

CALL FOR PROPOSALS



Student Achievement Council (SAC)

10th Annual Student Research Symposium

Learning, Sharing, Growing

November 8, 2010, 4 – 8 p.m.

The Alexander D. Henderson School

at the newly completed FAU High School building on the Boca Raton Campus

777 Glades Road

Boca Raton, FL 33431

Please join us for the exciting and informative COE SAC 10th Annual Student Research Symposium; **Learning, Sharing, Growing**, as College of Education students share their research regarding topics from every program in the College of Education. The symposium's keynote speaker will be FAU President Dr. Mary Jane Saunders. Welcoming remarks will be made by SAC student leaders and COE Dean, Dr. Valerie J. Bristor. The symposium will feature multimedia presentations and poster sessions of student research.

Guidelines for Submitting Proposals

Proposals may include proposed research, literature reviews, conceptual or theoretical pieces, thesis or dissertation research, action learning or capstone project papers, and any other original scholarly work. Opinion pieces and book reviews fall outside the scope of the symposium. Research that has been previously published must indicate so on the proposal form. All presentations and posters must conform to the APA Style Manual, 6th Edition and must include references. Faculty sponsorship is not required but consultation with faculty is recommended. This is a competitive and selective process and not all proposals will be accepted. Group and individual submissions are welcome. The schedule for submission is as follows:

October 18, 2010 – Deadline for submission of proposal

October 25, 2010 – Notification of acceptance or rejection

October 29, 2010 – Deadline for submission of paper or power point for electronic portfolio (accepted proposals only)

November 8, 2010 – Presentation (once accepted, attendance required)

Proposal Submission Format

Proposals for presentations or poster sessions must include the following:

1. A completed proposal submission form (see attached)
Please note: A/V equipment will be available for presentations. Due to space limitations, two poster sessions will share each table. Poster sessions receive half a table space and up to two chairs. Poster materials and boards are not provided.
2. A 200-word maximum abstract in a separate Microsoft Word (.doc or .docx format), without presenter(s) names for blind review, that includes:
 - a. a brief description of the topic
 - b. methodology and current stage of research, and
 - c. significance to the study and/or practice of education.

Proposal Submission Information

Proposal Submission Deadline: **October 18, 2010 by 11:59 p.m. EST**. Please submit **by email only** to "The COE SAC Symposium Committee", c/o Dr. Steve Rios, Department of Educational Leadership, at srios1@fau.edu.

If accommodation(s) for a disability is required contact Dr. Terri Watson / 561.297.3970 / TTY 1- 800-955-8770, a minimum of five (5) working days in advance of the date of the event.