Student Applications to attend ACC Meeting of Minds Research Conference are due January 25, 2019 by 5pm.

The 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Atlantic Coast Conference (ACC) Meeting of the Minds will be held at the University of Louisville from March 29<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup>, 2019. This is an outstanding undergraduate research conference that brings together the best undergraduate researchers from all member ACC schools.

Pitt is looking for **six outstanding undergraduate researchers** to attend this conference and represent the University.

The Request for Undergraduate Participants is online at: <a href="https://www.provost.pitt.edu/sites/default/files/Pitt\_ACC\_MOM\_announcement\_2019.pdf">https://www.provost.pitt.edu/sites/default/files/Pitt\_ACC\_MOM\_announcement\_2019.pdf</a>

More information about the Meeting of the Minds Conference at the University of Louisville can be found at: <a href="https://louisville.edu/provost/ug-research/minds">https://louisville.edu/provost/ug-research/minds</a>

Applications from students or their faculty mentors can be sent to Professor Meriney at meriney@pitt.edu by January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

## ACC Meeting of the Minds Request for Undergraduate Participants

The 14th Annual Atlantic Coast Conference (ACC) Meeting of the Minds will be held at University of Louisville, KY from March 29th-31st, 2019. This conference, funded in part by revenue from ACC athletic events, focuses on undergraduate research and scholarship at the 15 ACC member schools and represents the power and synergy that can exist between athletics and academics.

We are looking **for six outstanding undergraduate researchers** to represent the University of Pittsburgh. These students will present their research in either poster or 15 minute PowerPoint talk format to the meeting attendees. Exhibits or performances will be considered. All student travel & housing expenses will be covered.

Undergraduate students at all ACC universities are involved in numerous projects, which provide unique contributions to research and creativity in a variety of fields. The annual ACC Meeting of the Minds conference has become an opportunity for universities in the ACC to highlight the diversity of research being conducted by undergraduates and for students to share their work with peers across the ACC.

The 14th Annual Meeting of the Minds Conference welcomes student projects in any research area. Projects should entail and demonstrate proficiency in directed research or creative scholarship. Research may include:

- Lab Experiments
- Field Research
- Art/Sculpture Display
- Architecture and Design
- Archival Research
- Comparative Analyses
- Education Research
- Video/Film Production (use DVD recordings)
- Interviews and Surveys
- Original Computer and Web Applications
- Theoretical Analyses
- Music/Dance/Theater Performance (use DVD recordings, live performances may be accommodated)

Interested students may directly apply, or their faculty mentors may recommend students as presenters. In either case, please send an e-mail to Professor Meriney at <a href="meriney@pitt.edu">meriney@pitt.edu</a> with:

- 1. Student name, e-mail, and cell phone number
- 2. Faculty advisor name and e-mail
- 3. Abstract of 250 words or less that describes the research project and outcome

Submission deadline: January 25th, 2019 by 5pm.

For more information, see the 2019 Meeting of the Minds hosted by University of Louisville.



2017 Pitt Attendees