

SUNY
Cortland



2014
Honors
Convocation

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Program

Prelude

Processional

Dr. Marina Gorelaya, *Instructional Support Assistant, Performing Arts*

Welcome

Dr. Erik J. Bitterbaum, *President*

National Anthem

Ms. Catherine Skojec, *Junior, Musical Theatre*

Recognition of Top Five Percent Students

Dr. Joy Hendrick, *Distinguished Service Professor, Kinesiology*

Convocation Address

Dr. Joy Mosher, *Associate Professor, Childhood/Early Childhood Education*

Department and Institutional Scholarships and Awards

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Dr. Andrea Lachance, *Dean*

SCHOOL OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Dr. John Cottone, *Dean*

SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Dr. R. Bruce Mattingly, *Dean*

Closing Remarks

Dr. Mark J. Prus, *Provost and Vice President, Academic Affairs*

Alma Mater

Ms. Skojec

Recessional

Dr. Gorelaya

A reception will be held for the honorees, guests, faculty and staff immediately after the ceremony in the back of the Park Center Alumni Arena. Please join us.

April 26, 2014
Park Center Alumni Arena

College Representatives

Platform Party

Dr. Erik J. Bitterbaum, *President*

Dr. Mark J. Prus, *Provost and Vice President, Academic Affairs*

Dr. Virginia B. Levine, *Executive Assistant to the President*

Dr. John Cottone, *Dean, School of Professional Studies*

Dr. Andrea Lachance, *Dean, School of Education*

Dr. R. Bruce Mattingly, *Dean, School of Arts and Sciences*

Dr. Joy Mosher, *Associate Professor, Childhood/Early Childhood Education*

Dr. Lisi Krall, *Professor, Economics;*
Coordinator, SUNY Cortland Honors Program

Keyboardist

Dr. Marina Gorelaya, *Instructional Support Assistant, Performing Arts*

Mace Bearer

Dr. Joy Hendrick, *Distinguished Service Professor, Kinesiology*

Gonfaloniers

ALL-COLLEGE

Dr. Kathryn Kramer, *Professor and Chair, Art and Art History*

ARTS AND SCIENCES

Dr. Paul van der Veur, *Professor and Chair, Communication Studies*

EDUCATION

Dr. Kimberly Rombach '88, M.S.Ed. '93, *Associate Professor and Chair,*
Childhood/Early Childhood Education

PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Dr. Philip Buckenmeyer, *Associate Professor and Chair, Kinesiology*

Marshals

Dr. Steven Broyles, *Professor, Biological Sciences*

Mr. Mark Dodds, *Associate Professor, Sport Management*

Dr. Charlotte Pass, *Associate Professor, Literacy*

Dr. Orvil White, *Associate Professor, Childhood/Early Childhood Education*

Reader

Dr. Jeffrey Walkuski, *Associate Professor, Physical Education*

The Top Five Percent

The names on the following pages represent students who are in the top five percent of their respective classes. The names are listed in alphabetical order. The student's major is indicated underneath each name.

Gifts

Members of the top five percent of each class receive a gift from the College to acknowledge their outstanding academic achievement. Freshmen receive a commemorative lapel pin; sophomores receive a leather luggage tag; juniors receive a leather padfolio; and seniors receive a rosewood pen set. The Cortland College Foundation and the President's Office generously provide funds for these gifts.

Symbols

- * This symbol after a name indicates that the student has been chosen as a member of Phi Eta Sigma, the national honor society for freshmen.
- + This symbol after a name indicates that the student is a member of Phi Kappa Phi, the national all-discipline honor society for juniors and seniors, as of February 2014.
- # This symbol after a name indicates that the student has been chosen as a member of Tau Sigma, the national honor society for transfer students.
- > This symbol after a name indicates that the student has been chosen as a member of Alpha Sigma Lambda, a national honor society for undergraduate students age 24 and older.
- ^ This symbol after a name indicates that the student is a participant in the SUNY Cortland Honors Program.

Seniors

90 or more credit hours completed.
Cumulative grade point averages
range from 4.24 to 3.85.

Ana Maria Antonio #
Adolescence Education: Spanish

Katie Lynn Austin # >
Professional Writing

Joseph Barbella
Adolescence Education: Social
Studies

Victoria Suzanne Barrett + # >
Early Childhood and Childhood
Education

Jennifer Marie Barry +
Early Childhood and Childhood
Education

Kyle Patrick Berger +
Exercise Science

Kristen Frances Bobrik +
Inclusive Special Education

Tara Marie Brady +
Childhood Education

Laura Anne Brennan +
Criminology and Spanish

Jessica Eleanor Brentnall
Childhood Education

Toni L. Bucklaew
Anthropology

Michael T. Cannizzaro
Biomedical Sciences

Gregory Carnazza
Business Economics

Michael Anthony Carofano #
Physical Education

Erin Nicole Carrino *
Fitness Development and
Recreation

The Top Five Percent

Cassandra Elizabeth Cerjanic
Adolescence Education: English

Michele Emily Chisholm #
Speech and Hearing Science

John Luke Chodkowski
Biochemistry

Davon Antonio Clarke +
Childhood Education and Spanish

Elton Paul Closs # >
Art

Christopher David Coles # >
Business Economics

Marycolleen Colgan + #
Adolescence Education: English

Taylor Elaine Connelly #
Childhood Education

Kim Marie Conzola >
Childhood Education

Aimee Elizabeth Cook #
Physical Education

Emily E. Cotey +
Exercise Science

Kimberly Faith Crispell #
Speech and Hearing Science

Ashley Kaye Crossway +
Athletic Training

Jennifer Cutsogeorge # >
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Annie Kate Davis
Art

Emily Margaret Devore +
Community Health

Kayla M. Douglas
International Studies

Joseph Guido Dubato
Exercise Science

Amanda Lewis Duval
Speech and Language Disabilities

Hannah Eggleston
Childhood Education

Joshua James Eller >
Physics

Patricia Darlene Endy
Art

Kiana Marie Erdmann
Adolescence Education: Physics and Mathematics

Sarah Fenev
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Kaitlyn Nicole Fortier +
Physical Education

Heather Fox
English

Louisa Ann Frick +
International Studies

Matthew P. Gallets
Biology

Taylor Christine Garry
Adolescence Education: Spanish

Crystal Goehring #
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Hannah Greene + ^
Childhood Education and History

Natalie Joy Gregory +
Biology

Nolan Dey Griswold #
New Media Design

Rebecca Belen Halladay +
Biomedical Sciences

Liselotte Hammond # >
Adolescence Education: Spanish

Josh Robert Hammond + # >
Exercise Science

Claire Nicole Hartl
Conservation Biology

Charlotte Lin Heavern + ^
Inclusive Special Education and Spanish

Kevin Hershfield +
Inclusive Special Education

Melissa Leigh Howard + ^
Adolescence Education: Social Studies

Emily Rose Hunt +
Athletic Training

Alyssa Mae Hunt +
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Joseph Mathew Hunter #
Exercise Science

Kasandra Jardines
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Jocelyn Jones ^
Adolescence Education: French and Spanish

Jami Robert June
Geology

Katherine Kellas
Communication Studies

Sarah Rose Kelly ^
Spanish and Communication Studies

Sam Kirschenbaum + #
Psychology

Michael David Knox +
Adolescence Education: Spanish

Scott Charles Kozak +
Adolescence Education: Physics

Chelsey Marie Leahy +
Biology

Ho Woon Lee >
International Studies

Elizabeth Marie Lenzi +
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Caitlin Elizabeth Lusk
Business Economics

