University of Aruba and University College Utrecht invite you to the closing symposium of the 2014-2015 UAUCU undergraduate research exchange program.

Students from different disciplines will present the preliminary findings of the research they conducted in the past months.

The symposium consists of two parts; the first half focuses on communication, culture, language and economy; the second part focuses on environmental studies and law. It is possible to attend one half of the symposium as there will be a break of 30 minutes.

From the beginning of January until the end of March, a group of students of University of Aruba and University College Utrecht have been collaborating in an undergraduate multidisciplinary research project. The research interests of the students are diverse but show a common interest in sustainable development. The students will each give a concise presentation on their research and will engage in discussion with the public.

Date: Friday, April 10 2015
Time: 4 pm – 7:30 pm
Place: Aula, University of Aruba, J.E. Irausquinplein 4
Language: English
Entrance: Free
Program:

Part 1: 4 pm - 5:30 pm

Eric Mijts
Introduction

Florianne Sollie
Language and education in a multilingual society: Text comprehension and language attitudes among Aruban high school students.

Sil Boedi Scholte
Staging Authenticity and Commodification of Cultural Heritage in Aruba.

Kimberly van Loon
Perceptions of internal communication, as told by employees within the health care sector.

Geneida Geerman
Internal communication of sustainable development within hotel sector.

Sharon Meijer
Sustainable practices of Aruban SMEs and their influence on the economy.

Part 2: 6 pm - 7:30 pm

Petra Zaal
Reduction of energy consumption at Aruban hotels.

Francis Malca
Legal perspectives on Solid waste management in Aruba.

Rikkert Loosveld
Does the Parkietenbos landfill have boundaries? A waste and ph-gradient assessment of Parkietenbos.

Tobia de Scisciolo
The Assessment of Aruba's Shoreline Pollution: A Comparison between the South and the North coast.

Giovanni Jacobs
Mapping Aruba's policy on beach care.