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CLARKSON'S
HIGHEST
HONORARY
LEADERSHIP
SOCIETY

**WITH SPECIAL THANKS TO
THE CLARKSON UNIVERSITY STUDENT ASSOCIATION**

FOREWORD

CLARKSON WAS FOUNDED in 1896 as a memorial to Thomas S. Clarkson by his three sisters, Elizabeth, Frederica and Lavinia. Thomas Clarkson believed that the most useful service a person could offer others was to help them to help themselves. His greatest dream was to establish an institution that would encourage youth to develop the best in themselves and, by practical application, give life and meaning to his philosophy. He was a devout man with a vision of education for all who sought it, and the Clarkson we know is a result of that vision.

The green and gold that are Clarkson's colors represent the colors of his favorite flower, the goldenrod. Clarkson's golden knight is outlined on the family coat of arms. Thomas Clarkson's convictions are expressed in a quotation from the Bible, "Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed."

In keeping with the precepts of Thomas Clarkson, many traditions have developed over the years. One of the most memorable of these was Moving-Up Day, which celebrated the symbolic end of the academic year when each class "moves up" to a higher academic level. A more recent designation for Moving-Up Day is the University Recognition Awards. At this time, superior scholastic and athletic attainment, public service and extracurricular activities are recognized by the presentation of awards and the honoring of campus leaders tapped for membership in Phalanx, Clarkson's highest honorary leadership society.



HISTORY

PRIOR TO 1929, students who participated actively in campus affairs and also attained high scholastic standing received no special recognition at Clarkson. That year, Phalanx was organized to honor such individuals. William M. Farrisee, then associate professor of civil engineering and later dean of students, assisted several members of the Class of 1929 in designating 12 charter members.

Now established as Clarkson's highest honorary society, Phalanx has stimulated campus activities and provided recognition of academic achievement, while promoting the qualities of leadership. Just as phalanx referred to the formation of ranks in ancient Greece, the society's constitution explains, "Phalanx means the formation of those who rank in the affairs of Clarkson."

The purpose of Phalanx has remained the same throughout its 92 years: to recognize the achievements and promote the interests of students in extracurricular activities, scholarship, service and athletics at Clarkson. Administrators, faculty and staff are now also recognized for leadership, service and teaching. Full consideration is given to a candidate's leadership qualities, including personality and the ability to lead and follow.

The University Recognition Awards is hosted by the Office of the President and Phalanx. This annual celebration recognizes members of the Clarkson University community who have demonstrated exceptional scholarship, leadership or service to the University.



MEMBERS OF PHALANX

Gabrielle Rosario – President
Ben Goodrich – Vice President
Aria Stephan – Treasurer
Summer Scovil – Secretary

FACULTY AND ADMINISTRATORS

Goodarz Ahmadi
Catherine Avadikian '97
Erik C. Backus '97, Advisor
Jennifer L. Ball
Emma Blaiklock
Stephen Casper
Anthony G. Collins
Karen J. Collins MS'95
Marc S. Compeau MS'01
Michelle L. Crimi '95

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Jerry W. Gravander P'01
Stefan Grimberg
Kerop D. Janoyan
Gary F. Kelly
Farzad Mahmoodi
Kate Mikel P'21
John C. Moosbrugger

Susan Powers '83, MS'85
Michael W. Ramsdell '97
MS'98, PhD'04
Melissa Richards '04, MS'06, PhD'21
Christopher C. Robinson
Shane Rogers
Selma Mededovic Thagard
Kenneth D. Visser
Andreas K. Wilke

The awards that follow are not always given each year at the University Recognition Awards.

Equal Opportunity Policy: Clarkson University does not discriminate on the basis of race, gender, color, creed, religion, national origin, age, disability, sexual orientation, veteran or marital status in provision of educational opportunity or employment opportunities.

SCHOOL OF ARTS & SCIENCES

Presented by Dean Darryl Scriven

ARTS & SCIENCES AWARD ELYSE VIRGINIA SCOTT

This award is given to an outstanding student-scholar enrolled in a degree program in the School of Arts & Sciences whose studies demonstrate significant interdisciplinary work and excellence in communication. As a student-scholar, the recipient will exemplify the ideal of integration of learning.

FACULTY TEACHING EXCELLENCE ENDOWED FUND IN HONOR OF DR. ROBERT JOHN MCGILL AND DR. NYE SMITH JAMES PEPLOSKI

Established by Barry G. Chiron '60 to acknowledge a faculty member from the School of Business one year and alternate to a professor from the School of Arts and Sciences the next for excellence in teaching and helping students achieve academic success.

HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES

Presented by Associate Professor and Awards Committee Chair Ellen Caldwell

DR. CARL MICHEL AWARD EDWARD JULIAN CERRONE, NAANA EYIKUMA HUTCHFUL AND KAITLYN PAIGE MCNAMARA

The Dr. Carl Michel Award was established in 1955 by Miss Lena J. Michel to recognize outstanding first-year liberal arts students.

ILSE J. SHAW AWARD ERIN JIN-JU KELLY

Established in 1991 by Professor Emeritus Robert Shaw in honor of his wife, the Ilse J. Shaw Award is presented annually to a sophomore majoring in Humanities and Social Sciences for outstanding academic achievement.

JEROME D. BARNUM MEMORIAL AWARD SUMMER L. SCOVIL

This award was established by the family and friends of Jerome D. Barnum, who served as editor and publisher of the *Syracuse Post Standard* and as a member of Clarkson's Board of Trustees from 1941 to 1964. The fund is used to provide a sum of money to the outstanding senior student majoring in the humanities, social sciences or communication and media who, in achieving high academic standing, has demonstrated proficiency in the art of written communication.

MAJOR WILLIAM W. COLEMAN MEMORIAL AWARD

Not awarded this year.

Established through a gift by the late Mrs. Virginia Kent Cummins in memory of the heroism of her grandniece's husband, this award consists of a sum of money for the best poem or essay on "Individual Self-Interest Versus the Common Good."

