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(March 18, 2008)-University of Minnesota, Morris (UMM) students will participate in the 8th annual Undergraduate Research Symposium (URS) at UMM on Friday, April 4. The event celebrates student scholarly achievement and showcases the variety and quality of research on campus. The public is invited to attend.

"Introducing students to the components of independent research promotes critical thinking, independence, and most importantly, self-confidence. The importance of preparation, development and completion of research in a collegial setting with a faculty member cannot be overstated. A strong research program provides a better quality of education and generates special and culminating experiences for maturing scholars," said James Cotter, UMM professor of geology and past recipient of the Presidential Award for Excellence in Science, Mathematics, and Engineering Mentoring.

Registration will begin at 1 p.m. in Imholte Hall. An improvisational performance will take place at 1:30 p.m. in Imholte Hall auditorium (Cow Palace), followed by a welcome for the day’s Symposium.

Oral presentations of 15 minutes each will be given in Imholte Hall classrooms between 3 and 5 p.m. Poster sessions will follow from 5 to 6:30 p.m. Posters will be on display in the Science building Atrium from 2 p.m. Friday, April 4, to noon Tuesday, April 8.

Presentations may include, but are not limited to, posters, oral presentations, display of artwork, short or abbreviated theatrical, dance or musical performances accompanied by a discussion, multimedia presentations or installations.

For more information about the UMM Undergraduate Research Symposium and a list of presentations, visit URS.