

**University of Maine  
CENTER FOR  
UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH**

**FACULTY FELLOWS  
PROGRAM**

The CUGR Research Fellows Program is an upcoming program that aims to support faculty efforts toward improving undergraduate research and scholarship mentoring skills. It also aims to expand curriculum to include research and scholarship experiences. CUGR Research Fellows will consist of up to 25 full-time faculty members per year representing a broad range of disciplines and have been recommended by their respective Deans. Each CUGR Fellow will participate in a 2-year faculty development program that will begin in January 2014.

CUGR Research Fellows Assistants will be students identified by CUGR Fellows as involved with their research and scholarship. CUGR Fellows Assistants (25 in year 2) will receive \$1,000 stipends in support of their research activities. The objective of the Assistants program is to provide support for students engaged in faculty mentored research and creative activity.

For more details and information check out our Faculty Fellows webpage:

<http://cugr.umaine.edu/research-fellows-program/>



The Center for Undergraduate Research is pleased to announce the recipients of the Center for Undergraduate Fall Research Awards for 2013-2014. These awards were developed to enhance and increase undergraduate student involvement in faculty-supervised research and are supported through a PRE-VUE grant awarded by the President's Office. Each award provides a \$1000 award for individual students to help cover costs of the project. Award Recipients' names can be found on our website or facebook page.

**2014 Annual Academic Showcase  
April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2014, Wells Conference Center  
Submission deadline: March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2014**

*"I created the groundwork that allows for much more detailed experimentation in the future. In working on my fellowship, I've learned quite a bit, and feel extremely confident in my ability in the field I aim to work in when I graduate." - Jonathon Cole, 2013 Summer Fellowship Award Recipient*

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**Upcoming Student  
Research Opportunities**

New research opportunities are continuously becoming available for UMaine undergraduate and graduate students. CUGR promotes these opportunities by posting links, brochures, and other information on our website. Here are a few of the most recent prospects for students engaged in academic research!

- **WISeNet Integrative Graduate Education and Research Training (IGERT)** program at Duke University prepares a new generation of Ph.D. students for interdisciplinary research in wireless intelligent sensor networks.
- **Great Plains Interactive Distance Education Alliance** allows students to learn from top faculty at multiple leading institutions without leaving their own.
- **6<sup>th</sup> Annual Northeast Undergraduate Research and Development Symposium (NURDS)**, March 8 and 9, 2014, Is an opportunity for undergraduate student researchers to present their research data with an audience of other undergraduate researchers from the entire northeast region.
- **2014 Maine Space Grant Consortium Fellowship and Scholarship Program at the University of Maine – Space Grant 23-** The purpose of the Maine Space Grant Consortium Fellowship and Scholarship Programs at the University of Maine is to provide research opportunities to undergraduate and graduate students in aerospace technology, space science, earth science, human exploration/space development, and other science or engineering related fields.

For additional information on these opportunities and more go to the CUGR website:

[www.cugr.maine.edu](http://www.cugr.maine.edu)