Ashley Maben + #
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Victoria Maffeo +
Community Health

Kristen Marie Matthews
Childhood Education

Kyle Aaron McConnell
Mathematics and Adolescence Education: Chemistry

Ilana M. McConville +
Adolescence Education: Social Studies

Lauren Maria Menchini +
Speech and Hearing Science

Alexandra Marie Merriman
Adolescence Education: Mathematics

Tricia Metzger
Sport Management

Matthew Luis Miller
Sport Management

Rachael Angela Moore >
Adolescence Education: English

Kevin Morris # >
Outdoor Education

Emmett James Neno
English

Adam Niemiec >
Inclusive Special Education

Nicole Elizabeth Nowling +
Exercise Science

Ryan Patrick O'Connell +
Exercise Science

Christina Marie Papaleo
Inclusive Special Education

Nicholas Penberthy ^
Childhood Education

Eric Lawrence Plante #
Biomedical Sciences

Nora Preller #
Inclusive Special Education

Dylan Jeffrey Proper
Sport Management

Nicholas Andrew Puoplo
Biology

Kyle Gordon Roberts + #
Physical Education

Michael Rosenthal >
Political Science

Jenna Rubin # >
Exercise Science

The Top Five Percent

Rebecca Scott Sager #
Community Health

Karyn Lyn Scott >
Health Education

Lauren Nicole Scotti * +
Spanish and Adolescence
Education: Social Studies

Joshua Patrick Senter #
Speech and Hearing Science

Raychel Lynn Shannon
Exercise Science and Fitness
Development

Brendan James Shuey # >
Business Economics

Rachel Ellen Simkins
Athletic Training

Hanna Sinton
Communication Studies

Catherine Lynn Skojec
Musical Theatre

Emilee Jayne Smith #
Art Studio

Adam Phillip Smith +
Fitness Development

Erin Elizabeth Smith +
Exercise Science

Ellen Lynn Sorensen >
Early Childhood Education

Scott Wayne Spiridigliozzi
Biology

Rebecca Serene Studin ^
Sport Management and Spanish

Brianna Ashley Sullivan #
Physical Education

Nicole Mary Tabolt # >
English as a Second Language

Matthew P. Telesca
Sport Management

Andrea Rose Tomasi + #
Early Childhood and Childhood
Education

Andrea Tubbs
Adolescence Education: Spanish

Keri Kathleen Urban +
Business Economics

Taheerah Shadyah Usher #
Sociology

Paul David Vair # >
New Media Design

Elizabeth Brooke Velardi
Early Childhood and Childhood
Education and Mathematics

Jill Alexa Venezia + ^
Adolescence Education:
Mathematics

LaJoie Ward + #
Childhood Education and English

Jordan Elizabeth Wehland
Business Economics

Nicole Peri Weisblum
Early Childhood and Childhood
Education

Tyler Andrew Whitaker
Exercise Science

Lisa M. Williams
Early Childhood and Childhood
Education

Jaclyn Isabel Yonta
Childhood Education

Jessica Mary Zdrowak
Communication Studies

Juniors
56.5 to 89.5 credit hours completed.
Cumulative grade point averages
range from 4.18 to 3.80.

Adriana Babak ^
Exercise Science

Marley Marie Bender ^
Fitness Development

Rebecca Ann Bennett
Athletic Training

Rachel Leigh Besaw
Childhood Education

Stephen Joseph Best
Political Science

George Macdonald Booze >
Childhood Education

Jared Brittman
Business Economics

Emily Busch
Inclusive Special Education

Jaymee Lee Bush
Human Service Studies

Shelby Dana Champlain
Recreation

Jessica Ann Chiodo
Criminology and Political Science

Shannon Constantino >
Community Health

Amanda L. Cooper
Childhood Education

Thomas Corey ^
Criminology

Heather Darling
Early Childhood and Childhood
Education

Devon Dattmore
Biology

Kyle Michael Davis
Political Science

Kathryn Delaney
Sport Management

Joao Dias
Communication Studies

Melissa Driscoll
Sociology and Spanish

Mikayla Janae Drymond
Psychology

Ameena Dye #
Communication Studies

George R. Dziados
Sport Management

Margaret Anne Edelman
Musical Theatre

Emily Grace Elwood
Professional Writing

Kadeeja Toni Fredankey ^
Biomedical Sciences

Courtney L. Froner
Speech and Language Disabilities

Kassandra Gacek
Speech and Language Disabilities

Kaylee Joellen Gaj
English as a Second Language

Jessica Marie Garrow
Early Childhood and Childhood
Education

Shanice Green
Childhood Education

Connor Griffin ^
Sport Management

Lauren Marie Guardino ^
Exercise Science

Cristian Guillauma
Exercise Science

Heather D. Hernandez >
Business Economics

Jesse Lauren-Tho Houck
Business Economics

Morgan Elizabeth Hull
Childhood Education

Sophie-Louise Jackson
Childhood Education

Meagan Jean
Childhood Education

Nicolas Andrew Jorge #
Biology

Dana Korman
Communication Studies

Galina Andreyevna Kostiv
Geology

Erin Nicole Kovel #
Communication Studies

Thomas Lee #
Economics

Heather L. Lindaman ^
Early Childhood and Childhood
Education

Michelyn Little
Exercise Science

The Top Five Percent

Sarah K. Madison
Sport Management

William Cody Marshall
Communication Studies

Sheryl Mathew
Speech and Hearing Science

Katelyn Rose McCarthy
Childhood Education

Nicole Miller
Community Health

Kathryn E. Mryglod
Inclusive Special Education

Marissa Christine Muller
Childhood Education

Robert J. Nelli
Physical Education

Elyse Michelle Neumann ^
Sociology

Vineeth Panicker
Exercise Science

Konstantino Papakonstantis
Adolescence Education: Social Studies

Sarah Patzwahl #
Speech and Hearing Science

Matthew James Penque
Exercise Science

MacKenzie B. Pert
Exercise Science

Marina Rae Pettinicchi
Community Health

Bradley Scott Phelps
Physical Education

Meghan Phoenix ^
Speech and Language Disabilities

Lindsay Michele Pope
Political Science

Klarisa Ellen Prikazsky
Therapeutic Recreation

Nora Qualley
Sport Management

Kelly Quinn
Speech and Language Disabilities

Joseph Vincent Ramieri #
Business Economics

Travis James Rheinheimer
Criminology

Kelly Rice ^
Childhood Education and Mathematics

Alexandria L. Rodriguez
Communication Studies

Elizabeth J. Scheftic
Childhood Education

Jennifer Leigh Scheu
Psychology

Katelyn Christine Schroeder
International Studies and Spanish

Madeline Grace Scozzie
Childhood Education

Kayla Sheldrick
Political Science

Matthew Peter Sorce
Business Economics

Lacy Jane Sweeney
Communication Studies

Andrea Taveras
Exercise Science

Alyssa Michelle Tibbitts
Childhood Education

Ashley N. Vogler
Exercise Science

Kristen Vroman
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Brooke M. Wilson ^
Communication Studies

Michael Christopher Wixson
Biology

Jenna Noelle Zaia ^
Biomedical Sciences

Kimberly Marie Zarzynski
Early Childhood Education

Sophomores

25 to 56 credit hours completed.
Cumulative grade point averages range from 4.16 to 3.83.

