**Poster and Paper Competition**

All students who are members of AIChE are welcome to participate in the competition. Please prepare a fifteen minute speech on your research. Judges will be comprised of local professionals and faculty. Prize money will be provided by Omega Chi Epsilon and the winner will be invited to the National AIChE competition in the fall.

**Awards**

First Prize- $500  
Second Prize- $300  
Third- $200

**General Rules**

1. Each entry must be submitted by an undergraduate student who is a member of one of the participating student chapters. Others entries can present but will not be considered for the top prize.  
2. There is no limit on the number of papers submitted for presentation by a participating student chapter, however the host school may place restrictions due to lack of time, space, or other resources as long as they are fair and equitable.  
3. Co-authorship of papers is permitted, but only one person may present to the Regional Student Paper Competition, and the presenter must be substantially involved in the project or subject presented.  
4. A panel of three chemical engineers will judge the paper presentations and the decision is final.  
5. Times limits are generally 15 minutes for presentation and 3-5 minutes for Q&A.  
6. First place receives a cash award of $200 from AIChE, a one-year subscription to Chemical Engineering Progress magazine, and a certificate supplied in duplicate for the winner’s school.  
7. Second place receives a cash award of $200 from AIChE, a one-year subscription to Chemical Engineering Progress magazine, and a certificate supplied in duplicate for the winner’s school.  
8. Honorable Mention receives a cash award of $50 from AIChE, a one-year subscription to Chemical Engineering Progress magazine, and a certificate supplied in duplicate for the winner’s school. If there is a tie, the money is divided equally among the entries.

http://www.aiche.org/community/awards/student-paper-competition