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Join Us in Welcoming Our New and Rejoining Institutional Members

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Upcoming CUR Events and Deadlines

Grant Dialogues Registration Opens

Thursday, November 6, 2025

SPUR Editor-in-Chief Application Deadline

Monday, November 17, 2025

ConnectUR 2026 Submission Window Opens

Wednesday, November 12, 2025

Thankful Month Kindness-grams Deadline

Friday, November 21, 2025

URP Exchange: Working with Development, Advancement, and Donors

Wednesday, November 12, 2025 at 12:00 - 1:00 PM ET

CUR Elected Volunteer Leadership Nominations Deadline

Monday, November 24, 2025

CUR-Goldwater Scholars Faculty Mentor Award Deadline

Friday, November 14, 2025

CUR Conversation: The Fundamentals of Vertically Integrated Projects

Thursday, December 4, 2025

NCUR 2026 Abstract Reviewers Deadline

Friday, November 14, 2025

NCUR 2026 Submission Deadline

Friday, December 5, 2025

Job Posting: SPUR Editor-in-Chief



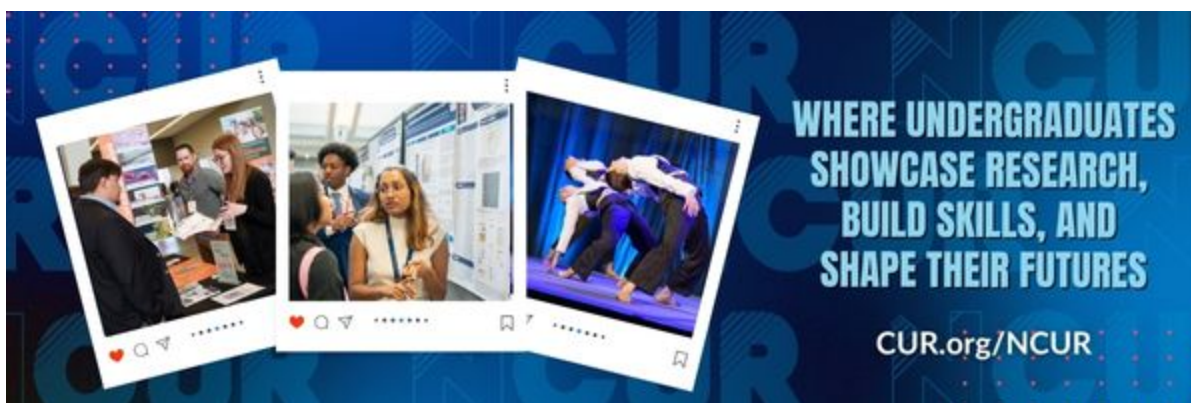
"SPUR will soon celebrate its 10th anniversary, the next Editor-in-Chief will have the opportunity to honor the journal's strong legacy while shaping its future as the leading resource for innovative, high-quality scholarship and practice in undergraduate research. We are looking for a respected scholar and ambassador for undergraduate research who brings editorial vision, strategic insight, and the interpersonal skills needed to foster collaboration. This leader will help guide SPUR's direction so that it continues to share forward-looking research and practice that highlight effective approaches to mentoring, scholarship, and inquiry in today's evolving academic landscape."

Lindsay Currie | CUR Executive Officer

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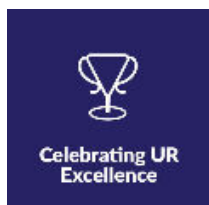
- **Because 'Thank You' Never Goes Out of Style:** Take part in our Thankful Month Kindness-gram campaign to thank those who have inspired and helped you as you developed your UR programs or inspired you to start one.
- **Join Our Vibrant Community of Leaders:** CUR is now accepting nominations for elected volunteer leadership positions. This is an esteemed opportunity to gain national leadership experience, collaborate with colleagues, and help guide the future of your organization.
- **Abstract Reviewers Needed for NCUR 2026:** NCUR receives thousands of student abstracts every year, so we require hundreds of abstract reviewers. If you are an administrator, faculty mentor, postdoc, or graduate student, you are eligible to review abstracts.

Join Us in Richmond, VA for NCUR 2026

[NCUR Abstract Submission Guidelines](#)



- **Unlock the Next Level of Your Professional Development:** CUR's on-demand learning courses on *Assessment* and *Funding* are developed for flexibility and impact and present practical strategies and expert insight to equip you with the tools to lead with confidence.
- **Working with Development/Advancement/Donors:** Save November 12 on your calendars to join the URP division for another great URP Exchange, this time to discuss best practices in working with development, advancement, and donors.
- **Learn More about Vertically Integrated Projects:** Join Dr. Edward Coyle from the Georgia Institute of Technology as he shares the history, essential elements, and future of the VIP model.



- **Calling All Mentors of Goldwater Scholars:** Nominations are being accepted for the CUR-Goldwater Scholars Faculty Mentor Award, which recognizes faculty mentors who conduct STEM research and have mentored a minimum of three Goldwater Scholars. Apply by November 14.
- **Are You an Outstanding Arts and Humanities Mentor?** Nominations are being accepted for the CUR Arts & Humanities Faculty Mentor Award, which recognizes exemplary faculty mentors of undergraduate researchers. Apply by January 16.
- **Apply Today for the Trimmer Travel Fund Award:** This award of \$1000 supports arts and humanities undergraduate scholars in presenting their research at professional meetings. The deadline to apply is January 16.
- **Featured UR Story:** Undergraduates at Bentley University serve as consultants for cancer care startup as part of honors capstone course.
 - Has your institution recently highlighted your program or researchers? Email **Todd Waggoner** with the link to the story to become a future Featured UR Story



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