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2022

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COLLEGE AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

40 Leaders Honors Scholarship

*Presented by Dr. Sarah Iepson,
Associate Professor, Art and
Head, Department of Art*

The Honors scholarship recognizes students for achievement in the Honors curriculum at the College.

*Ella Curcuruto
Steffen Fiorella
Nakita Guiteau
Larissa Jaffe-Ward
Anya Rainwater*

Patricia del Rio Student Success Scholarship

*Presented by Jennie Diaz,
Instructor, English Department*

Antoine DuBose

DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

ARCHITECTURE, DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION

*Presented by David Bertram,
Department Chair, Architecture,
Design and Construction*

Recognition of Excellence in Architecture

This award goes to a student in the major who demonstrates ability and achievement in the study of Architecture.

Liza Chorna

Recognition of Excellence in Architectural Visualization

This award goes to a student in the major who demonstrates ability and achievement in the study of Architectural Visualization.

Bao Hong

Recognition of Excellence in Construction Management

This award goes to an upper-level student in the major who demonstrates ability and achievement in the study of Construction Management.

Rigels Prifti

Recognition of Excellence in Facilities Management (Design)

This award goes to a student in the major who demonstrates ability and achievement in the study of Facilities Management - Design.

La'Shae Thomas

Recognition of Excellence in Facilities Management (Construction)

This award goes to a student in the major who demonstrates ability and achievement in the study of Facilities Management - Construction.

Colin Farrell

Recognition of Excellence in Interior Design

This award goes to a student in the major who demonstrates ability and achievement in the study of Interior Design.

Taylor Truchel

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH/ HUMAN SERVICES (BHHS)

BHHS Award for Academic Excellence

Presented by Dr. Francesca DiRosa, Assistant Professor, Behavioral Health/Human Services

This award is given to a graduating senior in the Behavioral Health/ Human Services curriculum who has demonstrated academic excellence in the BHHS program. This award values academic distinction and superior work ethic.

Keyonna Brinkley

BHHS Award for Excellence in Human Service Practice

Presented by Christine Coppa, Assistant Professor, Behavioral Health/Human Services

This award is given to a graduating senior in the Behavioral Health/ Human Services curriculum who has demonstrated excellence in practice and academic distinction, as well as the personal qualities, spirit and attitude of a successful human service professional.

Shintele Lewis

BHHS Overcomers Award

Presented by Christine Coppa, Assistant Professor, Behavioral Health/Human Services

This award is given to a graduating senior who has demonstrated both academic excellence and the perseverance, determination and resilience required to "overcome" or "transform" personal obstacles in order to meet academic and career goals.

Michael Shaw

BIOLOGY

Biology Award

Presented by Dr. Linda Powell, Professor and Department Chair, Biology and Joseph Noyes, Assistant Professor, Biology

This award, funded by Addison-Wesley, Benjamin Cumming and McGraw-Hill publishers, recognizes a student who displays academic excellence in biological science courses.

*Taylor Andrews-Spicer
Kiyon Harvey*

DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

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Alliance for Minority Participation (AMP) Graduation Award

Presented by Dr. Linda Powell, Professor and Department Chair, Biology

This award recognizes graduating AMP students who have displayed academic excellence in their discipline.

*Michael Golphin
Aye Kalle*

COMMUNICATION ARTS

Daphne Nichols Herbert & Adele Magner Memorial Award

Presented by Kirstin Quinn, Associate Professor, English and/or Quinn Eli, Associate Professor, English

Herman Epperson

COMPUTER TECHNOLOGIES

Presented by Chuck Herbert, Chair, Computer Technologies

Donald Koltiska Memorial Scholarship

This memorial scholarship is presented to a student who has completed a minimum of 24 credits with a grade point average of 3.75 or above and is continuing at the College.

*Kidist Amosa
Meghan Dealy*

Michael Hearn Endowed Scholarship

Mr. Hearn was a longtime College employee who began his career as a systems programmer and went on to become a database administrator and part-time instructor. His love of teaching led him to change careers and become a full-time faculty member in the Computer Technologies Department. His family created the A. Michael Hearn Endowed Scholarship after his death in 2011 to honor his memory.

Brandon Whited

CIS Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded to the students with the highest GPA overall in CIS-IT, Networking and Cybersecurity.

Shamdin Albrifkani
Samson Xiong

ENGLISH

Ann and Andrew Abel Writing Award (Literature)

*Presented by Dr. Nick Moudry,
Assistant Professor, English*

This award is intended to promote, encourage, and support the craft of writing by students.

English 101

FIRST PLACE

Thomas Boyce-Pottichen

SECOND PLACE

Em Botlz

Judith Stark Creative Writing Contest Awards

*Presented by Dr. Jeffrey S. Markovitz,
Associate Professor, English*

The contest was founded in memory of Judith Stark, a faculty member with a special interest in writing. The awards are funded by an endowment set up by the Stark family, friends and by College faculty members.

