

3. Presentations by Winston-Salem State University Students Provost Brenda Allen

- Situation:** The EPPP Committee, in order to stay in touch with campus activity continues to open their meetings by highlighting students from various campuses to speak on their research experiences. Two students from WSSU will present at this EPPP meeting. Faith Jackson is a junior, Nursing Major interested in antihypertensive drug interaction in an acquired vs genetic forms of hypertension. Her topic will be “Effects of AT-2 Receptor Blocker in a Genetic Form of Hypertension: an Efficient Antihypertensive Therapy”. Lanazha Belfield is a sophomore, Biology Major interested in a diminished response of insulin receptors in Type II Diabetes Mellitus episode. Her Topic will be “Improvements in Type II Diabetes Utilizing Acute Heat and Exercise.” Lanazha’s abstract was recently accepted to be presented at the 14th Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minority Students (ABRCMS) in San Antonio, TX in Nov 12 – 15.
- Background:** NCA&T State University, UNC School of the Arts, UNC Greensboro, NC Central University, UNCW’s Onslow Count Extension Program, North Carolina Research Campus in Kannapolis, and Western Carolina University have presented at the EPPP Committee. The topics of these presentations were widely varied and immensely informative and wonderfully received.
- Assessment:** These student presentations continue to reinforce the EPPP Committee’s understanding and connection to the meaning of their work.
- Action:** This item is for information only.