2016
UNIVERSITY OF PUGET SOUND
ACADEMIC CONVOCATION

Saturday, May 14, 2016
2 p.m.
Schneebeck Concert Hall
2016 ACADEMIC CONVOCATION PROGRAM

PRELUDE

Selections from W.A. Mozart’s celebrated string quartets
String Quartet
Clara Fuhrman, violin
Brandi Main, violin
Forrest Walker, viola
Anna Schierbeek, cello

WELCOMING REMARKS

Ronald R. Thomas, President

PRESIDENT’S AWARD FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Alexa Plant

PRESENTATION OF ALL-UNIVERSITY AWARDS

Kristine Bartanen,
Academic Dean

JAMES R. SLATER AWARD FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Austin Scharff
Established by Professor Emeritus of Biology James Slater in 1977 to provide outstanding students with support in completing an individual project, including personal research, academic travel, services, activities, or attendance at a graduate school.

WRITING EXCELLENCE AWARDS

A series of awards established by an endowment from the Hearst Foundation to recognize and encourage the achievement of the highest standards of excellence in writing. The endowment provides for 10 annual awards in the following categories: humanities, including the fine arts; social sciences; natural sciences; Connections core; first-year seminar; graduate programs; and race and pedagogy.

Humanities
Cody Chun
Alex McNeil
Social Sciences
Matthew Byrne
Lucas Henken
Natural Sciences and Mathematics
Jesse Hughes
Abby Scurfield
Connections Core
Leah O’Sullivan
First-Year Seminars
Alia Kabir
Graduate Programs
Diane Wright
Race and Pedagogy
Cody Chun

“THE PARADOX OF SELF: UNDERSTANDING OTHERS TO UNDERSTAND OURSELVES”

Austin Scharff

“What is it to have a mind?”

Judith Kay,
Professor, Department of Religious Studies
PRESENTATION OF DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

University of Puget Sound students are recognized across the campus for extraordinary academic achievements in departmental programs. Many departments host their own award events during the latter portion of spring semester, and many of the award recipients honored in the printed Convocation program have received recognition at these special departmental functions. The selected awards presented today are representative of the academic accomplishments of the entire student body during the 2015–16 academic year. (*Denotes faculty member of the platform party presenting award speeches.)

Professor Tatiana Arguello, Latina/o Studies
Professor Brendan Lanctot, Hispanic Studies
Professor Michel Rocchi, French Studies*
Professor Katherine Smith, History

Professor Rob Beezer, Mathematics and Computer Science
Professor Rachel Pepper, Physics
Professor Eric Scharrer, Chemistry
Professor Peter Wimberger, Biology*

Professor Greta Austin, Gender and Queer Studies and Religious Studies
Professor Mike Benveniste, English
Professor Dexter Gordon, African American Studies
Professor Nick Kontogeorgopoulos, International Political Economy*

Professor Bob Boyles, Physical Therapy*
Professor Monica DeHart, Sociology and Anthropology
Professor Gary McCall, Exercise Science
Professor Kirsten Wilbur, Occupational Therapy

Professor Sara Freeman, Theatre Arts*
Professor Elise Richman, Art and Art History
Professor Ariela Tubert, Philosophy
Professor Keith Ward, School of Music

Professor Nick Brody, Communication Studies
Professor Alva Butcher, School of Business and Leadership
Professor Jan Leuchtenberger, Asian Studies
Professor Lisa Nunn, Economics
Professor Seth Weinberger, Politics and Government*
HONORS PROGRAM
  COOLIDGE OTIS CHAPMAN AWARDS
HONOR SOCIETY RECOGNITIONS
SCHOLAR-ATHLETES
RESEARCH AWARDS
FACULTY-NOMINATED SCHOLARSHIPS
FELLOWSHIPS

CLOSING REMARKS

POSTLUDE

Kristine Bartanen
Ronald R. Thomas
String Quartet
African American Studies

Outstanding Graduating Student Award .................................................. Rachel Askew
Nakisha Renée Jones

This award is based on the student’s overall performance in the classroom, on campus, and in the broader community. The award recognizes outstanding academic achievement, including grade point average and classroom contribution. This student excels both in African American studies courses, as well as in the broad spectrum of courses that make up a Puget Sound liberal arts education. In keeping with the commitment of African American studies this student is recognized for service to the immediate campus community and the extended community beyond the campus as a part of good academic citizenship.