Fall 2021

Poetry

FIRST PLACE

Akirah Harris Watson
"[Hiraeth]"

SECOND PLACE

Mai Agullo
"The Art of Letting Go"

THIRD PLACE

Rey Sylla
"Makonnen's Colors"

FOURTH PLACE

Mia Hoppel
"Shelter-in-place"

FIFTH PLACE

Emily Ricardo
"Pacific"

Fiction

FIRST PLACE

Anthony Wagner
"Jah"

SECOND PLACE

Richard Spencer
"Mancala for Birds"

THIRD PLACE

Thomas Boyce-Pottichen
"Dread Fey"

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FOURTH PLACE

C. Ricardo Johnson

"The Story of Sin Ba Ya"

FIFTH PLACE

Logan Brauer

"The House on Weymouth Drive"

Nonfiction

FIRST PLACE

Katelyn Hall

"The Right Questions"

SECOND PLACE

IV Yim

"Damnatio Memoriae"

THIRD PLACE

Anya Rainwater

"Romanticizing Retail"

FOURTH PLACE

Rebecca Scott

"HOAX MY A@\$!!!!"

Scripts

FIRST PLACE

Jasmine Marie Humerez

"The Sense of Adventure"

SECOND PLACE

Oluwaseyi Ogundana

"Barber Shop"

THIRD PLACE

Amber Headrick

"Breathe In"

Spring 2022

Poetry

FIRST PLACE

Alyssa Simpson

"Poised in Perfection"

SECOND PLACE

Amber Woodward

"Love Letter to My City"

THIRD PLACE

Siani Johnson

"Black Privilege"

FOURTH PLACE

Spencer Hopewell

"Odysseus' Wife"

FIFTH PLACE

Kaylynn I. Medley

"In the Night"

Fiction

FIRST PLACE

Michelle Linahan

"Datura"

SECOND PLACE

Mateusz T. Kozicki

"Head Equip-able Apparel"

THIRD PLACE

Amber Woodward

"Ghost, But Not the One That Does Pottery"

FOURTH PLACE

Alejandro Santana

"Al Derecho Y Al Revés"

FIFTH PLACE

Briana Wells

"Control"

Nonfiction

FIRST PLACE

Peter Hornbach

"Najjila The Cookie Girl"

SECOND PLACE

Jamail Khan

"Disconnect and Denial in Two Telling Tales"

THIRD PLACE

Emily Quast

"Our daughters"

FOURTH PLACE

Taylor Townes

"The Sidewalks of 10th and Ellsworth"

Scripts

FIRST PLACE

Raija Watson

"Down By The Lilac Tree"

SECOND PLACE

Kaylynn I. Medley

"Soul Foods"

THIRD PLACE

Kaleem Garrett

"Jaded Looks"

MATHEMATICS

*Presented by Brenton Webber,
Department Chair, Mathematics*

Thomas R. Scott Mathematics Award

This scholarship for study toward the baccalaureate is presented to a graduating student who has demonstrated outstanding competence in mathematics, including calculus, and high personal and academic standards. The scholarship, endowed by his family, honors the memory of Thomas R. Scott, an associate professor of Mathematics, on faculty from 1965 until his death in 1981.

Angelica Nuesi

DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

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James P. Diskin Scholarship

This scholarship commemorates longtime Mathematics department member James P. Diskin, whose passions were mathematics, baseball and the success of his students. Awarded to a highly qualified graduating math or math-related major, it is intended to defray costs at the student's transfer institution during the first year of study leading to a math or math-related degree.

Tyree Roney-Brown

Mathematics Department Award for Outstanding Student Achievement

This scholarship for study toward the baccalaureate degree is presented to a student who has demonstrated outstanding competence in mathematics, including calculus, together with high personal and academic standards.

Michael Golphin

PARALEGAL STUDIES

Paralegal Studies Award

*Presented by Linda Hibbs,
Assistant Professor,
Paralegal Studies*

This award recognizes high achieving students pursuing an associate degree in Paralegal Studies.

*Gregory Griffin
Geoff Jefferson
Yolonda Kemp
Evangeline Sell*

PHOTOGRAPHIC IMAGING

*Presented by Kara Crombie,
Department Chair,
Photographic Imaging*

Outstanding Photography Portfolio

Certificate of merit

Korey Williams

Best Music Video Production

Certificate of merit

Brendan Dever

**Best Narrative Short Film
Screenwriting and Production**

Certificate of merit

Cesar Selvaggi

**High Honors for Digital
Video Skills Mastery**

Certificate of merit

*Daniel Cohen
Michael Schiffler*

**PHYSICS AND
ENGINEERING**

*Presented by Dr. Alex Gontar,
Assistant Professor of
Physics and Engineering*

**R.D. Robertson Award for
Excellence in Engineering
or Science**

This award honors students who excel in engineering or science courses.

Quynh Nguyen

**TRANSPORTATION
TECHNOLOGIES**

*Presented by Daniel Reed,
Curriculum Coordinator,
Automotive Technology
Transportation Technologies*

**MARA/Mid Atlantic
Retailers Association
Top Tech Award**

This award is given to a graduating student in the Automotive Technology program with the highest grade point average.

Ali Hussaini

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