



We are pleased to offer the Fall 2020 issue of the UF Journal of Undergraduate Research.

After consultation with students we have decided to condense JUR to one issue annually, to be published in the fall. This means students who are selected to be published will only have a 6-month time period between submission and seeing themselves published! This significantly reduces time to publication.

In this issue we are publishing 44 papers, including students who worked in the Arts and Humanities (13), the Social and Behavioral Sciences, Business, Education (13), and STEM and Medicine (18). We encourage you to take a look at what our students have accomplished. We recognize that this scholarship would not be possible without a dedicated faculty who mentor these early researchers and guide them through the publication process. We are also indebted to our team of graduate students who served as reviewers in their area of expertise.

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Every January, we offer training to prospective authors on how to submit an article to the UFJUR, including author guidelines and navigating the online system. The submission is open to all current UF undergraduate students, in any major, who work with a faculty mentor. The submission opens in mid- March and closes April 1 of each year.

Warm regards,

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