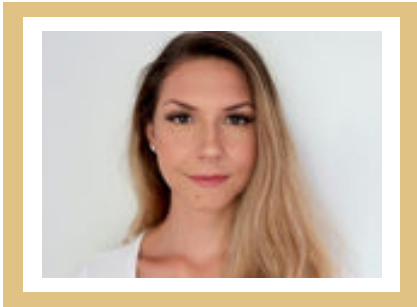


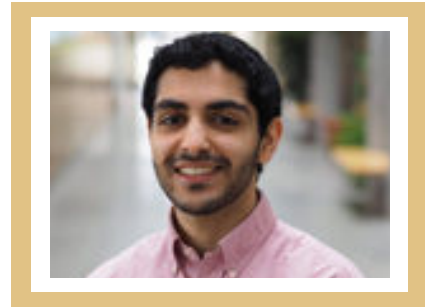
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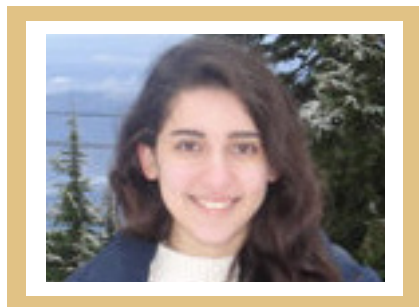
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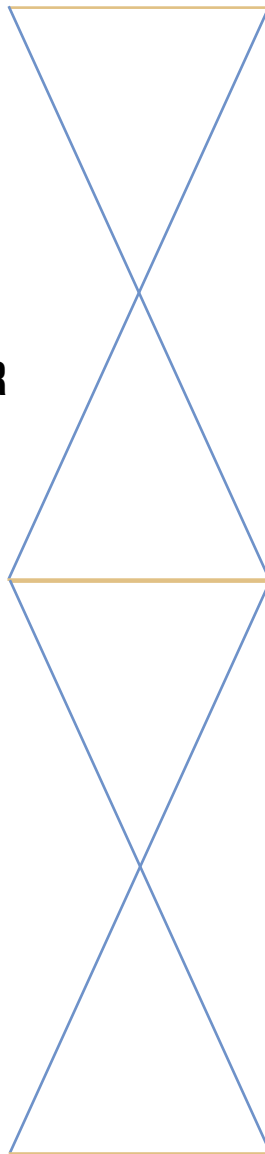


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LETTER FROM THE EDITORS

CJUR was founded in April 2016 with the goal of empowering undergraduate researchers by providing them with the opportunity to share their research with their peers and develop their academic writing skills. Since our first issue, we have observed a steady increase in both the number and diversity of submissions received, and we hope to continue to expand the journal's outreach throughout the upcoming issues. Furthermore, we hope to motivate and inspire undergraduates who are considering research by highlighting the accomplishments of their peers across a diverse range of disciplines.

In this issue, we feature submissions from the University of British Columbia, Vancouver Island University, and University of Toronto Mississauga. This issue covers a range of topics which span the disciplines of psychology, computer science, biology, physics, mathematics, and gender studies. We hope you will join us in celebrating the accomplishments of the 9 undergraduate authors that contributed to this issue.

Sincerely,
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