



Spotlight 2010

The Spotlight on Student Research and Outreach is your time to shine! The event highlights student work in a conference-style setting, this year including poster sessions for undergraduate and graduate students as well as oral presentations by graduate students. All poster and oral presentations are eligible for cash awards!

Date: Tuesday, 13 April 2010

Venue: Moon Library & Nifkin Lounge

Schedule:	9-11 am	Spotlight on Undergraduates – poster session (Moon)
	12- 2 pm	Spotlight on Graduate students (Moon) (concurrent poster and oral presentations)
	4-5 pm	Awards ceremony and keynote speaker (Nifkin)
	5-6 pm	Faculty-student reception (Nifkin)

Call for abstracts

Abstracts may be submitted under “research”, “outreach”, and “class project” categories. Space is limited and research and outreach will be given precedence. Graduate students may indicate a preference for oral presentations, but only 6, 20-minute spaces will be allotted.

Abstracts must include an informative title (200 character limit), a list of authors and their affiliations, and the following in their body of text (250 word limit):

Research abstracts: Rationale and objectives of study, key methods and results, main conclusions and implications.

Outreach abstracts: Objectives of activity, target audience, partners, and outcomes.

Abstracts should not include references or citations, and must be written using plain text (no special characters or formatting). Abstracts must be electronically submitted on the Spotlight website (<http://www.esf.edu/spotlight>) **by 12 March 2010, late submissions will not be accepted.** An example abstract and full submission guidelines are also available through the website. Abstracts must be reviewed and approved by a faculty advisor prior to submission. Ill-prepared submissions and those not conforming to guidelines will be rejected.

Students must be present at their posters for at least 1-hr during their session, and must identify that time when submitting their abstracts.