

In the Spotlight



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Summer Institute Promotes Interest in Science and Pharmacy

Twenty-seven high school students participated in this year's Dean Stuart Feldman Summer Science Institute at the University of Georgia College of Pharmacy. The focus of the institute is pharmacy and science, including lectures on pharmacy research, laboratory experiments in clinical skills, and discussions with science faculty. Campus tours and a closing banquet were also on the agenda.

The week-long program was established in 2010 for high school students with a strong aptitude in math and science. Most students attend Georgia high school, however this year's group also had students from Tennessee, Massachusetts, North Carolina, Virginia and Florida.

Featured faculty participants from the College of Pharmacy were Audie Roberts, assistant professor from the Department of Pharmaceutical and Biomedical Sciences, and Henry Young, clinical assistant professor in the Department of Clinical and Administrative Pharmacy. Program faculty were Deborah Elder, Cory Mooney, Catherine Borg, and Catherine White. Vivia Hill-Silcott coordinated the event.

Former Dean Stuart Feldman is a major supporter of the program, along with Walgreens, Student National Pharmaceutical Association and Mr. ('70) and Mrs. William Robie.