FRANCIS A. DELUCIA AWARD FREMA MENSAH

Established by the family and friends of the late Francis A. DeLucia, Clarkson Class of 1966, this award is presented to the outstanding Clarkson junior who is majoring in humanities, social sciences or communications media.

COMMUNICATION, MEDIA & DESIGN

Presented by Professor and Chair Jason Schmitt

THE COMMUNICATION, MEDIA & DESIGN GRADUATING SENIOR AWARD

RHIANNON E. CLEMENTS

This award is given to an outstanding graduating Communication senior.

THE COMMUNICATION, MEDIA & DESIGN JUNIOR OR RISING SENIOR AWARD

PATRICK HARPER MACIEL

This award is given to a junior or rising senior with the highest GPA in their Communication courses.

THE COMMUNICATION, MEDIA & DESIGN SOPHOMORE AWARD

CHASTANT PETER SHONTZ

This award is given to a sophomore with the highest GPA in their Communication courses.

THE PETER '90 AND CHANDRA WARGO DIGITAL ARTS & SCIENCES AWARD

KALEN BJERGA

Established through a gift by Peter and Chandra Wargo, this award is given to an outstanding graduating digital arts & sciences senior who demonstrates the qualities of leadership, creativity and excellence in the major.

DIGITAL ARTS & SCIENCES JUNIOR OR RISING SENIOR AWARD

THOMAS JOSEPH DUBAY AND LARK MARGARET STEVENS

This award is given to an outstanding digital arts & sciences junior or rising senior with the highest GPA in their digital arts & sciences courses.

DIGITAL ARTS & SCIENCES SOPHOMORE AWARD

DEVON GERALD HARDY

This award is given to an outstanding digital arts & sciences sophomore with the highest GPA in their digital arts & sciences courses.

BIOLOGY

Presented by Professor and Chair Michael Twiss

THE BIOLOGY DEPARTMENT OUTSTANDING GRADUATE RESEARCH AWARD

MORGAN KATHLEEN PROCHASKA

This award is presented to a graduate student who has demonstrated excellence in bioscience research, as demonstrated by papers, conference presentations and seminars. The recipient is nominated by members of the student's graduate committee and selected by consensus of the Biology Department faculty members.

THE BIOLOGY DEPARTMENT GRADUATE TEACHING AWARD

EVIE BRAHMSTEDT

This award is presented to a graduate student who has demonstrated excellence as a teaching assistant or instructor of biology. The recipient is nominated by course instructors and selected by consensus of the Biology Department faculty members.

THE BIOLOGY DEPARTMENT OUTSTANDING SENIOR AWARD

SHELBY ELIZABETH ALWINE AND RHIANNON E. CLEMENTS

This award is presented to an outstanding biology major who is graduating or will graduate in the following fall. It is the most prestigious award that the department provides and the recipient is chosen by consensus of the Biology Department faculty members. The criteria considered for this award includes high GPA, participation in undergraduate research or analogous

professional experiences, involvement in extracurricular activities and community service and demonstration of leadership skills. The recipient excels in more than one of these areas.

**THE BIOLOGY DEPARTMENT OUTSTANDING RESEARCH AWARD
OLIVIA R. BROWN**

The recipient of this award is selected by consensus of the Biology Department faculty members. The award is given to a student who has done significant research as demonstrated by conference or seminar presentations, and who is completing a summary thesis or publication.

**THE BIOLOGY DEPARTMENT UNDERGRADUATE TEACHING AWARD
KELSEY M. CULLEN**

This award is presented to an undergraduate biology major who has demonstrated excellence in teaching or tutoring biology. The recipient of this award will be chosen by consensus of the Biology Department faculty members.

**THE BIOLOGY DEPARTMENT OUTSTANDING LEADERSHIP & SERVICE AWARD
ELYSE VIRGINIA SCOTT**

The recipient of this award will be chosen by consensus of the Biology Department faculty members based on the candidate's participation in departmental service activities and events, leadership and activity in professional societies and demonstration of leadership in other campus organizations including clubs, fraternities and athletic teams.

**THE BIOLOGY DEPARTMENT SOPHOMORE AWARD
SARAH LYNNE BARNUM, RYAN MARSHALL MCCARTHY, ALEXA ANGELINE MCKEE AND ELIZABETH JANE POIRIER**

Given to the sophomore biology major who has attained the highest overall GPA in their first three semesters at Clarkson.

**THE BIOLOGY DEPARTMENT OUTSTANDING
INTERDISCIPLINARY RESEARCH AWARD
BENJAMIN S. ELLIS**

This award is presented to an undergraduate student who does not necessarily major in biology but has demonstrated excellence in bioscience research and/or academic achievements in life sciences.

CHEMISTRY & BIOMOLECULAR SCIENCE
Presented by Professor and Chair Silvana Andrescu

**THE DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY & BIOMOLECULAR
SCIENCE FRESHMAN AWARD
MATTHIAS M. SCHMIDT**

This award recognizes an outstanding freshman student in the Department of Chemistry & Biomolecular Science.

**THE GAMMA SIGMA EPSILON GEORGE L. JONES JR. AWARD
HOLLY VICTORIA YOUNG**

This award is sponsored by the chemical fraternity Gamma Sigma Epsilon and presented to an outstanding sophomore chemistry major.

**RAYMOND R. ANDREWS ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
ADARRA ROXANE SMITH**

This award is sponsored by friends and past students of Professor Andrews. He taught CM221 for the majority of his 33 years at Clarkson. He was a teacher dedicated to his profession by remaining current with advancing technology, and also dedicated to the students, many of whom became personal friends.

**THE DR. GEORGE L. JONES JR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD
JENNIFER O'BRIEN**

This award recognizes an outstanding student in physical chemistry.

