UHD Annual Student Research Conference (SRC)
Planning Committee
Agenda

Wednesday, February 12, 2020
11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Room S760

Co-Chairs

Dr. Shahnjayla Connors, Assistant Professor of Health and Behavioral Science
Dr. Yuan Yuan Kang, Associate Professor of Biology

Attendance

- Dr. Maria Bhattacharjee, Associate Professor of Urban Education
- Dr. Youn-Sha Chan, Associate Professor of Mathematics and Statistics
- Dr. Poonam Gulati Salhotra, Director, Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP) and Community Engagement & Service Learning Center (CCESL), Institutional Effectiveness
- Dr. Judith Harris, Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice
- Dr. Jillian Hill, Assistant Professor of English
- Dr. Mian Jiang, Associate Professor of Chemistry, Natural Sciences Department
- Dr. Lisa Morano, Professor of Biology and Microbiology & Director of the Center for Urban Agriculture and Sustainability (CUAS)
- Dr. Whitney Botsford Morgan, Associate Professor of Management, Marketing & Business Administration
- Professor Mitsue Nakamura, Lecturer of Mathematics and SA Peer Mentor Coordinator
- Dr. Mary Jo Parker, Executive Director, UHD Scholars Academy
- Dr. Rachna Sadana, Chair, Department of Natural Sciences & Associate Professor of Biology & Biochemistry
- Dr. Akif Uzman, Dean, College of Sciences and Technology
- Ms. Mercedes Gonzales, Program Coordinator, UHD Scholars Academy
- Dr. Jeffrey W. Martz, Assistant Professor of Geology
- Dr. Shahnjayla Connors, Assistant Professor of Health and Behavioral Science
- Dr. Maria Benavides, Assistant Chair, Natural Sciences Department
- Dr. Yuan Yuan Kang, Associate Professor of Biology
- Dr. Dvijesh Shastri, Associate Professor, Department Assistant Chair of
- Dr. Katherine Shoemaker, Assistant Professor of Statistics
- Dr. Youchou Chang, Associate Professor of Computer Science

2020 SRC Updates
PR Initiatives
- Flyers generated by CST webmaster
  - Workshop flyer
  - Conference due dates flyer
- Skyline article to be generated within next two weeks
- All DT_Faculty, DT_Staff to Save the Date – sent 2/4/2020
- SRC 2020 Guidelines uploaded to SA website

Review SRC keynote speaker candidates (STEM and non-STEM?) Update - Tentative
- UHD alum (with terminal degree completion)
  - STEM Candidates – Lillian Antunes
  - Non-STEM Candidates – no nominations
- Dr. Parker will send invitation to Dr. Antunes following this meeting

Food Update - Tentative
- Continental breakfast by Einstein Bagels – first come, first serve – Skyline Lounge
- Anticipating BBQ buffet – Welcome Center; Milam/Travis for seating and visiting with keynote speaker
- Meal ticket given upon registration the day of the event before 9 AM

Invitations Update
- VPs, Deans, Department Chairs will be sent
- CST PhD will be selected to introduce keynote speaker

Other Items
- SRC Committee members questions, issues, concerns.

Next meeting
- Check with committee members.