UAB takes top spot in global Forester Challenge — again

By UAB News Staff

UAB was named the top university in the world in the 2023 Rainforest Research and Conservation Index, which ranks institutions based on their commitment to sustainability and conservation efforts. The index is published by the Global Forest Coalition and evaluates universities based on their policies, research, and outreach in support of forest conservation and sustainability. This is the third consecutive year UAB has held the top spot in the index, which includes 100 universities from around the world.

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Jayne C. McElroy, who leads UAB Children's Hospital's Pediatric Dermatology Clinic, says her team of dermatologists treat a wide range of skin conditions in children, from birth to age 21. The clinic offers a comprehensive range of services, including consultations, in-office procedures, and referrals to specialists for more complex cases. The dermatologists are dedicated to providing high-quality care to children and their families, and they work closely with other specialists to coordinate care for children with complex medical needs.

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The AIP Research candidate presented a technique for screening for early signs of skin cancer, which can help to identify and treat skin lesions before they become more severe. The technique involves using machine learning algorithms to analyze images of skin lesions and identify potential cancerous cells. The candidate's research focuses on finding new and effective ways to detect skin cancer early, which can improve patient outcomes and reduce the need for more invasive treatments.

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Wednesday, Oct. 19, 9 a.m.: In-State Travel

Wednesday, Oct. 19, 2:30 p.m.: Water and Wastewater Equity

The UAB Office of Research and Executive Dean of the School of Engineering present these events on campus to provide guidance and support to UAB researchers and faculty. The In-State Travel event will focus on strategies for ensuring that the water and wastewater systems are safe and sustainable for all Alabamians. The Water and Wastewater Equity event will explore the challenges and opportunities for advancing equity in the water and wastewater systems.

For more information, please contact the UAB Office of Research at research@uab.edu or the Office of the Executive Dean of the School of Engineering at engineeringexecutive@uab.edu.

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