2007 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 45


Relating to: commending the University of Wisconsin System for Undergraduate Research Day.

Whereas, the University of Wisconsin (UW) System is one of the nation’s foremost public university systems, with 26 campuses, a statewide UW-Extension, and more than 160,000 students and 30,000 employees; and

Whereas, a critical component of the “Wisconsin Idea” philosophy that guides UW System campuses is a pursuit of research to develop knowledge, to improve the quality of life, and to apply these findings to advance Wisconsin’s and the nation’s economy; and

Whereas, UW graduates under faculty guidance at every institution are annually expanding the breadth of their contributions to this intellectual productivity that is critical to Wisconsin’s future; and

Whereas, over 100 undergraduate research projects, reflective of a host of academic disciplines, will be displayed in the rotunda of the Wisconsin capitol on
Wednesday, April 18, during “Posters in the Rotunda: A Celebration of Undergraduate Research”; and

Whereas, each UW System campus conducts an undergraduate research, scholarly, and creative activity day on its campus, and UW-Stout will host a System-wide undergraduate research symposium on April 20; and

Whereas, the posters in the capitol rotunda illustrate the remarkable contributions made by our undergraduate students to address issues of critical concern to Wisconsin and to our nation; now, therefore, be it

**Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That** on Undergraduate Research Day, April 18, 2007, the legislature commends the students, faculty, staff, and University of Wisconsin System campuses for their undergraduate research.

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