

2008 Broadening Participation in Computing Disciplines

Student Poster Winners



Edward Jackson: 1st Place; Terin Reed: 2nd Place; Brandon Little-Darku: 3rd Place; and Stacey Downing: Honorable Mention.

The Broadening Participation in Computing Disciplines Conference was sponsored by NSU, ODU, and the National Science Foundation on October 9-10, 2008. The conference provided a forum for discussions on fostering the retention of women and underrepresented minorities in computer science and information technology fields. The goal of the conference was to provide faculty participants with concrete and proven "best practices" that could be implemented at their institutions.

Conference activities included a poster competition for undergraduate and graduate students to present current collaborative research with faculty and/or industrial mentors. Research students from the Center for Gaming and Simulation (CGS) in the College of Science, Engineering, and Technology, won all of the top prizes. Special congratulations are extended to the winners:

Please visit the "conference photos" link at <http://sst.nsu.edu/conference/BPCS/> for additional details regarding the students and their awards.

Congratulations to Dr. Rasha Morsi, CGS Director, for outstanding mentorship of her students.