

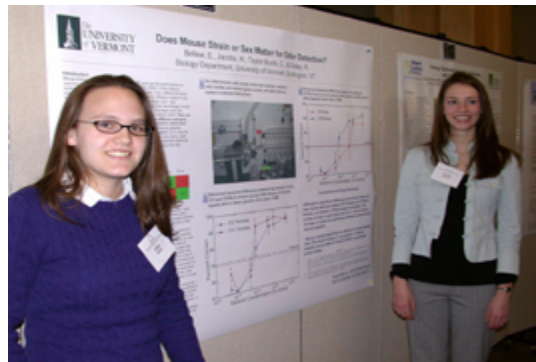


## Department of Biology

### NEUROSCIENCE FORUM HELD AT THE DAVIS CENTER IN JANUARY

**Keynote Speaker: Lorna Role**

***"Neuregulin and Nicotinic Regulation of Cortico-limbic Circuits Compromised in Schizophrenia"***



**Students present posters at the Neuroscience Forum**

Lorna Role, <http://neurobiology.informatics.sunysb.edu/graduate/faculty/role.html> Earned a B.A. degree in Applied Mathematics from Harvard University in 1975 and continued on to earn a Ph.D. in Physiology in 1981. After three years of postdoctoral study at Harvard Medical School, she was appointed an Assistant Professor in the Department of Anatomy and Cell Biology in the Center for Neurobiology and Behavior at Columbia University. She was promoted to Associate Professor with tenure in 1992, and in 1996 was promoted to Professor in the Department of Pathology and Cell Biology. From 1996 to 2008, she also held the position of Research Scientist at the New York State Psychiatric Institute. In 2008, she joined the State University of New York at Stony Brook as Professor and Chair of the Department of Neurobiology and Behavior. In 2001 she was elected a member of the American College of Neuropsychopharmacology (ACNP).

In 2006 she was awarded the Sidney R. Baer, Jr. Prize for Innovative Research related to Schizophrenia (NARSAD) and in 2007 – 2008 received a NARSAD Distinguished Investigator Award: Baer Investigator. She currently serves on the Editorial Boards of the Journal of Neuroscience and Frontiers in Neuroscience and is an Associate Editor of Neuropsychopharmacology.

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