Offices for 2009-2010

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Our purpose

- Provide useful information and training for graduate students through professional development sessions
- Promote interactions among students by providing a forum for discussion
- Provide opportunities for interaction between graduate students from regional universities
- Provide leadership experience for graduate students
Activities from 2009-2010 academic year

Professional development sessions for graduate students:

- Session on how to succeed in grad school (for beginning graduate students – Fall 2009)
- Session on technical writing (Fall 2009)
- Session on how to create a research poster (Spring 2009)

UMBC poster by Dr. Rouben Rostamian:
1st Chesapeake SIAM Student Chapter Conference

- About 70 participants from UMBC and local universities
- Keynote talk on the Mathematics of Golf by Dr. Doug Arnold (President of SIAM)
- Poster session showcasing graduate and undergraduate research from UMBC, Johns Hopkins University, University of Maryland College Park, Shippensburg University, and George Mason University
Promoted student attendance to SIAM annual meeting in the department

Provided additional funding for graduate students

Organized car-pool and room-share for graduate students