

**On March 29<sup>th</sup> Eastern Michigan hosted the EMU Undergraduate Symposium 2019 at the student center.**

## The Undergraduate Symposium is:

A collection of research or creative projects that may be:

- An outstanding research paper, independent study, lab research project, performance, design-based project, or honors thesis.
- Work may be by single or multiple authors (no more than four authors per presentation).

An opportunity for participating EMU students to share the results of their research and creative academic activities in a conference format:

- Oral presentations, whether single or multiple authors, are allotted 15 minutes to present during one of four sessions.
- Poster presentations are displayed during one of three sessions. Each poster session is 1 hour and 30 minutes.
- The Design Expo demonstrates the outcomes of design-based projects in an exhibit format. The projects on exhibit are open to the public 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The nomination process:

- Begins with faculty identifying students who have achieved exceptional levels of work.
- Involves the completion of an online nomination, including a <700 character abstract, begun by the student and supported by the faculty mentor.
- Continues with department/school support of completed nominations and the forwarding of these to the event's planning committee.