Nadia Amin
Psychology

Kaitlin Rose Antelmi
Pre-Major

Bayley Archinal
Exercise Science

Luke Austin Barnes
Community Health

Sean Barry
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Angela Kathleen Bartlett
Sport Management

Sean Michael Bohan
Physical Education

Laura Bossert
Speech and Language Disabilities

Ashlee R. Boughton
Therapeutic Recreation

Michelle Boulbol
Childhood Education

Lindsey Marie Bowen
Psychology

Patrick T. Brown
Fitness Development

Geena Mary Bruno
Speech and Language Disabilities

Callie Barrett Bullis
Criminology

Lisa Capilupi
Inclusive Special Education

Daniel Robert Carleton
Adolescence Education: Chemistry

Alyssa Mae Cino
Psychology

Abigail Nicole Cordier
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Andrew Cuccaro
Musical Theatre

Angela L. Cunningham
Biology

Dakota Rose Daniel
Psychology

Brittanie N. Daugherty
Sociology

Nathan Daniel Davidow
Sport Management

Jessica Lynn DeForest
Geology

Seamus Sean Finucane
Pre-Major

Hannah Fleming
Speech and Language Disabilities

Amanda Flores
Speech and Hearing Science

Sarah Elizabeth Fuller ^
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Megan Gallagher
Athletic Training

Sarah Glowaczewski
Speech and Language Disabilities

Julia Halburian
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Paige Hammond
Sport Management

Kaitlyn Healy
Communication Studies

Felixvon Isaiah Henson
Exercise Science

Ashley Houtenbrink
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Nathan Everett Keating
Athletic Training

Katelyn Kenah
Speech and Language Disabilities

Arthur Kogan ^
Sport Management

Ryan Koval
Physical Education

Taylor Krug
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Jared Lamm
Community Health

The Top Five Percent

Jessica Livornese ^
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Maranda J. Maher
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Carly Margaret Martin
Business Economics

Jonathan Andrew Moore
International Studies

Lauren Nostro
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Stephanie Nicole Offutt
Archaeology and International Studies

Laura Patrick
Chemistry

Meghan Rose Peysson
Professional Writing

Reid Michael Portnoy
Chemistry

Justin Louis Quaglia
Exercise Science

Caitlin Rasefske ^
Exercise Science

Emily Luella Rogers
Pre-Major

Robert Martin Schoepfer
Physical Education

Kerri Scrivanos
Adolescence Education: Earth Science

Brooke Kristin Stevens
Psychology

Klaudia Monika Szczerba
Business Economics

Taylor Nicole Tolosi
Biology

Bianca D. Trio
Exercise Science

Emma Triolo ^
Speech and Hearing Science

Alexis Jonell Vilceus
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Kelby Alyssa Watkins
Pre-Major

Elizabeth Rose Welsh
New Media Design

Dylan James Winter
Biology

Cansu I. Zor
Political Science

Freshmen
12 to 25.5 credit hours completed.
Cumulative grade point averages range from 4.18 to 3.73.

Kayla Divina Arias
Musical Theatre

Jessi Barton
Art Studio

Tyler T. Bouvia ^
Adolescence Education: Social Studies

Jenna Bowlby
Pre-Major

Carli Brienza
Adolescence Education: Chemistry

Sarah Nicole Cerbone
Pre-Major

Danielle Alexandra Cervasio
Fitness Development

Ying Chen
Physics and Engineering

Meredith Cohen
Childhood Education

Samantha Josie Czczotka
Childhood Education

Brian Joseph Danziger
Political Science

Jesse DeLoughry
Speech and Language Disabilities

Caitlin Dennehy
Early Childhood Education

Aimee Falk
Inclusive Special Education

Caroline Fish
Childhood Education

Sabrina Elise Fregosi
Pre-Major

Elizabeth Gomez
English as a Second Language

Elyana Marissa Gonzalez
Exercise Science

Valerie Rose Good
Business Economics

Anna Sara Grygiel ^
Biology

Brian P. Hartrick
Sport Management

Rebecca Mary Holzhauer
Sociology

Courtney Kane
Pre-Major

Erin Marie Krug
Pre-Major

Elizabeth LaTuso
Physical Education

Yanjun Li
Physics and Engineering

Briana Maguire
Early Childhood Education

Friedrich W. Mahle
Sport Management

Stephanie Nicole Marini
Early Childhood and Childhood Education

Nermin Mujezinovic
Sport Management

Kelley Marie Mulvana
Biology

Kevin W. Murphy
Exercise Science

Mikayla Joanne O'Connor
Athletic Training

Marcus Olbrich
Sport Management

Kevon A. Pile
Criminology

Madison Mansfield Provencher
Childhood Education

Jennifer Marie Rae
Biochemistry

Meghan Rebholz
Inclusive Special Education

Samantha Lynn Renieris
Speech and Language Disabilities

Tyler Schmitt
Sport Management

Alyssa Smeding
Business Economics

Claire Solak
Speech and Hearing Science

Kyle Joseph Soldani
Pre-Major

Justin Wade
Political Science

Kimberly R. Waldvogel
Physical Education

Kelsea Webster
Adolescence Education: Mathematics

Scholarships and Awards

Academic excellence is the primary criterion for all awards presented at Honors Convocation. Other student attributes are typically recognized as well and are provided in the award description. All award recipients must have a grade point average of 3.0 or better.

The award and scholarship recipients on the following pages are listed by school — the School of Education, the School of Professional Studies and the School of Arts and Sciences. Each school houses the following majors:

School of Education

Childhood Education (Grades 1-6)
Early Childhood and Childhood Education (Birth-Grade 6)
Early Childhood Education (Birth-Grade 2)
Inclusive Special Education

School of Professional Studies

Athletic Training
Coaching
Community Health
Exercise Science
Fitness Development
Health Education
Human Service Studies
Kinesiology
Outdoor Recreation
Physical Education
Recreation
Recreation Management
Speech and Hearing Science
Speech and Language Disabilities
Sport Management
Sport Studies
Therapeutic Recreation

School of Arts and Sciences

Adolescence Education (Grades 7-12)

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Earth Science
- English
- French
- French and Spanish
- Mathematics
- Mathematics and Physics
- Physics
- Social Studies
- Spanish

African American Studies
Anthropology
Archaeology
Art
Art Studio
Biology
Biochemistry
Biomedical Sciences
Business Economics
Chemistry
Communication Studies
Conservation Biology
Criminology
Economics
Engineering (3+2)
English
English as a Second Language
French
Geographic Information Systems (G.I.S.)
Geography
Geology
History
Individualized Degree Program
International Studies
Mathematics
Musical Theatre
New Communication Media
New Media Design
Physics
Political Science
Pre-Major
Professional Writing
Psychology
Social Philosophy
Sociology
Spanish

◊ Award funded by an existing endowment or donation

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

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VICTORIA ALBERTASSI

Kendra Nelson Memorial Award - Geography

Presented to the childhood/early childhood education major concentrating in geography who exhibits outstanding academic performance, a love for learning and an enthusiasm for geographic education. The recipient consistently demonstrates qualities, both in and out of the classroom, that suggest he or she will be an outstanding classroom teacher.

JOHN ASPINWALL

Past Presidents Scholarship: James M. Hoose ◊ - Cortland College Foundation

Presented to second-semester sophomores and juniors with a grade point average of 3.2 or better who have contributed to the College community.

