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The free event is part of Chapman's W.M. Keck Science Education Initiative, a program in which more than 400 students participate.

**ORANGE, Calif., April 13, 2005** Chapman University presents its spring 2005 Keck Student Research Day featuring student science presentations and an evening lecture on earthquakes and tsunamis from a member of the U.S. Geological Survey on Wednesday, April 27.

The event, to be held in Beckman Hall 404 on the Chapman campus in Orange, is part of the Keck Science Education Initiative program at Chapman and is free and open to the public.

Chapman students will present on topics ranging from the quality and effectiveness of the USDA's food pyramid to the ethics of global warming.

Dr. Kenneth Hudnut, geophysicist and U.S. Earthquakes Hazards Program Council Chief of the U.S. Geological Survey, will present the afternoon lecture *The Northern Sumatran Earthquakes and Tsunamis of Dec. 26, 2004 and March 28, 2005 Scientific Aspects*.

The aim of the five-year-old program is to take a global approach to teaching and learning about science, focusing on teamwork and the incorporation of multiple disciplines. It gives students new opportunities to think critically about key science issues from all different vantage points, perspectives and disciplines," said Dr. Virginia Carson, director of Chapman's Keck program.

For more information, call Dr. Virginia Carson at (714) 997-6696. To RSVP for lunch, call (714) 628-7293 by April 21.

Schedule:

Student presentations: 8:45 a.m.-3:45 p.m.

Buffet Lunch: 11:30 a.m. (requires RSVP by 4/21)

Evening lecture: 4:15-5:45 p.m.

To download the full presentation schedule, [click here](#).