Failure will never overtake me if my determination to succeed is strong enough.

-Og Mandino
Undergraduate research is “an inquiry or investigation conducted by an undergraduate student that makes an original intellectual or creative contribution to the discipline” (Council on Undergraduate Research).

Although CUR indicates that undergraduate research makes an impact in an undergraduate’s field, undergraduate research can make an impact everywhere. This is because research is everywhere, in any discipline. Undergraduate research not only contributes to one’s discipline but can also contribute to everyone’s lives. Take a look at the impact our very own undergraduates have had.

Another alum is Claire Scott-Bacon. She completed research in how media impacts jury-decision making. Her research showed how media portrayed the environment in courthouses as well as how people perceived juries. She was looking into how crime shows (e.g., Law & Order and CSI) could influence jury-decision making in actual trials. Her research provided her with the opportunity to work with FIU Psychology and FIU College of Law. She presented at the Florida Undergraduate Research Conference at University of Tampa where she met with a DEA agent who was interested in her research. This meeting happened when she went to get coffee after her poster presentation and met with the DEA agent’s wife. As an undergraduate, she was invited to the American Psychological Association (APA) to present and publish her research. Now, she is completing her PhD in Clinical Psychology at the University of Notre Dame. She is an intern at the Country Metro Homicide Unit and has thought about pursuing a JD in the near future (https://www.linkedin.com/in/claire-d-scott-bacon-1aa92598).

Justin Franco was an Honors College undergraduate majoring in Biomedical Engineering. In his senior year, he joined the Advanced Research and Creativity in Honors (ARCH) program and started his own research project on “The Role of Mapping.” Justin researched how maps depicting South America in the 19th and 20th century were utilized to make boundary claims. He presented this research at the annual Florida Undergraduate Research Conference at Florida Atlantic University. Afterwards, Justin completed a summer internship at Mayo Clinic where staff were amazed with his ARCH project. He is now currently pursuing a MD/PhD at University of Toledo (https://www.linkedin.com/in/justin-franco-541250159). Even when undergraduate students complete research outside of their major, it can still make a huge impact in their lives.

It’s your turn! Are you ready?
https://undergradresearch.fiu.edu/login
WHAT’S HAPPENING ON CAMPUS

LEADERS IN MATERNAL & CHILD HEALTH PRESENTS:

PARENT RESOURCE NIGHT

COME LEARN ABOUT DIFFERENT RESOURCES AVAILABLE FOR STUDENTS AND STUDENT PARENTS WITH SHORT PRESENTATIONS, FREE FOOD, AND GIVEAWAYS!

WHEN? Monday, March 25
7-8 PM

WHERE? Graham Center Room 355

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TUESDAY TIMES

ROUNDTABLE

Is Graduate School Worth It?
Alia Mirzoyan, Student Access & Success

Tuesday, March 26, 2019 @ 12:30 PM in GC 150

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THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 2019
9:30 AM - 3:30 PM
MARC 290 & 330

This half-day event will connect students, FIU alumni and young professionals with European companies present in South Florida.

- Panel Sessions
- Networking
- Light breakfast
- Beverages

This event is free to FIU students and alumni. Professional Business Attire and Resumes are required.
First 50 students to check-in will receive a professional giveaway.

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2019 Conference for Undergraduate Research at FIU

SAVE THE DATE
April 8, 2019
10:00 a.m. - 4:45 p.m.
FIU Wellness & Recreation Center
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FIU students are invited to submit abstracts of their work. This is a great opportunity to network with colleagues, employers and post-secondary institutions from across the nation.

Visit http://researchconference.fiu.edu for more information or to submit an abstract. Submission Deadline: March 8, 2019

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NATIONAL PUBLIC HEALTH WEEK
April 1st - 5th 2019

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
April 1: Living and Aging in Miami | Duenas Library (GL 121) | 1:00 p.m.
April 2: A Conversation Called Bullying | MANSC Room 230 | 11:30 a.m.
April 3: Speckdown on PEP | Gables Town (GC) 321 | 12:00 p.m.
April 4: Going in Depth to Empower and Link Communities to Local Resources | SH/18 Room 222 | 1:00 p.m.
April 5: Climate Change & Public Health | Graham Center (GC) 140 | 10:00 a.m.

