



NEWNet Undergraduate Research Symposium 2016
Agenda (Draft 7/14/16)

Thursday, August 11th, 2016

Location: 1st Floor Lobby CBLS building, University of Rhode Island, Kingston, RI 0281

08:30 Shuttle to URI for UDEL and UVM students and staff

9:00 Arrive at URI and Put up Posters (all interns). CBLS Great Hall

9:30 Room 010 CBLS
Welcome and orientation by Art Gold

9:50 Room 010 CBLS
2 minute talks (alphabetical order)
Add all student names

10:45 Refreshments

11:00 Poster Session. CBLS Great Hall.
Students are assigned to one of three groups. Each group will have 25 minutes for poster viewing. Poster presenters should prepare 5 minute talks to explain their posters. The students in the other groups are to visit each poster (2 students per poster).

12:15 Lunch. CBLS Great Hall

12:40 Room 010
Guest Speaker: Question and Answer with:
Alex Kuffner, Senior Staff Writer Providence Journal
What are the ingredients of a compelling science story?

1: 20 Room 010
Guest Speaker: Tom Kutcher, Narrangsett Bay Keeper, Save the Bay
How to communicate science to generate change

2:00. Student Evaluations

2:15 Best poster award presentation. Students will judge posters. Top poster will receive \$100.

2:30 Closing Remarks