TARA MARIE BRADY

Senior Academic Achievement Award ◊ - Alumni Association

Presented to the top five seniors in the School of Arts and Sciences, the top five seniors in the School of Education and the top five seniors in the School of Professional Studies pursuing their first bachelor's degree at SUNY Cortland.

AMANDA CANDELARIA

Spina-Friedgen '71 Scholarship ◊ - Cortland College Foundation

Presented to a senior majoring in education or physical education with a grade point average of 3.0 or better.

DAVON ANTONIO CLARKE

Cortland's Urban Recruitment of Educators (C.U.R.E.) Award - Foundations and Social Advocacy

Awarded to the senior with the highest grade point average who has demonstrated best practices in urban education.

TAYLOUR ELAINE CONNELLY

Senior Academic Achievement Award ◊ - Alumni Association

Presented to the top five seniors in the School of Arts and Sciences, the top five seniors in the School of Education and the top five seniors in the School of Professional Studies pursuing their first bachelor's degree at SUNY Cortland.

BOYAN COX

Past Presidents Scholarship: Judson H. Taylor ◊ - Cortland College Foundation

Presented to second-semester sophomores and juniors with a grade point average of 3.2 or better who have contributed to the College community.

Alpha Kappa Phi/Agonian Scholarship ◊ - Alumni Association

Presented to a qualified senior with a grade point average of 3.0 or better who has contributed to the College community.

Scholarships and Awards

HANNAH EGGLESTON

Senior Academic Achievement Award ° - Alumni Association

Presented to the top five seniors in the School of Arts and Sciences, the top five seniors in the School of Education and the top five seniors in the School of Professional Studies pursuing their first bachelor's degree at SUNY Cortland.

Senior Award for Academic Excellence - Childhood/Early Childhood Education

Presented to an outstanding senior who has a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 or better and who has demonstrated excellence in field experiences.

HANNAH GREENE

Walter Hanchett Award - History

Presented to a senior history or adolescence education: social studies and history major with the highest overall grade point average.

Outstanding Paper in Historical Methods - History

Presented to the history major who authored the best research paper in HIS 290: Historical Methods the preceding spring or fall semester and who has an overall grade point average of 3.0 or better. Based on original research in primary sources, the 10-15 page paper exemplifies exceptional skill and effort in the craft of history.

KEVIN HERSHFIELD

Senior Academic Achievement Award ° - Alumni Association

Presented to the top five seniors in the School of Arts and Sciences, the top five seniors in the School of Education and the top five seniors in the School of Professional Studies pursuing their first bachelor's degree at SUNY Cortland.

ELIZABETH MARIE LENZI

Helen E. Smith Award for Excellence in Student Teaching ° - Childhood/Early Childhood Education

Presented to an undergraduate or graduate childhood or early childhood education major who has demonstrated excellence in student teaching as well as achieved a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 or better.

MARY MCGOVERN

Spina-Friedgen '71 Scholarship ° - Cortland College Foundation

Presented to a senior majoring in education or physical education with a grade point average of 3.0 or better.

KATHRYN E. MRYGLOD

Alpha Delta Junior Scholarship ° - Cortland College Foundation

Up to 10 scholarships are presented to students from the top 10 percent of the junior class. The awards are based on substantial contributions to the College community.

ADAM NIEMIEC

Senior Academic Achievement Award ° - Alumni Association

Presented to the top five seniors in the School of Arts and Sciences, the top five seniors in the School of Education and the top five seniors in the School of Professional Studies pursuing their first bachelor's degree at SUNY Cortland.

NORA PRELLER

Inclusive Special Education Award - Foundations and Social Advocacy

Awarded to the senior with an overall grade point average of 3.5 or better who has exemplified outstanding inclusive education practice.

KATHERINE QUIROZ

Alpha Kappa Phi/Agonian Scholarship ° - Alumni Association

Presented to a qualified senior with a grade point average of 3.0 or better who has contributed to the College community.

KELLY RICE

David L. Pugh Award for Superior Achievement in Mathematics by a Junior - Mathematics

Presented to a junior mathematics major with the most superior academic record as determined by the department.

ELIZABETH SCHEFTIC

Alpha Delta Junior Scholarship ° - Cortland College Foundation

Up to 10 scholarships are presented to students from the top 10 percent of the junior class. The awards are based on substantial contributions to the College community.

ANDREA TIRRELL

James F. Casey '50 Scholarship ° - Alumni Association

Presented to a student exhibiting leadership qualities and concern for the welfare of others who has been a residence hall staff member or hall council president for at least one semester.

LAJOIE WARD

Del Ivan Janik Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Shakespeare Studies ° - English

Presented to the graduating senior with the most outstanding accomplishments in the study of William Shakespeare's work.

Scholarships and Awards

SCHOOL OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

MICHAEL ADAMS

Past Presidents Scholarship: Donovan C. Moffett ° - Cortland College Foundation

Presented to second-semester sophomores and juniors with a grade point average of 3.2 or better who have contributed to the College community.

JULIA AMOROSO

Joseph F. Governali Award for Excellence in Health Education - Health

Presented to an undergraduate health major who shows professional promise through exemplary performance across both academic and field responsibilities and who demonstrates a passion for health education and community service so characteristic of Dr. Governali's tenure in the SUNY Cortland Health Department.

AUBREY BARRETT

John "Jack" MacPhee Award – Recreation, Parks and Leisure Studies

Presented to a senior recreation, parks and leisure studies student who has displayed a high degree of intellectual competence and a high level of athletic achievement.

ELIZABETH BLANCHARD

Alpha Delta Junior Scholarship ° - Cortland College Foundation

Up to 10 scholarships are presented to students from the top 10 percent of the junior class. The awards are based on substantial contributions to the College community.

ERIN NICOLE CARRINO

Senior Academic Achievement Award ° - Alumni Association

Presented to the top five seniors in the School of Arts and Sciences, the top five seniors in the School of Education and the top five seniors in the School of Professional Studies pursuing their first bachelor's degree at SUNY Cortland.

MICHELE EMILY CHISHOLM

Judith Smith Kelemen Senior Award ° - Communication Disorders and Sciences

Presented to a senior who demonstrates outstanding academic achievement.

BETHANY COON

Katherine Allen Whitaker Award - Health

Presented annually to a senior health major based on academic excellence and the qualities of charm, compassion and concern that characterized Mrs. Whitaker throughout her personal and professional life.

BRITTANY DUNN

Andrew M. Banse Award - Performing Arts

Presented to the senior music minor with the highest grade point average above 3.0.

MONICA FAZIO

Past Presidents Scholarship: James M. Clark ° - Cortland College Foundation

Presented to second-semester sophomores and juniors with a grade point average of 3.2 or better who have contributed to the College community.

MAIREAD FOGARTY

Charles N. Poskanzer Award - Health

Presented to a senior health major who demonstrates a commitment to community service, academic excellence, leadership potential and the personal qualities of good humor and caring so characteristic of Chuck Poskanzer throughout his personal and professional life.

KAITLYN NICOLE FORTIER

Dorothy Arnsdorff Award - Physical Education

Presented to a senior female physical education major for academic excellence and who demonstrates potential for professional development and leadership.

KASSANDRA GACEK

Past Presidents Scholarship: Kenneth E. Young - Cortland College Foundation

Presented to second-semester sophomores and juniors with a grade point average of 3.2 or better who have contributed to the College community.