For more information, visit GO.FIU.EDU/NPHW2019

Global Learning for Global Citizenship
TUESDAY TIMES ROUNDTABLE

The Status of Women in Miami-Dade County: Economic, Participation, Opportunity and Equity
Maria Ilcheva, FIU Metropolitan Center

Tuesday, April 2, 2019 @ 12:30 PM in GC 150

Global Learning for Global Citizenship
TUESDAY TIMES ROUNDTABLE

The “Gig Economy”:
What is the Future of Employment for College-Educated Workers?
George Gonos, Center for Labor Research & Studies

Tuesday, April 16, 2019 @ 12:30 PM in GC 150
WHAT’S HAPPENING @ BBC

CAREER READY WEEK
BISCAYNE BAY CAMPUS
March 25-29, 2019

Mentor Monday
March 25, 12:00PM-1:00PM
WUC 255

Resume Fest & Headshots
March 26, 12:00PM-3:00PM
WUC 255

Career Resources @ WWL
LinkedIn Headshots, Salary Negotiations & Resumes
March 27, 9:30AM-3:30PM
WUC Ballrooms

Job Search Strategies
March 28, 12:00PM-1:00PM
WUC 255

ROYAL CARIBBEAN DAY
TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 2019

RCCL ENTERTAINMENT STUDIO TOURS
Kathy Baroco | Lead, FIU Facilities Site
10:30am & 1:30pm

FIU ALUMNI NETWORKING IN WUC
Alexander Baz | Financial Analyst
Moniam Parade | Shore Et Specialist
Rebecca Noble | Air Planning Analyst
Kristine Valdes | Account Executive
12pm – 1:30pm

RCCL RESUME FEST
Joshua Hecht | Lead Recruiter, Newbuild
Chip Turnal | Lead, University Relations
12pm – 2pm

CLASSROOM SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS
Amy Alay | VOF of Global Talent Management
Fabio Scaglione | Director of Celebrity F&B Operations
Dom Camboa | Director of RCI F&B
Revenue Management Team Panel
Throughout 10am – 2pm

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11:30AM - 1:30PM. PANTHER SQUARE

MAR.26 GAME NIGHT
6:00PM - 9:00PM. WUC THEATER
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MAR.27 PANTHERS
EMPOWER
10:00AM - 11:00PM. WUC BALLROOMS
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MAR.28 WOLFE DAY
11:00AM - 2:00PM. PANTHER PLAZA
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SPiN WEEK
THERE ARE CLUBS AND
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WHEN STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS ARE
DESIGNED FOR IMPACT

TUESDAY,
MARCH 26TH
12:00 - 1:00PM
ACADEMIC TWO - 150

A WORKSHOP ON HOW TO ORGANIZE BY
DESIGN TO SOLVE A PROBLEM, UTILIZE
ENTREPRENEURIAL METHODS, AND
INTEGRATE CREATIVITY TO ACHIEVE THEIR
IMPACT.
WHAT’S HAPPENING @ BBC

Career Expo

Careers and Internships
Wednesday, April 3rd 2019
WUC Ballrooms
Over 100 Recruiters
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Career Talk
10:30AM-12:00PM

Career Fair
12:00PM-3:00PM

Women in Communication:
Shattering the ceiling
Thursday, April 4, 2019 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m

Morning Keynote Speaker
Ellen Wallace
Vice President of Washington Bureau
The E.W. Scripps Company

Afternoon Keynote Speaker
Deanne Foata
Senior Vice President of News Partnerships
NBCUniversal New York

Distinguished Panels:
- Stephanie Brichta (Journalist, WTVJ, NBC Miami)
- Jeff Herbst (Journalist, WTVJ, NBC Miami)
- Natalie Brown (Journalist, WTVJ)
- Nadine Feiden (Journalist)

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