Outstanding Returning Student Award .................. Jae Bates
Cody Chun
Nora Katz
Noah Lumbantobing

This award is based on the student’s promise and overall performance in the classroom, on campus, and in the broader community. The award recognizes promise, as well as outstanding academic achievement, including grade point average and classroom contribution. In keeping with the commitment of African American studies, this student is recognized for service to the immediate campus community and the extended community beyond the campus.

ART AND ART HISTORY DEPARTMENT

Eileen E. Henstreet Book Award ............................................................ Maia Raeder

This award was created by the parents of Eileen E. Henstreet in her memory. Each year the Department of Art and Art History selects an outstanding student to receive the honor.

ASIAN STUDIES PROGRAM

Robert G. Albertson Award .................................................. MacKenzie Schledorn-Rudden

Awarded in honor of Professor Albertson (Asian studies and religion, 1956–87), founder of the Asian Studies Program at Puget Sound, to the graduate who has made a distinguished contribution to the spirit of the Asian Studies Program.

Suzanne Wilson Barnett

Writing Award in Asian Studies ...........................................2015 recipient: Kabir Jensen

Award presented in recognition of Professor Barnett (Asian studies and history, 1974–2007) to the Asian studies student who wrote the outstanding paper in an Asian studies course during this academic year. The award honors Professor Barnett’s commitment to scholarly inquiry and effective writing in the multidisciplinary field of Asian studies.
Trimble Junior/Senior Scholarship Recipients .................................................. Jae Bates
                                               Hannah Bedford
                                               C. Chanel Chawalit
                                               Brittney Imada

Made possible by a generous gift from the Trimble Foundation, these scholarships are awarded on the basis of academic merit and financial need to rising juniors who have added the Asian studies designation or who are majoring in Chinese or Japanese.

BIOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Gordon D. Alcorn Award ................................................................. Carson Lyness
Presented to the outstanding senior biology major in recognition of academic achievement, accomplished research in biology, and outstanding service to the department and to the greater community.

Beverly Pierson Research Engagement Award ........................................ Nicholas Lyon
Dominic Skinner
Given to a student who has demonstrated exceptional research dedication, engagement, and commitment during their time at University of Puget Sound.

Outstanding Symposium Presentation .................................................. Natalie Balkam
Kailee Weiler
This award is given in recognition of an outstanding oral presentation of excellent biological research at the annual Phi Sigma Undergraduate Research Symposium.

Outstanding Instructor Assistant Award .............................................. Andrew Langtry
Kiona Parker
Presented to a student who has demonstrated outstanding dedication and talent for helping other students to learn and appreciate the science of biology during service as a course assistant.

Outstanding Sophomore Award .......................................................... Hannah Collier
James DeJesus IV
For students who do exceptional work in the two biology courses taken during their second year.

Outstanding First-Year Student Award ................................................ Elena Fulton
Conferred on students who do outstanding work in their first-year biology courses.