Judith Smith Kelemen Junior Award ° - Communication Disorders and Sciences

Presented to a junior who demonstrates outstanding academic achievement.

Class of '67 Scholarship ° - Cortland College Foundation

Presented to a deserving sophomore, junior or senior in any major who has a grade point average of 3.0 or better, demonstrated outstanding leadership on or off campus and is involved in extracurricular activities.

SABETH GARDINER

Outstanding Senior Student in Sport Studies/Coaching - Kinesiology

Presented to the senior student in sport studies or coaching who has demonstrated academic excellence, outstanding scholarship and professional promise.

DILLON GIORGIS

Spina-Friedgen '71 Scholarship ° - Cortland College Foundation

Presented to a senior majoring in education or physical education with a grade point average of 3.0 or better.

LAUREN GUARDINO

Alpha Kappa Phi/Agonian Scholarship ° - Alumni Association

Presented to a qualified senior with a grade point average of 3.0 or better who has contributed to the College community.

ANGELA GUSTAFSON

Gerald M. Surette Scholarship in Political Economy ° - Economics

Presented to a deserving sophomore, junior or senior student with a grade point average of 3.0 or better and who has demonstrated a strong understanding of political economy.

ELIZABETH HAYES

Past Presidents Scholarship: Richard C. Jones ° - Cortland College Foundation

Presented to second-semester sophomores and juniors with a grade point average of 3.2 or better who have contributed to the College community.

Scholarships and Awards

GREGGORY HOUCK

Harlan "Gold" Metcalf Award ° - Recreation, Parks and Leisure Studies
Presented to a senior recreation, parks and leisure studies student who demonstrates scholarship, broad interests, integrity and dedication to serving people.

EMILY ROSE HUNT

Outstanding Senior Student in Athletic Training - Kinesiology
Presented to an outstanding senior in the athletic training program who has performed with distinction to enhance his or her professional growth, to share knowledge, to improve skills and to develop attitudes and values necessary for the field of athletic training.

JOSEPH MATHEW HUNTER

Senior Academic Achievement Award ° - Alumni Association
Presented to the top five seniors in the School of Arts and Sciences, the top five seniors in the School of Education and the top five seniors in the School of Professional Studies pursuing their first bachelor's degree at SUNY Cortland.

KAYSI LENT

Human Service Studies Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement - Health Department
Presented annually to a senior human service studies major who exemplifies academic excellence, commitment to helping others on campus or in the community and shows great promise in the human services field.

VICTORIA MAFFEO

Ross L. Allen Award - Health
Presented annually to a senior health major who displays administrative leadership potential, academic excellence and the qualities of warmth, sincerity and joie de vivre so characteristic of Ross Allen throughout his personal and professional life.

LAUREN MARIA MENCHINI

Senior Academic Achievement Award ° - Alumni Association
Presented to the top five seniors in the School of Arts and Sciences, the top five seniors in the School of Education and the top five seniors in the School of Professional Studies pursuing their first bachelor's degree at SUNY Cortland.

COURT PINEIRO

Spina-Friedgen '71 Scholarship ° - Cortland College Foundation
Presented to a senior majoring in education or physical education with a grade point average of 3.0 or better.

SARAH POWERS

John A. MacPhee Scholarship ° - Recreation, Parks and Leisure Studies
Presented to a recreation, parks and leisure studies major to provide financial support for his or her internship semester or to attend a national conference of a leisure services professional association. Selection criteria include academic achievement, professional promise, educational objectives, need for the scholarship and progress toward degree.

KLARISA ELLEN PRIKAZSKY

Thomas L. Goddard '61 Community Service Scholarship - Recreation, Parks and Leisure Studies
Presented to a returning sophomore, junior or senior in the area of recreation who has demonstrated an exemplary record of community service and high academic achievement.

Jay '66 and Bettie Lee Yerka Award for Excellence in Recreation and Leisure Studies ° - Recreation, Parks and Leisure Studies
Presented to a non-traditional, continuing education student majoring in therapeutic recreation to provide financial support for his or her education. Selection criteria include academic achievement, outstanding leadership abilities and high moral/ethical character.

NORA QUALLEY

Alpha Delta Junior Scholarship ° - Cortland College Foundation
Up to 10 scholarships are presented to students from the top 10 percent of the junior class. The awards are based on substantial contributions to the College community.

JENNIFER RANIERI

Bessie L. Park 1901 Award - Physical Education
Presented to a female physical education major for outstanding efforts and contributions to the campus, community and the profession.

JENNA RUBIN

Senior Academic Achievement Award ° - Alumni Association
Presented to the top five seniors in the School of Arts and Sciences, the top five seniors in the School of Education and the top five seniors in the School of Professional Studies pursuing their first bachelor's degree at SUNY Cortland.

Outstanding Senior Student in Exercise Science - Kinesiology
Presented to the senior student in exercise science who has demonstrated academic excellence, outstanding scholarship and professional promise.

CAITLIN SCHWEIGLER

Communication Disorders and Sciences Professional Promise Award - Communication Disorders and Sciences
Presented to a junior or senior who demonstrates academic and clinical excellence and exceptional interest in the profession of speech-language pathology and audiology.

KARYN LYN SCOTT

Marilou B. Wright '68 Memorial Scholarship ° - Cortland College Foundation
Presented to a female, non-traditional student with a grade point average of 3.0 or better.

Leonard T. Gath Award - Health
Presented annually to a senior health major based upon leadership and the humanitarian concern for the safety and well being of others so characteristic of Leonard Gath throughout his personal and professional life.

Scholarships and Awards

KYLE SHEA

Francis J. Moench '16 Award - Physical Education

Presented to a senior male majoring in physical education having the highest grade point average while completing undergraduate work at SUNY Cortland.

ADAM PHILLIP SMITH

Outstanding Senior Student in Fitness Development - Kinesiology

Presented to the senior student in fitness development who has demonstrated academic excellence, service in the field and professional promise.

KYLE SOLDANI

Peter Eisenhardt '67 Award for Excellence in Earth and Sky ° - *All-College*

Presented to students who earned a grade point average of 3.3 or better in courses in the Earth and Sky learning community, made consistently positive contributions to the learning community experience and demonstrated integrity, leadership and creativity.

JOHN STEPHENS

T. Fred Holloway Award - Physical Education

Presented to the senior male athlete majoring in physical education for high skill achievement, promise of scholarship beyond the B.S.Ed. and high potential for leadership in teaching and coaching.

REBECCA SERENE STUDIN

Senior Academic Achievement Award ° - *Alumni Association*

Presented to the top five seniors in the School of Arts and Sciences, the top five seniors in the School of Education and the top five seniors in the School of Professional Studies pursuing their first bachelor's degree at SUNY Cortland.

Outstanding Senior Student in Sport Management - Sport Management

Presented to an outstanding senior in sport management who has a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 or better and who has demonstrated both leadership skills and excellence in program-related activities and events.

BRIAN VONDERLIN

John A. MacPhee Scholarship ° - *Recreation, Parks and Leisure Studies*

Presented to a recreation, parks and leisure studies major to provide financial support for his or her internship semester or to attend a national conference of a leisure services professional association. Selection criteria include academic achievement, professional promise, educational objectives, need for the scholarship and progress toward degree.

MORGAN WILCOX

Kathleen W. Green Award - Communication Disorders and Sciences

Presented to a senior who demonstrates dedication to the field of audiology.

SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

LAUREN ABBOTT

Gerald N. DiGiusto Freshman Scholarship for Excellence in Studio Art ° - *Art and Art History*

Presented to an outstanding freshman studio art major for excellence in studio art across media and an overall grade point average of 3.0 or better.

AUDREY ADAMS

Junior Psychology Major Achievement Award - Psychology

Presented to the junior psychology major who demonstrates excellence in the classroom and in extracurricular activities related to psychology.

JENNIFER ANDREWS

Past Presidents Scholarship: Donnal Vore Smith ° - *Cortland College Foundation*

Presented to second-semester sophomores and juniors with a grade point average of 3.2 or better who have contributed to the College community.

ANA MARIA ANTONIO

Alpha Delta Junior Scholarship ° - *Cortland College Foundation*

Up to 10 scholarships are presented to students from the top 10 percent of the junior class. The awards are based on substantial contributions to the College community.

LAURA ANNE BRENNAN

Phi Beta Delta International Honor Society Award for Excellence - James M. Clark Center for International Education

Presented to a senior member of Phi Beta Delta with a grade point average of 3.4 or better who has studied abroad and whose future goals include international work.

Criminology Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement - Sociology/Anthropology

Presented to the junior or senior criminology major who excels in academic performance and related activities.

DANIEL BRETSCHER

The Seth N. Asumah "Uhuru" Award (The African Continent) - Africana Studies

Presented to a student for outstanding achievement in work related to the African Continent in Africana studies.

CARLI BRIENZA

Dr. Arden P. Zipp Scholarship ° - *Chemistry*

Presented to an outstanding freshman, sophomore or transfer student majoring in chemistry or adolescence education: chemistry who has completed General Chemistry I at SUNY Cortland and is enrolled in General Chemistry II with a grade point average of 3.0 or better.

ANDERSON BRIGGS

Pi Sigma Alpha Senior Award for Best Portfolio - Political Science

Presented to a senior political science major for the best portfolio of written work for their respective class.

Scholarships and Awards

ELYSE BRILL

Outstanding Teacher Potential in Biological Sciences - Biological Sciences

Presented to an undergraduate student in biological sciences who has demonstrated exceptional promise as an educator in biology. Recipients must be enrolled for a minimum of two semesters in one of the major programs and have a grade point average of 3.0 or better.

RENEE BULLARD

Outstanding Student Research in Biological Sciences - Biological Sciences

Presented to an undergraduate student in biological sciences in recognition of exceptional research activity that resulted in a presentation at Transformations or an off-campus venue or a publication in a scientific journal. Recipients must be enrolled for a minimum of two semesters in one of the major programs and have a grade point average of 3.0 or better.

SUSAN CACCAVALE

Award for Excellence in French and Spanish - Modern Languages

Presented to a junior or senior French and Spanish major who excels in language skills and cultural understanding.

THOMAS CALANDRA

William Joseph Phelps '69 Award - Physics

Awarded to an outstanding senior science major who plans to attend graduate school.

JOSEPH CATALDO

W. Graham Heaslip Award - Geology

For outstanding academic achievement by a junior geology major.

JESSICA ANN CHIODO

Award for Outstanding Achievement in Law and Justice ° - *Political Science*

Presented to a senior political science major with a law and justice concentration and the highest overall grade point average.

JOHN LUKE CHODKOWSKI

Top Graduating Senior in Chemistry - Chemistry

Presented to an outstanding graduating senior majoring in chemistry, biochemistry or adolescence education.

CHRISTOPHER DAVID COLES

Faculty Award for Academic Achievement - Economics

Presented to a graduating senior for academic excellence in business economics.

MARY COLOMAIO

Peter Eisenhardt '67 Award for Excellence in Tech First! Planet Earth ° - *All-College*

Presented to students who earned a grade point average of 3.3 or better in courses in the Tech First! Planet Earth learning community, made consistently positive contributions to the learning community experience and demonstrated integrity, leadership and creativity.

DANIEL CONWAY

Laura Horsman '90 Memorial Award ° - *Communication Studies*

Presented to the outstanding graduating senior in journalism.

RACHELANN LOPP COPLAND

Kathy Lattimore Award for Excellence in Writing - All-College

Presented to one student who has an overall grade point average of 3.0 or better and submits the winning paper in the SUNY Cortland Writing Contest.

CHELSIE COST

The Psychology Research Award - Psychology

Presented to the psychology major who demonstrates excellence in research.

MATTHEW D'ALELIO

Pi Sigma Alpha Junior Award for Best Portfolio - Political Science

Presented to a junior political science major for the best portfolio of written work for their respective class.

KELLI DARI

Psychology Academic Excellence Award - Psychology

Presented to the senior psychology major who has the highest overall grade point average.

ANNIE KATE DAVIS

Senior Academic Achievement Award ° - *Alumni Association*

Presented to the top five seniors in the School of Arts and Sciences, the top five seniors in the School of Education and the top five seniors in the School of Professional Studies pursuing their first bachelor's degree at SUNY Cortland.

D. Jo Schaffer Scholarship for Excellence in Art History - Art and Art History

Presented to a student who has excelled in art history course work.

JESSICA LYNN DEFOREST

John L. Fauth Award - Geology

Presented for outstanding academic achievement by a sophomore geology major.

JONATHAN DIAZ

Timothy Chung '76 Award for Excellence in American Literature ° - *English*

Presented to a junior or senior whose scholarship in American literature merits recognition.

AMANDA DIMMICK

Outstanding Senior in New Communication Media Award - Communication Studies

Presented to a graduating senior in new communication media who has demonstrated academic excellence, integrity and service to the department.

KAYLA M. DOUGLAS

Class of '67 Scholarship ° - *Cortland College Foundation*

Presented to a deserving sophomore, junior or senior in any major who has a grade point average of 3.0 or better, demonstrated outstanding leadership on or off campus and is involved in extracurricular activities.

JOHN DUNN

Best Paper in Ethics - Center for Ethics, Peace and Social Justice

Presented to the student with a grade point average of 3.0 or better who has written the best 1,500-word paper in ethics.

Scholarships and Awards

KIANA MARIE ERDMANN

William H. Reynolds Award for Outstanding Achievement in Mathematics by a Senior - Mathematics

Presented in honor of William H. Reynolds to a senior mathematics major with the most outstanding academic record as determined by the department.

CATHERINE FAUGHNAN

Award for Outstanding Achievement in Public Administration and Public Policy - Political Science

Presented to the senior political science major with a public policy and public administration concentration and the highest overall grade point average.

RICHELLE FILIPELLO

Peter Eisenhardt '67 Award for Excellence in Tech First! Planet Earth ° - All-College

Presented to students who earned a grade point average of 3.3 or better in courses in the Tech First! Planet Earth learning community, made consistently positive contributions to the learning community experience and demonstrated integrity, leadership and creativity.

KEVIN FLYNN

Academic Excellence in Economics - Economics

Presented to a graduating senior in the economics major for outstanding academic achievement.

BRADY FOSTER

Pi Sigma Alpha Award for Best Paper - Political Science

Presented to the student who has submitted the best paper in political science.

KADEEJA TONI FREDANKEY

Alpha Delta Junior Scholarship ° - Cortland College Foundation

Up to 10 scholarships are presented to students from the top 10 percent of the junior class. The awards are based on substantial contributions to the College community.