**EGON MATIJEVIĆ ENDOWED CHEMISTRY SCHOLARSHIP
BAILEY ROSE BRENNEN, CHEYENNE TEAL BURNSIDE, JOHN
STEVEN CARLSON, MATTHIAS M. SCHMIDT, MADDIE LYNN
SESNIE AND DANNA WANG**

This award was established in 1988 in honor of Dr. Egon Matijević, Clarkson's Distinguished University Professor, for his enormous contribution to the scientific community around the globe and for his exemplary service to the Department of Chemistry & Biomolecular Science, the Center for Advanced Materials Processing and the entire University. The award recognizes an outstanding undergraduate student in the Department of Chemistry & Biomolecular Science.

**THE OUTSTANDING TEACHING ASSISTANT AWARD
KYLE JEFFERY CASSIDY**

This award is given to a graduate teaching assistant in the Department of Chemistry & Biomolecular Science at Clarkson University who has demonstrated teaching excellence and high productivity in their research while maintaining an exemplary academic record.

**THE OUTSTANDING GRADUATE STUDENT AWARD
DANIEL MASSANA**

This award is given to an exceptional graduate student in the Department of Chemistry & Biomolecular Science to honor their significant and outstanding research and scholarly contributions.

**THE STIG E. FRIBERG AWARD FOR UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH
ZACHARY GUNNAR GOAD**

This award was established to provide financial support to undergraduate students at CU. The award is bestowed upon a junior or senior showing excellent academic achievement who is conducting original research and has either been published or has a clear path to publication.

MATHEMATICS

Presented by Professor and Chair Joseph Skufca

**THE HAMLIN/DARRAUGH AWARD FOR MATHEMATICS
NATHALIE BARRIOS AND ANDREW MICHAEL STEPHENS**

Given to the senior mathematics major who has made a noteworthy contribution in mathematics while at Clarkson.

**THE R. GERALD BRADSHAW AWARD FOR MATHEMATICS
MORGAN DAVID BUSCH AND ETHAN FRANCIS DESMARAIS**

Given to the junior mathematics major who has made a note-worthy contribution in mathematics while at Clarkson.

**PI MU EPSILON SOPHOMORE AWARD FOR MATHEMATICS
AENGUS MATTHEW ANDREW, PETER LEF AND EVAN
MARLEY LIRA**

Given to the sophomore mathematics major who has made a noteworthy contribution in mathematics while at Clarkson.

**SANDA BRIGGS OUTSTANDING TEACHING ASSISTANT AWARD
FOR MATHEMATICS
SOBANA HANDI DINUKA SEWWANDI DE SILVA**

Given to Clarkson's outstanding graduate mathematics teaching assistant.

**MILLER/DAVIS SERVICE AWARD FOR MATHEMATICS
HAYDEN RADCLIFFE BEATTIE**

Given to the mathematics major who has made outstanding service contributions to the department.

COMPUTER SCIENCE

Presented by Associate Professor and Chair Alexis Maciel

THE HAMLIN AND DARRAUGH COMPUTER SCIENCE OUTSTANDING SENIOR AWARD

JACOB M. GATELY AND KRISTEN A. GOEBEL

Given to a senior computer science major in recognition of outstanding academic achievement.

THE R. GERALD BRADSHAW COMPUTER SCIENCE OUTSTANDING JUNIOR AWARD

ALAINA MARIE TULSKIE

Given to a junior computer science major in recognition of outstanding academic achievement.

THE JAMES LYNCH AND JAN SEARLEMAN COMPUTER SCIENCE OUTSTANDING SOPHOMORE AWARD

CONOR MILLER-LYNCH

Given to a sophomore computer science major in recognition of outstanding academic achievement.

THE SANDA BRIGGS COMPUTER SCIENCE OUTSTANDING TEACHING ASSISTANT AWARD

MINGJUN LI

Given to a computer science graduate student in recognition of outstanding achievement as a teaching assistant.

THE MILLER AND DAVIS COMPUTER SCIENCE SERVICE AWARD

Not awarded this year.

Given in recognition of outstanding service to the Department of Computer Science.

PHYSICS

Presented by Professor and Interim Chair Dipankar Roy

PHYSICS DEPARTMENT OUTSTANDING FRESHMAN AWARD

BENJAMIN THOMAS MUSTICO

Given annually to the freshman student majoring in physics who has demonstrated the greatest proficiency in physics.

PHYSICS DEPARTMENT OUTSTANDING SENIOR AWARD

EMILY B. KEHOE, NICK A. NILES AND MARTIN VERESKO

Given annually to the senior physics student showing the most promise for a successful professional career.

PHYSICS DEPARTMENT DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE STUDENT AWARD

CHRISTOPHER TYLER DIGGANS

Given to a physics graduate student in recognition of academic excellence in pursuit of a graduate degree.

SIGURDS ARAJS MEMORIAL AWARD

ANTHONY CARABALLO

Established in 1994 to recognize contributions made by the late Professor Sigurds Arajs to Clarkson physics. Presented to the beginning student demonstrating the highest proficiency in experimental physics.

PSYCHOLOGY

*Presented by Associate Professor and Chair
Andreas Wilke*

THE PSYCHOLOGY RESEARCH AWARD

CAMERON ALEX MALLERY-WINEGARD

Given to the senior psychology student who has demonstrated excellence in their academic studies and research endeavors while at Clarkson.

THE PSYCHOLOGY RESEARCH ASSISTANT AWARD

JAZMINE ALYSE NICOLE BREEDY AND JULIA ROSE BRZAC

Given annually to the psychology major who best exemplifies excellence in research support for a psychological research laboratory.

THE PSYCHOLOGY PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AWARD

ANALEA LUCILLE BLACKBURN AND DANIE JOHNSON

This award is given to the psychology major who, during their internship experience, excelled in applying psychological principles to real-world problems.

THE PSYCHOLOGY SERVICE AWARD

MEGAN BERRY AND JANINE E. GOGGIN

Given annually to the psychology major who excelled in supporting student activities and departmental outreach activities.

