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Format of Abstract

**TITLE OF PROJECT BOLDED AND IN ALL CAPS**  
Author(s): Name of Authors with *OK-LSAMP Scholar’s name bolded and underlined*  
University of Scholar: Name of the University of the Scholar presenting  
Location of Research: Location, City, State, Country  
Funding: Name of funding source(s) including scholar sponsor(s) such as OK-LSAMP, McNair, etc. as well as project sponsor(s) such as EPSCoR, NSF, NIH, HHMI, etc.  
Mentor(s): Name of Mentor(s) and their university, organization, or company  

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Sample Abstract

**OK-LSAMP SCHOLARS TRAVEL TO THE 2012 NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH (NCUR)**  
Author(s): *Fara Williams* and Kay Porter  
University of Scholar: Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, Oklahoma, USA  
Location of Research: Weber State University, Ogden, UT, USA  
Funding: the National Science Foundation (NSF) and Oklahoma EPSCoR  
Mentor(s): Dr. Jason Kirksey, Oklahoma State University  

The Oklahoma Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation (OK-LSAMP) is a consortium of Oklahoma colleges and universities working together to develop programs aimed at increasing the number of scholars from underrepresented populations who receive degrees in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) disciplines. OK-LSAMP supports students with undergraduate research opportunities, international experiences, and graduate school preparation. OK-LSAMP also provides opportunities for scholars to travel to conferences in order to present their research. Requirements of OK-LSAMP include: being a full-time student majoring in a STEM field, being a US citizen or permanent resident, maintaining a 3.0 GPA, and being interested in research and/or graduate school.

Seven OK-LSAMP Scholars were among 2500 students selected to present their research to students, faculty, and staff from across the nation. They traveled with three Oklahoma faculty and several other Oklahoma students to Ogden, Utah, for the National Conference on Undergraduate Research (NCUR). In addition to the conference, they participated in excursion events such as skiing and horseback riding.