LOUISA ANN FRICK

Sidney R. Waldron Award for Academic Excellence - International Studies Program

Presented to a single student with the highest, or near the highest, grade point average and who has shown overall excellence in their academic career.

Phi Beta Delta International Honor Society Award for Internationalization - James M. Clark Center for International Education

Presented to a senior member of Phi Beta Delta who has contributed to the internationalization of the campus through extra-curricular work, combined with a grade point average of 3.4 or better and whose future goals include international work.

TAYLOR FRIEDMAN

Outstanding Senior Physics Major Award - Physics

Presented to an outstanding senior physics major.

MATTHEW P. GALLETTS

Senior Academic Achievement Award ° - Alumni Association

Presented to the top five seniors in the School of Arts and Sciences, the top five seniors in the School of Education and the top five seniors in the School of Professional Studies pursuing their first bachelor's degree at SUNY Cortland.

JAIME GANNON

Peter Eisenhardt '67 Award for Excellence in Learning (In)Deed ° - All-College

Presented to students who earned a grade point average of 3.3 or better in courses in the Learning (In)Deed learning community, made consistently positive contributions to the learning community experience and demonstrated integrity, leadership and creativity.

NICOLE GARIFO

Past Presidents Scholarship: Harry DeWitt DeGroat ° - Cortland College Foundation

Presented to second-semester sophomores and juniors with a grade point average of 3.2 or better who have contributed to the College community.

NATALIE JOY GREGORY

Dr. Norman B. Reynolds Memorial Award ° - Biological Sciences

Recognizes an outstanding senior biology major who has a good academic record and has shown exemplary personal development. Preference is given to a student who has completed an independent research project and who has been of service to other students during his or her undergraduate education.

KEVIN GROSS

Leonard F. Ralston Award - History

Presented to a junior history or adolescence education: social studies and history major with the highest overall grade point average.

LISELOTTE HAMMOND

Senior Academic Achievement Award ° - Alumni Association

Presented to the top five seniors in the School of Arts and Sciences, the top five seniors in the School of Education and the top five seniors in the School of Professional Studies pursuing their first bachelor's degree at SUNY Cortland.

Award for Excellence in Spanish - Modern Languages

Presented to a junior or senior Spanish major who excels in language skills and cultural understanding.

CLAIRE NICOLE HARTL

Aldo Leopold Award - Biological Sciences

Presented to the junior or senior preparing for a career in environmental science or environmental education who best exemplifies the conservation philosophy of Aldo Leopold: scientific competence coupled with a strong commitment to the preservation of natural ecosystems.

RACHEL HEATH

Thomas O. Mwanika Award - Communication Studies

Presented to a full-time junior or senior communication studies major with a grade point average of 3.0 or better for academic excellence, outstanding research, leadership and character.

Scholarships and Awards

HAILEY HOFFMAN

Senior Psychology Major Achievement Award - Psychology

Presented to the senior psychology major who demonstrates excellence in the classroom and in extracurricular activities related to psychology.

JOCELYN JONES

Award for Excellence in French - Modern Languages

Presented to a junior or senior French major who excels in language skills and cultural understanding.

JAMI ROBERT JUNE

W. Maxwell Hawkins Award - Geology

For outstanding academic achievement by a senior geology major.

COURTNEY KANE

Peter Eisenhardt '67 Award for Excellence in Peace and Justice ° - All-College

Presented to students who earned a grade point average of 3.3 or better in courses in the Peace and Justice learning community, made consistently positive contributions to the learning community experience and demonstrated integrity, leadership and creativity.

KATHERINE KELLAS

M. Eugene Bierbaum Award - Communication Studies

Presented to a student with a grade point average of 3.0 or better and outstanding work in public communication.

SARAH ROSE KELLY

Irmgard Mechlenburg Taylor Award ° - Cortland College Foundation

Presented to the student with the highest grade point average in the School Arts and Sciences who is a Phi Kappa Phi Member.

SAM KIRSCHENBAUM

Senior Academic Achievement Award ° - Alumni Association

Presented to the top five seniors in the School of Arts and Sciences, the top five seniors in the School of Education and the top five seniors in the School of Professional Studies pursuing their first bachelor's degree at SUNY Cortland.

SCOTT CHARLES KOZAK

Senior Academic Achievement Award ° - Alumni Association

Presented to the top five seniors in the School of Arts and Sciences, the top five seniors in the School of Education and the top five seniors in the School of Professional Studies pursuing their first bachelor's degree at SUNY Cortland.

ERIN MARIE KRUG

Peter Eisenhardt '67 Award for Excellence in World First ° - All-College

Presented to students who earned a grade point average of 3.3 or better in courses in the World First learning community, made consistently positive contributions to the learning community experience and demonstrated integrity, leadership and creativity.

KEN KUSACTAY

Robert E. Rhodes '53 Scholarship - English

Presented to a deserving junior, senior or graduate student majoring in English, adolescence education: English or professional writing who has demonstrated academic success.

AMBER LENNON

Peter Eisenhardt '67 Award for Excellence in Learning (In)Deed ° - All-College

Presented to students who earned a grade point average of 3.3 or better in courses in the Learning (In)Deed learning community, made consistently positive contributions to the learning community experience and demonstrated integrity, leadership and creativity.

ADRIANNA LICITRA

Outstanding Senior in Communication Studies - Communication Studies

Presented to a graduating senior in communication studies who has demonstrated academic excellence, integrity and service to the department.

CAITLIN ELIZABETH LUSK

Gerald M. Surette Scholarship in Political Economy – Economics

Presented to a deserving sophomore, junior or senior student with a grade point average of 3.0 or better and who has demonstrated a strong understanding of political economy.

KIMBERLY MAZZARO

Ann C. Allen Memorial Award - Communication Studies

Presented to the outstanding graduating senior in mass communication.

JASMINE MEIKLE

The Seth N. Asumah "Uhuru" Award (The African Continent) - Africana Studies

Presented to a student for outstanding achievement in work related to the African Continent in Africana studies.

CONSTANTINA E. MEMOS

Peter Eisenhardt '67 Award for Excellence in Peace and Justice ° - All-College

Presented to students who earned a grade point average of 3.3 or better in courses in the Peace and Justice learning community, made consistently positive contributions to the learning community experience and demonstrated integrity, leadership and creativity.

EMILY MITTELMAN-FREEMAN

Adams-Hill Theatre Award - Performing Arts

Presented to the outstanding theatre student for high academic achievement in combination with theatre artistry.

ANNA MULLER

Anthropology Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement - Sociology/Anthropology

Presented to a junior or senior anthropology major who excels in academic performance and related activities.

DEVON MUNGIN

Outstanding Achievement in Social Philosophy - Philosophy

Presented to a student majoring in social philosophy who demonstrates excellent academic achievement.

TINO MUSCATELLI

Outstanding Achievement in Mathematics by a Senior - Mathematics

Presented to a senior mathematics major with an outstanding academic record as determined by the department.

Scholarships and Awards

EMMETT JAMES NENO

Robert E. Rhodes '53 Award ° - English

Presented to the senior English major with the highest grade point average in English studies.

LAUREN OAKLAND

Rozanne M. Brooks Sociology Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement - Sociology/Anthropology

Presented to the junior or senior sociology major who excels in academic performance and related activities.

STEPHANIE NICOLE OFFUTT

Peter Eisenhardt '67 Award for Excellence in World First ° - All-College

Presented to students who earned a grade point average of 3.3 or better in courses in the World First learning community, made consistently positive contributions to the learning community experience and demonstrated integrity, leadership and creativity.