DAVID D. REH SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

*Presented by Associate Dean and Assistant Professor
Floyd Ormsbee*

**JOHN W. GRAHAM JR. LEADERSHIP AWARD
MARQUES BOUYER AND NICOLE MARIE ELLEGATE**

To be given each year to a School of Business senior who has combined academic competence with a substantial contribution to the Clarkson community.

**ILSE J. SHAW SCHOOL OF BUSINESS FRESHMAN AWARD
VERONICA CLAIRE TACHE**

To be given each year to a School of Business freshman who has demonstrated outstanding scholastic ability and leadership.

**ILSE J. SHAW SCHOOL OF BUSINESS SOPHOMORE AWARD
ANNA ZHUANG**

To be given each year to a School of Business sophomore who has demonstrated outstanding scholastic ability and leadership.

**ANDREW S. ORMSBY LAW SCHOLAR AWARD
HENRY PETER O'BRIEN**

To be given to the School of Business junior who best exemplifies intellectual curiosity, respect for justice and ethical conduct.

**EUGENE R. YEAGER JR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP AND AWARD
ANNA NOELLE ELLITHORPE**

Each year during the period 1976-92, a Eugene R. Yeager Jr. Memorial Scholarship Award was presented to a deserving School of Business junior in the form of a monetary prize. In 1992, this award was formally established at Clarkson through the generous contribution of Mr. Yeager's grandmother, Mrs. Kenneth Buckley. The

award is given each year to a School of Business junior who has demonstrated outstanding academic achievement and financial need. The scholarship will be applied during the recipient's senior year. Each student who receives this scholarship award will be known as a "Eugene R. Yeager Jr. Memorial Scholar."

**THE ROBERT '65 AND ELAINE BIRRELL ACCOUNTING AWARD
ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP
COLBY BRADLEY BROUILLETTE, NICHOLAS PAUL LACOMBE
AND HENRY PETER O'BRIEN**

The Robert '65 and Elaine Birrell Accounting Award Endowed Scholarship was established to award an accounting major, either a rising sophomore, junior or senior. The winner will exhibit academic excellence and leadership activities related to the accounting profession.

THE JAMES L. DOHR ACCOUNTING SCHOLARSHIP
Not awarded this year.

The James L. Dohr Accounting Scholarship was created in 1983 by Mrs. James Dohr to recognize and reward financial information & analysis students with an interest in accounting and/or an accounting career. The recipient(s), through academic achievement, demonstrate leadership potential and the ability to make significant contributions in either the field of public accounting or managerial accounting. The scholarship was named in honor of James L. Dohr, former chair of the Accounting and Business Law Department at Columbia University. The scholarship is awarded to a senior who intends to matriculate in the MBA program at Clarkson University. The recipient will be known as the James L. Dohr Scholar. The award is presented to a senior financial information & analysis major.

THE JAMES L. DOHR ACCOUNTING AWARD
RYAN MICHAEL PERKINS

The James L. Dohr Accounting Award was created in 1983 by Mrs. James Dohr to recognize and reward financial information & analysis students with an interest in accounting and/or an accounting career. The recipient(s), through academic achievement, demonstrate leadership potential and the ability to make significant contributions in either the field of public accounting or managerial accounting. The award was named in honor of James L. Dohr, former chair of the Accounting and Business Law Department at Columbia University. The award is presented to a junior financial information & analysis major with a focus on accounting.

DR. RAJESH SETHI ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
CONNOR ROBERT JOYCE

In recognition of the graduating senior innovation and entrepreneurship student with the highest GPA who has demonstrated outstanding academic achievement and leadership potential.

THE GREGORY P. ARNOLD '73 MEMORIAL PRIZE AWARD
MITCHEL ANDREW PULASKI

In memory of Greg Arnold, industrial management, Class of 1973, a monetary award is presented to a junior majoring in global supply chain management. The recipient must be in good academic standing and show active participation in extracurricular activities.

THE ELIZABETH A. KISSEL '90 MEMORIAL ENDOWED AWARD
JEFREY ALEXANDER LOPEZ RINCON

The Elizabeth A. Kissel '90 Memorial Endowed Award was established in 1990 by the Xerox Corporation. In May 1991, Elizabeth's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Kissel, endowed the award with a generous contribution to honor their daughter. The

award recognizes an outstanding School of Business junior who has demonstrated academic achievement and possesses an energetic personality and zest for life, qualities which abounded in Elizabeth Kissel.

KYLE G. REICHLEY '85 MEMORIAL ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP FOR EXCELLENCE IN BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE AND DATA ANALYTICS
CHRISTIAN ERIC PERRINE

The Kyle G. Reichley '85 Memorial Alumni Scholarship for Excellence in Business Intelligence and Data Analytics was established at Clarkson in 1991 through an endowment by his parents, Irvin and Jeanne Reichley, and the generous contributions of MIS program alumni who knew Kyle as a student. The scholarship, presented annually, provides recognition and financial assistance to a business intelligence and data analytics student who demonstrates high scholastic achievement, professionalism, collegueship and teamwork, and who exhibits potential for sustained career achievement in information technology.

THE RALPH JANARO MEMORIAL SPONSORED SCHOLARSHIP
 Not awarded this year.

This scholarship is awarded annually and will support a full-time student enrolled in the MBA program. This scholarship is dedicated in loving memory of Ralph by his children, Justin E. Janaro '96, Andrea Janaro and Christopher E. Janaro.

THE RUKESH AND SHANITH SAMARASEKERA '13 MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP – YOU'LL NEVER WALK ALONE
MATHEUS C. RUTKOWSKI

In memory of Rukesh and Shanith Samarasekera. Shanith was a student of global supply chain management, Project Aretê and pre-law, Class of 2013. This scholarship, sponsored by their

family, is awarded to a rising senior in the pre-law program who demonstrates financial need and shows promise for excellence in a law career.

**THE HENDRICKSON FAMILY TRUST AWARD
RAMATOULAYE DIALLO**

This award is given each year to a rising sophomore, junior or senior who exemplifies a well-rounded business student with a promising future.

ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT

*Presented by Associate Professor and Interim Director
Amir Mousavian*

**DR. AMY K. ZANDER ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT AWARD
FOR OUTSTANDING CAREER POTENTIAL
BRENT GIBSON OGBORN**

Created in 2017 by Benjamin Morton-Black '15 and Ariana Gilbert '16 to honor Dr. Amy Zander for her outstanding leadership as director of the engineering & management program from 2008-2017. This award is presented to an engineering & management major who is on track to graduate in the following academic year and who has demonstrated outstanding career potential.

**ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT ACTIVITY AWARD
ANDREW J. BENNETT**

This award is presented to the engineering & management major who has made the greatest contribution to the program while maintaining high academic standards.

**DR. CHARLES T. MOSIER '72 MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD
MICHAEL JOSEPH MESSIER AND RACHEL NICOLENA REUSCH**

Created in 2002 by his wife, Dr. Donna Mosier MS'78, PhD'95; son Aaron '03; and former and current students, friends and colleagues

to recognize and support a senior student in engineering & management who plans to seek a graduate business degree at Clarkson. This award recognizes a student who displays high academic achievement, teamwork, collegiality, willingness to help others and the spirit of lifelong learning. The student receiving this award will be given a scholarship towards graduate work and be known as the Charles T. Mosier '72 Scholar.

**THE JOSEPH SCATURRO ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP
MEGAN ELIZABETH BECKER, WILLOW SUMARA BOYCE, CHARLIE
FLYNN, GABRYELLA SKYE REDENTI AND SARA LYNN TRUDEAU**

The award is presented annually to a sophomore, junior or senior engineering & management major who has completed at least three semesters in this major. The recipient has demonstrated a willingness to help others, good citizenship, financial need and acceptable academic performance.

**RICHARD BRADY LEGRO '82 MEMORIAL ENDOWED AWARD
KRISTEN LIU AND NATHAN TOWLE**

This award is presented annually to a junior or senior engineering & management student who has demonstrated commitment to the engineering & management program and to fellow students through academic performance and service.

**CATOZELLA FAMILY SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
EVAN PAUL BOKELBERG, ALYSSA D. JULIANO AND ZOEY ROSE
KOVACH**

This award is presented to a rising sophomore engineering & management student who contributes the most to the program in and out of class, achieves a high academic average and is an enthusiastic advocate for the program.

*Presented by President of the Student Association for
Engineering Management (SAEM) Kristen Liu*

**THE ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT EMERGING
LEADERSHIP AWARD**

MEGAN ELIZABETH BECKER

The Engineering & Management Emerging Leadership Award is granted to a student who greatly involves themselves and their surrounding organizations in the Clarkson community. This student is sufficiently motivated and ambitious to immerse themselves in civic activities that foster the growth of the engineering & management program. Strong leadership, motivation and honest character are traits of the award recipient.

WALLACE H. COULTER SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

CHEMICAL & BIOMOLECULAR ENGINEERING

Presented by Professor and Chair Elizabeth Podlaha-Murphy

THE OUTSTANDING SENIOR AWARD

JAMES THACHER JENSEN

Presented annually to the outstanding chemical engineering senior.

PABLO GUTTMAN MEMORIAL AWARD

CAROLYNE ABIGAIL SHULTES

Presented annually to the most conscientious chemical engineering junior.

R. SHANKAR SUBRAMANIAN PRIZE FOR OUTSTANDING SCHOLARLY ACHIEVEMENT IN CHEMICAL ENGINEERING

JENNIFER O'BRIEN

Established in 2011 by R. Shankar Subramanian to recognize and honor a chemical engineering junior at Clarkson each year who has best demonstrated a scholarly approach toward studies, and who shows promise for continuing accomplishments in the future. R. Shankar Subramanian was a faculty member in the Department of Chemical & Biomolecular Engineering from 1973 to 2016, and a past chair of the department from 1986 to 1996.

DR. LEWIS J. DERZANSKY MS'68, PHD'73 MEMORIAL GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

MICHAEL K. SEHN

The Dr. Lewis J. Derzansky MS'68, PhD'73 Memorial Graduate Scholarship Endowment was established to provide financial

support to a deserving graduate student pursuing their Master's in Chemical Engineering at Clarkson University.

CIVIL & ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING

Presented by Professor and Interim Chair Steven Wojtkiewicz

THE CHARLES MARTIN CLARK MEMORIAL PRIZE

MICHAEL HOFFMAN

Established in 1946 by Mr. Clark's associates on the Board of Water Supply of the City of New York. The recipient is a senior civil & environmental engineering student of outstanding scholarship and character, possessing qualifications required for a successful professional career.

CIVIL & ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING AWARD FOR WRITING HANNAH BEDELL

This award was established in 1998 by the faculty of the department. The recipient is a civil & environmental engineering major who has exhibited superior performance through the Writing Across the Curriculum Program.

ARTHUR L. STRAUB MEMORIAL AWARD

AUTUMN LENNON

The award was established in 1976 in honor of Professor Arthur L. Straub, a member of the Clarkson faculty from 1956 to 1976. The recipient is a senior civil & environmental engineering student who possesses the qualities of professional maturity, scholastic ability and involvement in extracurricular activities.

**THE GEORGE A. GRAY ENDOWED FELLOWSHIP
ELIZABETH R. LAUGHLIN**

Established in 1995 by George A. Gray '43 to recognize outstanding scholarship and achievement by a first-year graduate student in the Department of Civil & Environmental Engineering at Clarkson.

**OUTSTANDING TEACHING AWARD FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS
IN CIVIL & ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING
ERIC K. DEWITT**

This award is presented to a full-time graduate student who has demonstrated outstanding ability as a teaching assistant in the Department of Civil & Environmental Engineering.

**THE KEITH M. RUSS CIVIL & ENVIRONMENTAL
ENGINEERING AWARD**

SIMON GEROULD JOYNER AND ANDREW BATOR TOTA

Presented annually to juniors exhibiting outstanding academic performance with additional consideration for service to the Department of Civil & Environmental Engineering, the University and/or the community.

