

**You are cordially invited to the**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Undergraduate Research Symposium**  
**in the Biological & Chemical Sciences at William**  
**Paterson University**

**Saturday, April 4<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

This event provides an excellent forum for presentation of research findings by undergraduate students enrolled in colleges and universities in the Mid-Atlantic area.

The format of this year's meeting will include morning and afternoon poster sessions, a keynote address by an invited speaker, lunch, and an awards ceremony. Posters will be judged by a panel of attending mentors and 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place awards will be presented to the top undergraduate poster presenters in the following seven categories: 1) Biochemistry, 2) Physiology, 3) Cell & Molecular Biology, 4) Genetics, 5) Ecology & Evolution 6) Nanochemistry and 7) General & Material Chemistry. In addition, three names will be drawn from the 1<sup>st</sup> place awards to receive an iPod at the conclusion of the awards ceremony.

Participant abstracts will be published in Symposium Proceedings.

Please visit our website at <http://www.wpunj.edu/cos/biology/urs>. You can check out the following details of last year's (2008 meeting) from the website:

- Title of all the abstracts from 2008 meeting
- List of awardees
- Selected photos

Both Abstract submission and registration must be completed by March 11th.

Registration must be done electronically online at:

<http://www.wpunj.edu/cos/biology/urs>

Abstract should be submitted as Microsoft word attachment to the following email address: [conf-bioursymp@wpunj.edu](mailto:conf-bioursymp@wpunj.edu)

We are very excited to offer this opportunity to all undergraduates in this area and looking forward to seeing you at the meeting.