LAURA PATRICK

Chemical Rubber Company (C.R.C.) Press Award for Outstanding Student in General Chemistry - Chemistry

The CRC Press Award recognizes a top student at the end of their first year in chemistry.

Arden P. Zipp Prize in Inorganic Chemistry ° - Chemistry

Presented to the student who has achieved the highest grade in inorganic chemistry or who has demonstrated superior knowledge in inorganic chemistry through his or her research work.

TYLER POTTER

Outstanding Student Research in Chemistry - Chemistry

Presented to an undergraduate major from the Chemistry Department in recognition of exceptional research activity that resulted in either a presentation off campus or a publication in a scientific journal.

President's Recognition for Engaged Learning and Leadership Designation in Undergraduate Research – Undergraduate Research Council

Presented to the undergraduate student whose high-level achievements and participation in independent research or creative activities have made an original, intellectual or creative contribution to the discipline and the College.

IMANI PURVIS

The Seth N. Asumah "Uhuru" Award (The African Continent) - Africana Studies

Presented to a student for outstanding achievement in work related to the African Continent in Africana studies.

James McKee Memorial Award - Africana Studies

Presented to the outstanding student with the highest grade point average in Africana Studies.

JACOB RICHTER

Fr. Edward J. O'Heron Scholarship ° - English

Presented to academically promising English and adolescence education: English majors, with preference given to juniors, seniors or graduate students who exemplify Father O'Heron's commitment to others.

SARA RIZZI

Past Presidents Scholarship: Francis J. Cheney ° - Cortland College Foundation

Presented to second-semester sophomores and juniors with a grade point average of 3.2 or better who have contributed to the College community.

MICHAEL ROSENTHAL

William Rogers Memorial Award for Excellence in Political Science - Political Science

Presented to a senior political science major with the highest overall grade point average.

LISA RUQUET

Non-Traditional Student Major Achievement Award - Psychology

Presented to the non-traditional senior psychology major who demonstrates excellence in the classroom and in extracurricular activities related to psychology.

LUCRETIA SCHULER

Van Akin Burd Prize ° - English

Presented to an outstanding freshman, sophomore or junior English major.

LAUREN NICOLE SCOTTI

Excellence in Latino and Latin American Studies Award - Latino and Latin American Studies

Presented to the senior with the highest grade point average in the Latino and Latin American studies minor and who achieved academic excellence in his or her academic major.

KERRI SCRIVANOS

Peter Eisenhardt '67 Award for Excellence in Earth and Sky ° - All-College

Presented to students who earned a grade point average of 3.3 or better in courses in the Earth and Sky learning community, made consistently positive contributions to the learning community experience and demonstrated integrity, leadership and creativity.

BRENDAN JAMES SHUEY

Award for Outstanding CAP Minor - Computer Applications Program

Presented to the senior computer applications minor with the highest overall grade point average who has achieved a 4.0 or better grade point average in computer applications courses.

Fred Hanga Jr. Memorial Award for Excellence in Business Economics ° - Economics

Presented to the graduating senior with the highest grade point average in business economics.

CATHERINE SKOJEC

Charles T. Griffes Award – Performing Arts

Presented to the student who demonstrates musical talent and academic achievement.

EMILEE JAYNE SMITH

Gerald N. DiGiusto Senior Scholarship for Excellence in Studio Art ° - Art and Art History

Presented to an outstanding senior studio art major for excellence in studio art across media and an overall grade point average of 3.0 or better.

Scholarships and Awards

FREDERIKA SPESOVA-AUFHEIRMER

J. Catherine Gibian Award for Excellence in Art History - Art and Art History

Presented to a full-time art major for excellent performance in art history courses and an overall grade point average of 3.0 or better.

CODY STETZEL

Marion C. Thompson Memorial Scholarship ° - English

Presented to deserving junior, senior or graduate English or professional writing majors with a grade point average of 3.0 or better.

Van Akin Burd Scholarship in English ° - English

Presented annually to a junior, senior or graduate English major.

NICOLE MARY TABOLT

Award for Excellence in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages - Modern Languages

Presented to a junior or senior based on academic merit, professionalism and integrity.

SARAH TALBOT

Outstanding Senior Seminar Paper - History

Presented to the history major who authored the best research paper in HIS 490: Seminar in History the preceding spring or fall semester and who has an overall grade point average of 3.0 or better. Based on original research in primary sources, the 20-25 page paper exemplifies exceptional skill and effort in the craft of history and makes a significant contribution to historical scholarship.

ROSEMARIE TIBBALL

Superior Achievement in Mathematics by a Junior - Mathematics

Presented to a junior mathematics major with a superior academic record as determined by the department.

NICHOLE TOUSSAINT

Composition Award - All-College

Presented to the student who submitted the best essay in Writing Studies I or Writing Studies II.

KERI KATHLEEN URBAN

Academic Achievement and Service Award - Economics

Presented to a graduating senior in the economics or business economics major for academic achievement and service to the Economics Department.

JORDAN WEHLAND

Chair's Award for Academic Excellence - Economics

Presented to a graduating senior in the economics or business economics major for outstanding academic achievement.

KODEY WHITEWOLF

Award for Excellence in Understanding Multicultural and Gender Issues - Center for Gender and Intercultural Studies

Presented to a student who demonstrates depth and insight in understanding multicultural and gender issues.

GIOTTO ZAMPOGNA

Gerald N. DiGiusto Award for Excellence in Studio Art - Art and Art History

Presented to a studio art major for excellence in work across media and active participation in the art and art history department community who has an overall grade point average of 3.0 or better.

COURTNEY ZIRKEL

Olive C. Fish Award - Geography

Presented to the outstanding student in the geography program

CHANCELLOR'S AWARD FOR STUDENT EXCELLENCE

KHALIA BROWN

Chancellor's Award for Student Excellence - State University of New York

Presented by the State University of New York Chancellor to students who have best combined outstanding academic excellence with significant contributions to the university community.

MICHAEL ROSENTHAL

Chancellor's Award for Student Excellence - State University of New York

Presented by the State University of New York Chancellor to students who have best combined outstanding academic excellence with significant contributions to the university community.

KYLE SHEA

Chancellor's Award for Student Excellence - State University of New York

Presented by the State University of New York Chancellor to students who have best combined outstanding academic excellence with significant contributions to the university community.

LEIGHMARIE WEBER

Chancellor's Award for Student Excellence - State University of New York

Presented by the State University of New York Chancellor to students who have best combined outstanding academic excellence with significant contributions to the university community.

RESIDENCE HALL AWARD

WHITAKER HALL

Donald Parish Brooks Scholarship

Presented to the residence hall having the highest cumulative average.

TOP GRADUATING SENIOR AWARD

LAJOIE WARD

Top Graduating Senior Award - All-College

Presented to the senior with the highest grade point average.

2014 Honors Convocation Committee

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Junior, Communication Studies and Computer Applications*

Alma Mater

By lofty elm trees shaded round,
Tioughnioga near,
Our grand old Cortland College stands,
To all of us how dear!
We'll sing to thee, dear Alma Mater,
Of love that shall never die,
We'll strive for thy glory eternal,
Keep thy stainless honor high.
Inspiring each son and each daughter
The noblest aims to try,
All thy fame and thy spirit,
Thy might are ours
As the swift years hurry by.



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