THE NORBERT L. ACKERMANN AWARD

NOAH JOHN HARTMAN AND CHRISTINA MARIE WORDEN

This award is given to two students, one in the sophomore class and one in the junior class of the Department of Civil & Environmental Engineering, with the greatest promise for academic success.

Presented by Professor and Director Erik Backus

**MARY KING DYSON '07 MEMORIAL LEADERSHIP AWARD
CINDY JIANG**

In memory of Mary King Dyson, Civil Engineering, Class of 2007 and United States Army veteran. The award recognizes an

engineering student who is a member of or eligible to join Theta Phi Alpha. Preference is given to a candidate that meets the above criteria and is a member of the ROTC.

**STANTEC CONSULTING SERVICE, INC. SPONSORED
SCHOLARSHIP**

Not awarded this year.

This award is given to a junior or a senior with a minimum GPA of 3.0 and majoring in civil or environmental engineering.

ELECTRICAL & COMPUTER ENGINEERING
Presented by Professor and Chair Paul McGrath

**THE WILLIAM A. DART AWARD
OWEN CASCIOTTI**

Presented annually by the Department of Electrical & Computer Engineering in honor of the late Professor William A. Dart to the electrical & computer engineering senior who has demonstrated the highest degree of resourcefulness, imagination and knowledge of fundamental principles in laboratory work.

**THE JOHN B. RUSSELL MEMORIAL AWARD
CHRIS DOUGLAS LLOYD AND SARAH ROGERSON**

In memory of Dr. John B. Russell, dean of the School of Engineering (1965-68) and professor of electrical & computer engineering (1965-72), this award was established in 1975 and is awarded to the student judged to be most capable in applying analytical methods in engineering design.

**THE NORMAN L. REA AWARD
MARTIN VERESKO**

This award is designated for a student of mechanical engineering or electrical engineering who, in four years at Clarkson, has shown the greatest development in personality as evidenced by the

following attributes: poise, tact, cooperation, insight, self-expression and confidence.

BEN SCHILLING '18 GRADUATE STUDENT AWARD

XIAOLI LIU

The Ben Schilling '18 Graduate Student Award was established to celebrate Ben's life and love of engineering. Ben was a model student and successfully completed his graduate studies while overcoming great odds, was a role model who took pride in his work and his life and showed what a Clarkson student should be. The award is given annually to a graduate student from the Coulter School of Engineering whose research has produced results that show potential for practical applications.

MECHANICAL & AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

Presented by Professor and Chair Brian Helenbrook

JAMES E. FASSETT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP MIKAELA RHIANNA MORRIS

This scholarship was established in 1983 by the Fasset family in memory of James E. Fasset, a member of the Class of 1984, to recognize and reward an outstanding junior mechanical engineering student. The recipient will be known as the James E. Fasset Scholar.

THE MECHANICAL & AEROSPACE ENGINEERING STAFF AWARDS:

Awarded annually to the outstanding junior and the most promising senior in each major. The recipients are selected by the mechanical & aerospace engineering faculty based on scholastic performance and other activities.

SENIOR AEROSPACE ENGINEERING JOHN MICHAEL IGOE

SENIOR MECHANICAL ENGINEERING EMILY WEAVER

JUNIOR AEROSPACE ENGINEERING JACK DONALD DIMEO

JUNIOR MECHANICAL ENGINEERING COLTON JAMES KOERBER

MECHANICAL & AEROSPACE UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH AWARD

Not awarded this year.

This award is given to an outstanding undergraduate student researcher who has demonstrated excellence in conducting mentored or independent research.

ROBERT E. ROSATI '52 AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING NEIL JOSHUA SCHAFFER

Awarded annually to the junior mechanical engineering student who demonstrates outstanding qualities of professionalism, high scholastic achievement, humanity and good citizenship and also exhibits outstanding potential for sustained achievement in an engineering career.

INSTITUTE FOR A SUSTAINABLE ENVIRONMENT

*Presented by Professor and Associate Director for
Education Alan Rossner*

THE MYRNA G. SPROUL MEMORIAL AWARD MCKENZIE NICOLE TIKALSKY

This award is presented to the environmental health science student who has demonstrated Dr. Sproul's passion for excellence in academics and beyond.

THE ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE & POLICY LEADERSHIP AWARD TOBY T. HARMON

The award is presented to the environmental science & policy student who has demonstrated outstanding academic achievement and contributed to the development of environmental science at Clarkson University.

OUTSTANDING MS THESIS LUZ ESTEFANNY QUISPE CARDENAS

This award recognizes the outstanding MS thesis for students obtaining their degrees in environmental science and engineering or environmental politics and governance, as selected by the ISE Graduate Committee.

OUTSTANDING PHD THESIS EVIE BRAHMSTEDT

The award recognizes the outstanding PhD thesis for students obtaining their degrees in environmental science and engineering, as selected by the ISE Graduate Committee.

ISE/EHS OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD MIRANDA MAE WOLF

The award is given to the student who has provided outstanding support to ISE and environmental health science in its many activities, including lab support, performance as a teaching assistant and overall support of the Institute's mission and goals.

SPECIAL AWARDS

Presented by Professor and Chair of Chemistry and Biomolecular Science Silvana Andreescu

OUTSTANDING TEACHING AWARD FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS

DANIEL MASSANA ROQUERO

This award is presented to an outstanding teacher who is a full-time graduate student having teaching responsibilities at Clarkson.

Presented by Dean of Students James Pittman

THE PRESIDENT'S AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE

Not awarded this year.

This award is presented to those fraternity and sorority chapters that most closely fulfill the Vision of a Clarkson Education by exhibiting excellence in total chapter management. The award is based on the scores of the Chapter Operations and Recognition for Excellence (CORE) program, which is an evaluation of five different areas of operations. These five areas consist of academic achievement, including academic standings and scholastic programming; community involvement, including community relations and service; membership development of new, active and graduate members; risk management, including residential management and social responsibility; and financial management. All chapters that receive 90% or higher on the CORE report are recognized with this award.