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND LEADERSHIP

Outstanding Academic Achievement Award ...................................... Cooper Weissman
This award recognizes excellence in academic achievement in business major courses.
School of Business and Leadership Writing Award ...............Samuel Carilli (short paper)
Matthew Reid (long paper)

*The School of Business and Leadership recognizes the importance of strong communication skills, both written and oral.*

Business Leadership Program Excellence Award .......................Hailey Vasquez (BLP)
Cooper Weissman (BLP International)

*This award recognizes graduating BLP student(s) that best represent the ideals of the program, such as leadership, professionalism, integrity, open-mindedness, and respect for others. It also recognizes their exemplary endeavors in support of the BLP and the university.*

General Business Major Excellence Award..............................................Noe Yoshioka

*Awarded to a student who demonstrates such characteristics as academic excellence, professionalism, integrity, intellectual curiosity, and practical application of business principles.*

International Business Major Excellence Award............................Lydia Hollingsworth

*This award recognizes a student who has demonstrated excellence in such areas as cross-cultural communication skills, sophisticated understanding of the global business context, and genuine openness to diversity.*

Excellence in…

- Law and Ethics..........................Nicholas Bod and Catherine Mooney-Myers
- Management .........................................................Keith Shattuck
- Marketing ..........................................................Matthew Sklar
- Finance.......................................................Matthew Reid and Alexander Sierra
- Accounting.................................................Lauren Alpert and Matthew Reid

CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT

American Chemical Society Student Affiliates Award .........................Jonathan Adams

*Awarded to the chemistry or biochemistry major with the highest GPA in chemistry.*

CLASSICS DEPARTMENT

David A. Lupher Philology Prize.........................................................Carla Anderson

*Awarded by the faculty of the classics department to recognize the special facility demonstrated by this student in seeking to master the translation of Greek and Latin.*

COMMUNICATION STUDIES DEPARTMENT

W. H. Baisinger Outstanding Graduate Award.....................................Nicholas Reano

*Awarded in honor of Professor Wilbur Baisinger to students who distinguish themselves both in academic achievement and significant contribution of service to the department.*
Michael P. Madden Research Award ......................................................... Marissa Croft
Awarded in recognition of ongoing commitment to scholarship through significant research and writing.

Mary Christine Pence Course Assistant Award .............................. Brenna Fisher
This award, named for a former student, recognizes an outstanding undergraduate course assistant.

ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT

Ernie Combs Award ........................................................................... Samantha Dittman
Justin Hooker
Awarded in honor of Ernie Combs, founding father of the Department of Economics, whose commitment, vision, and wisdom still guides us today. A fiercely principled man of selfless dedication, he was also a man of gracious humor and boundless faith in the future, embodying the spirit of his favorite song, Louis Armstrong’s “What a Wonderful World.” This award is presented to the outstanding graduate in economics, in recognition of combined mastery of economic theory, analysis, and its application to important social issues.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

Rosemary Van Arsdel Award .............................................................. Melanie Schaffer
The Rosemary VanArsdel Award is given each year to the outstanding senior English major with an emphasis in writing, rhetoric, and culture.

Philip Hager Award ........................................................................... Molly Stambaugh
The Philip Hager Award is given each year to the outstanding senior English major with an emphasis in literature.

Barry Bauska Award ........................................................................... Rachel Kalman
The Barry Bauska Award is given each year to the outstanding senior English major with an emphasis in creative writing.

Greenfield Award .............................................................................. Clarisse Nakahama
The Greenfield Award is given in recognition of Professor Peter Greenfield, who taught in the English department from 1983 to 2011. The award is given to the student whose leadership has enhanced the intellectual life of our department.

Kathryn Irene Rodgers Memorial Scholarship .................................. Alissa Nance
The Kathryn Irene Rodgers Memorial Scholarship fund was established by Dr. J. Bruce Rodgers, Professor of Music, in memory of his wife, an alum of the Writing Institute of the English department and president of the Association of Professional Writers and Editors. It is awarded to an outstanding English major pursuing a career in professional writing.
EXERCISE SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Roberta Wilson Outstanding Graduate of the Year Award....................... Misha Gordon
Wildt-Bailey

Awarded for exceptional scholarship, leadership, and extraordinary potential for success in the field.

Joseph Peyton Achievement Award......................................................... Misha Gordon

This award, named in honor of an alumnus who over a period of 33 years distinguished himself as a student, athlete, teacher, and coach, is presented to a senior student who demonstrates genuine enthusiasm for and love of the discipline, who leads by example, and who exhibits high academic achievement within the major.

