

**2013 Southern Regional Honors Conference**  
***Marriott Louisville Downtown***  
***Louisville, Kentucky***  
***April 4-April 6, 2013***



**“Striving to be the Greatest”**

The Honors Programs of the University of Louisville and Eastern Kentucky University will proudly host the 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Conference of the Southern Regional Honors Council where we will look at what it means, as did Louisville native Muhammad Ali, to strive to be “the greatest.” We will continue our annual tradition of meeting to exchange ideas on the best practices and newest developments in honors, sharing our undergraduate research, calling our state rolls, and celebrating in fine honors Bluegrass style. The conference will include opportunities for community service the first day of the conference, a Derby Trivia Bowl, and a full-blown gala at the new Ali Center not far from the hotel. Attendees will also be able to look forward to a special plenary presentation/performance by Harry Pickens, noted educator, motivational speaker, and jazz pianist. The Marriott Louisville Downtown is centrally located near the vibrant Fourth Street area of the city and offers excellent access to all of Louisville’s major attractions.

**Proposal Submissions:**

Honors students, staff, faculty, and administrators from member institutions of the Southern Regional Honors Council are warmly invited to submit proposals for consideration for presentation at the conference. *Submissions will be accepted beginning November 19, 2012; the deadline for submission of all proposals will be January 31, 2013.*

## Presentation Options:

Presentations of undergraduate research can be in any of the following formats; when submitting your proposal, you must indicate the specific format of your presentation. **Proposals must be submitted on-line on the SRHC website (<http://www.SRHOnline.org>).** You will be notified by email of the acceptance status of your proposal by February 15, 2013.

- Individual podium presentations (10-15 minutes and 5 minutes Q & A)
- Short panel presentations (20 minutes and 10 minutes Q & A)
- Digital Film (max 6 minutes)
- Music performance (max 5 minutes)
- Poster presentations (exhibition)
- Art or sculpture (exhibition)

## Conference registration:

*All presenters must register for the conference with a check made out to the University of Louisville. The deadline for early conference registration is March 1 (verified by a March 1 postmark). Annual dues for SRHC membership are \$50.*

## SRHC Member Institutions:

Early Registration Fee:	Students \$125	Faculty/Staff \$150
Late Registration Fee:	Students \$135	Faculty/Staff \$175

## Non-SRHC Member Institutions:

Early Registration Fee:	Students \$130	Faculty/Staff \$160
Late Registration Fee:	Students \$140	Faculty/Staff \$185

**Hotel Reservations:** Must be made by **Friday, March 8, 2013** to receive the block room rate. *Singles, doubles, triples, and quads are all priced at \$137 per night.* To reserve your room(s), please use the web link on the SRHC home page, call 1-800-266-9432, or go directly to [https://resweb.passkey.com/Resweb.do?mode=welcme\\_gi\\_new&groupID=9724129](https://resweb.passkey.com/Resweb.do?mode=welcme_gi_new&groupID=9724129). To receive the conference rate, you must indicate that you are attending the Southern Regional Honors Council Conference being held April 4-6, 2013.

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