THE RALPH E. '55 AND SOLITA HAWES ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

Not awarded this year.

Established in 1992 by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. '55 Hawes, the Hawes Scholarship is awarded to a married sophomore or junior

student in engineering or business who has exhibited uncommon personal achievement in their personal development and professional career preparation.

THE RESIDENCE HALLS SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

ORMSBY, THIRD FLOOR (NICOLE MARIE ELLEGATE)

A plaque is presented to the section of the residence halls that receives the highest scholastic average during the fall semester.

KRISTIN BANDY CRAIG HONORS SCHOLARSHIP

CELIA ROSE DARLING AND MIRANDA MAE WOLF

The scholarship was created by her brother, Thomas R. Bandy and her husband, David Craig, to recognize and support upper-class members of the Honors Program who will go into education or some form of public service after leaving Clarkson. It is hoped that this fund will assist students whose careers will be devoted to helping others to learn, heal or prosper.

Presented by Assistant Director of Financial Aid Abby DeCastro

PERKINS FAMILY MEMORIAL AWARD

TOBIAS MARTIN AND SASHA MOHAMED

Begun in the 1960s, this award recognizes the influence and support of the Perkins family. This family owned a boarding house that was located on the current site of the Newman Center in Potsdam. The Perkins family employed many Clarkson students in exchange for their board. The family was also known for loaning funds to students, enabling them to complete their education.

*Presented by Administrative Assistant, Military Science,
Susan Hart*

SUPPORT STAFF AWARD FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

SETH D. ANDERSON

Established by Clarkson University Support Staff in 1997, this award is presented to a nontraditional undergraduate student who actively participates in extracurricular activities, demonstrates strong leadership and has achieved high academic excellence in their discipline.

ALYSSE '86 AND PHILIP TURNER AWARD FOR SERVICE LEADERSHIP

Not awarded this year.

This award is presented to an Admission Office Student Tour Guide, who exemplifies leadership and service to the University, chosen by the Director of Admissions.

*Presented by Clarkson University Student Association
(CUSA) President Hannah Brown*

CUSA OUTSTANDING STUDENT SERVICE AWARD

DIVERSITY & INCLUSION OFFICE

This award is given to honor an exceptional Clarkson University office. Offices will be judged on congeniality, availability, efficiency, concern with student welfare and proficiency.

THE DEAN WILLIAM J. FARRISEE MEMORIAL AWARD

THOMAS H. KIRBY

Established by the Clarkson Student Association Senate in 1961, this award honors Dean William J. Farrisee, who in his 31 years as a member of the faculty and administration, believed in and supported wholeheartedly extracurricular activities at Clarkson. This award is presented to a junior or senior for their outstanding

contribution of personal services to a recognized extracurricular activity at Clarkson.

ELINOR N. MCGILL MEMORIAL AWARD

NATALIE KATHRYN ROMANO

Created by the Clarkson Student Association Senate in memory of Professor Robert John McGill's wife, who died in June 1966. This award is presented annually to a sophomore in recognition of outstanding contributions to extracurricular activities coupled with above-average academic performance.

CUSA OUTSTANDING SENATOR AWARD

MATHEUS C. RUTKOWSKI

Created in 1992, this award is given to the student senator who shows exemplary performance in carrying out senatorial duties. This award is designed to promote individual excellence in service to the Senate, including creating a more efficient Student Senate.

Presented by Athletic Director Scott Smalling

THE JOHN H. KOERNER JR. INTRAMURAL AWARD

ETHAN TYLER BROCK

Established in 1973 by the Koerner family in memory of John H. Koerner Jr., a member of the Class of 1976. A monetary award is given annually to either a member of the freshman, sophomore or junior class for scholastic ability and above-average achievement in intramural athletic competition.

PHILIP "PINKY" RYAN MEMORIAL AWARD

KRISTEN A. GOEBEL, EVAN WETZEL AND HANNAH YORKEY

Presented to the senior athlete with the highest cumulative grade point average for five semesters. This award, established in 1974 by members of the Athletic Department and the Varsity "C" Club,

SPECIAL AWARDS

honors the late Philip J. Ryan, associate director of athletics and head trainer, who served Clarkson from 1947 to 1972.

MARTIN A. WELT '54 FAMILY AWARD

PAIGE MARGARET FRONCZAK AND NICK K. MILLER

Two awards presented to the outstanding swimmers, one for the men's team and one for the women's team, are based on overall performance and leadership within the program and dedication to the sport of swimming.

PAUL J. PILON MEMORIAL AWARD

MICHAEL A. UNDERWOOD

This award is presented, when appropriate, to the senior who has excelled both as a student and hockey player.

PAUL HYDE MEMORIAL AWARD

TAYLOR HUBERT AND EVAN WETZEL

This award is presented to an outstanding skier who has contributed leadership and athletic performance to the Clarkson University ski team.

*Presented by Associate Head of The Clarkson School
Brenda Kozsan*

THE CLARKSON SCHOOL AWARD

LAUREN LESLEY DIONNE AND MATTHEW GRIFFITH

The Clarkson School Award is presented to two students who best exemplify the ideals of academic excellence and outstanding character for which the School stands.

KRISTINE M. LAYN ENDOWED MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

KAYA ROSE JOHNSON AND NOBALEIGH LARABA

This scholarship is a visible reminder of Kristine M. Layn's TCS'92 commitment to higher education, Clarkson University and the

financial needs of deserving Clarkson School students. The scholarship is awarded to a full-time Clarkson School student, who is in good academic standing, and is based on academic excellence, character and financial need.

Presented by Associate Professor and Chief Inclusion Officer Jennifer Ball

VERN CLUTE MEMORIAL ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARD TSIORAHKWAHSE CASHTON BENEDICT AND SARA CHRISTINE BOTCHER

An award presented to the male and female American Indian students who, at the end of the first semester of their sophomore year, have achieved high academic averages.

MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. AWARD

DARRYL SCRIVEN

The award recognizes exceptional leadership beyond the scope of an individual's job, area of research or training in furthering the goal of achieving greater respect for diversity at Clarkson University. This award was developed by the Office of Institutional Diversity Initiatives to annually recognize a campus community member who has provided extraordinary leadership and inspiration in advancing the goals of social and economic justice.

DIVERSITY & INCLUSION AWARD

KENNEDY ADADE, DAVONE DJ KEOVONGMANYSAR, KIMBERLY VAN EXEL AND SUMONA MONDAL

Given to students in recognition of their commitment to diversity awareness and demonstrated by outstanding leadership and academic achievement.

Presented by Dean of Students James Pittman

BILL COTTER '73 SPONSORED MEDIA PRIZE

MICHAEL J. PREVOST

Established to recognize an undergraduate student who has made outstanding contributions to one or more Clarkson cocurricular media organizations.

THE STEPHEN NEWKOFSKY H'03 ENDOWED STUDENT ENGAGEMENT SCHOLARSHIP

KIMBERLY GOMEZ

The Stephen Newkofsky H'03 Endowed Student Engagement Scholarship was established to recognize students who, by their engagement with the University during their freshman year, have provided evidence that their activities and support of the values of Clarkson demonstrate that they will not only make the most of their experience at Clarkson, but that they will also remain engaged lifetime members of the alumni association.

AMBASSADOR OF THE YEAR AWARD

MICHAEL HOFFMAN

Established by the Clarkson Alumni Association, this award recognizes a Clarkson student who has demonstrated exceptional volunteer service to the University and has acted as an outstanding ambassador for the University. Nominations are solicited from the Clarkson community at large and the recipient is selected by the Nominations and Awards Committee of the Clarkson Alumni Council.

**AWARD FOR STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT CHAMPION OF THE YEAR
CATHERINE AVADIKIAN**

This award recognizes a University community member who has demonstrated an outstanding commitment to students by actively going above and beyond their responsibilities in supporting or advancing student achievement toward the development of the whole student.

PHALANX AWARDS

Presented by Phalanx President Gabrielle Rosario

THE COMMENDABLE SERVICE AWARD

A limited number of Commendable Service Awards are presented annually to first-year students, sophomores, juniors, seniors, graduate students, faculty, staff and administration members who have demonstrated quality in service to their area/organization. The award candidate should be a well-rounded individual who excels in all aspects of college life and is especially dedicated to serving their organization.

In 2009, a new category was established to recognize individuals who have demonstrated extraordinary support to Clarkson University, although they may not be a student or employee of the University. These award winners will be designated "Supporters of the University."

THE COMMENDABLE LEADERSHIP AWARD

This award is presented to juniors, seniors, graduate students, faculty, staff and administration members who have demonstrated outstanding leadership abilities and quality participation in organizations associated with Clarkson and the Potsdam community. The award recipients exhibit exceptional leadership qualities and the versatility to balance all aspects of college life. New Phalanx members are selected from the group of Commendable Leadership Award recipients.

PHALANX INDUCTION

Phalanx is Clarkson's highest recognized honorary leadership society. It consists of a group of selected members of the Clarkson community who have demonstrated leadership skills and active participation in campus activities, along with above-average academic abilities, outstanding character and high morals. Phalanx inducts new members during the annual spring awards ceremonies.

THE COMMENDABLE SERVICE AWARD FACULTY/STAFF/COMMUNITY MEMBERS

Erin Blauvelt	Jennifer Smith
Sujan Fernando	Shelly Smith
Steven Smalling	Cara Valentine

THE COMMENDABLE SERVICE AWARD SUPPORTERS OF THE UNIVERSITY

Not awarded this year.

THE COMMENDABLE SERVICE AWARD GRADUATE STUDENTS

Arash Bahrololoomi
Reem Khan

THE COMMENDABLE SERVICE AWARD CLASS OF 2022 – SENIORS

Caesar Haddad
Eric Zheng

THE COMMENDABLE SERVICE AWARD CLASS OF 2023 – JUNIORS

Emily Locke
Jefry Lopez-Rincon

THE COMMENDABLE SERVICE AWARD CLASS OF 2024 – SOPHOMORES

Ryan McCarthy

**THE COMMENDABLE SERVICE AWARD
CLASS OF 2025 – FIRST-YEAR STUDENTS**

Not awarded this year.

THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

Clarkson Construction Club
Institute for a Sustainable Environment (ISE)
Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers
Student Health and Counseling Center (SHAC)

**THE COMMENDABLE LEADERSHIP AWARD
FACULTY/STAFF/COMMUNITY MEMBERS**

Silvana Andreescu Eric Parkman
Adrienne Boswell

**THE COMMENDABLE LEADERSHIP AWARD
SUPPORTERS OF THE UNIVERSITY**

Not awarded this year.

**THE COMMENDABLE LEADERSHIP AWARD
GRADUATE STUDENTS**

Arash Bahrololoomi Reem Khan
Mohamed Hassan

**THE COMMENDABLE LEADERSHIP AWARD
CLASS OF 2022 – SENIORS**

Rosalind Bendell Caesar Haddad
Peter Fatouros

**THE COMMENDABLE LEADERSHIP AWARD
CLASS OF 2023 – JUNIORS**

Jefry Lopez-Rincon Jaia Ruffin
Holly Rossman Carolyne Shultes

**THE PHALANX INDUCTEES
FACULTY/STAFF**

Silvana Andreescu

**THE PHALANX INDUCTEES
GRADUATE STUDENTS**

Arash Bahrololoomi
Mohamed Hassan

**THE PHALANX INDUCTEES
STUDENTS – SENIORS**

Caesar Haddad

**THE PHALANX INDUCTEES
STUDENTS – JUNIORS**

Jefry Lopez-Rincon
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Carolyne Shultes