

## Summary statistics of the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual UNCG RMSC conference

Saturday November 2, 2013

The conference was attended by 157 participants (115 students: 3 high-school, 68 undergraduate, 44 graduate students, and 42 faculty) from a total of 35 schools.

The Universities with largest participation rates are as follows

School	Undergrads (presenters)	Graduate (presenters)	Faculty	Total
UNCG	8 (5)	20 (12)	11	39
Winthrop University	18(2)	0 (0)	2	20
Elon University	9 (8)	0 (0)	4	13
Bennett College	5 (5)	0 (0)	5	10
Clemson University	6 (3)	2 (1)	1	9
Kennesaw State University	5 (5)	0 (0)	2	7
Clayton State University	4 (1)	1 (0)	1	6
NC State University	0 (0)	5 (4)	1	6

The participants came from groups underrepresented in STEM disciplines (61 female students, 17 female faculty; and also 21 African American, 3 American/Alaskan Native, and 2 Hispanic).

The two plenary lectures were delivered by Dr. Simon Tavener, Colorado State University and by Dr. Jerry Reiter, Duke University.

The students delivered a total of 57 presentations. 29 presentations were delivered by undergraduate students, 26 by graduate students and as a special highlight of the conference, 2 presentations were delivered by high school students.

The following 9 students have won the award for the **outstanding student presentation**:

- Graduate student category
  - Tim Antonelli (NC State)
  - Heather Hardeman (Wake Forest)
  - Amanda Traud (NC State)
- Undergraduate student category
  - Ke'Yona Barton and Corbin Smith (Bennett College)
  - Eric Kernsfeld (Tufts University)
  - Caitlin Ross (UNCG)
- High-school student category
  - Manu-Sankara Gargeya (The Early College at Guilford)
  - Saumya Goel (Grimsley High School)