduate Research

____ Honors Thesis

____ Independent Study/Graduate Research

____ Master's Thesis

____ FSRP

____ President's Fellowship for Summer Research

____ Other (please specify)

Presentation format desired:

____ Poster display

____ Oral/Creative Presentation

Has (Will) this research been (be) presented elsewhere? ____ Yes ____ No

If yes, where and when? _____

**Please complete and return to Eloise Libassi at the e-mail address above
by APRIL 21, 2011**