FRENCH STUDIES DEPARTMENT

Alain Renoir Award.................................................................................. Marissa Croft

Established through the gifts of Professor Renoir, son of cineast Jean Renoir, and grandson of impressionist painter Pierre Auguste Renoir, and the department faculty, the prize recognizes the outstanding graduating senior who has demonstrated excellent achievements in French language and literature.

Marcelle Martin Award ......................................................................... Zoe Branch

Awarded to a student majoring in Romance languages who has demonstrated excellence in music, art, or theater and has a high degree of fluency in the chosen Romance language.

Justin Martin Memorial Award ............................................................... Piper Gazeley

Awarded to a student majoring in international affairs with French as the language of emphasis.

Jacquie Martin Award........................................................................ Emily Smaldone

To be awarded for excellence in French literary studies to be selected by the faculty in French. Book award from the private French library collection of Professor Emerita Jacquie Martin.

GENDER AND QUEER STUDIES

E. Ann Neel Award in Women/Gender Studies ................................. Denise Parry

The E. Ann Neel Award in Women/Gender Studies recognizes students who have considerably contributed in the classroom to advance our collective understanding of the workings of gender, as well as demonstrated a deep personal commitment to addressing issues of gender justice in our community.
GEOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Al Eggers Award ................................................................. Kyle Chambers
Peter Davidson
Awarded by the University of Puget Sound geology faculty to a graduating geology major whose work successfully integrates field study and laboratory analysis in outstanding research. The award is given in the spirit of our colleague and friend Dr. Al Eggers, professor emeritus of geology.

J. Stewart Lowther Award .................................................... Liam Caulfield
Sean Tanner
Awarded by the University of Puget Sound geology faculty to the graduating geology major who exemplifies the passion for learning, studying, and teaching geology in the field, in memory of our colleague and friend Dr. Stewart Lowther, professor of geology.

Corp. Raymond C. Williams Award ........................................ Michael Burley
Liam Horner
Awarded by the University of Puget Sound geology faculty to the students who consistently demonstrated enthusiasm for and dedication to the study of geology.

GERMAN STUDIES DEPARTMENT

Helmut L. Jueling Memorial Scholarship ............................. Cassandra McMurry
Melissa Meharg
Awarded to an outstanding rising senior in German studies.

Otto Bachimont Prize .......................................................... Melissa Meharg
Awarded for excellence in German literature and the other arts.

Renate Hodges Prize ........................................................... Noa Morales Davidson
Awarded for excellence in German international studies.

HISPANIC STUDIES DEPARTMENT

Charles and Bertha Robbins Award ..................................... Caroline Perris
Awarded to an outstanding student of Spanish.

HISTORY DEPARTMENT

Kathy Phibbs Memorial Scholarship
Established in 1991 by Gwen and Phil Phibbs to be awarded to women interested in history and reading, with a commitment to outdoor recreational activities.

Rebecca Duncan Cassandra McMurry Kimberly Thuman
Lauren Hall Johanna Moore Alexandria Van Voris
Roy N. Lokken Memorial Book Award........................................... Hannah Ellingson
                                  Scott Greenfield
                                  Joseph Kaplan
                                  Cassandra McMurry
                                  Erica Thomas

Established in honor of Professor Lokken, a member of the Class of 1941, who went on to a career as a historian and college teacher. Awarded to selected majors who have impressed the faculty with their achievement, promise, resolution, and aspiration; awards are for the purchase of books.

HONORS PROGRAM

Thomas A. Davis Summer Research Award ........................................... Mitchell Carlson

Established in honor of former dean of the university and founding member of the Honors Program, Thomas A. Davis. Awarded for research leading to a senior Honors Program thesis.

Honors Alumni Scholarship 2016 .......................................................... Janna Berman
                                      Eden Ehrmann
                                      Priscilla Jones
                                      Matthew Moreno
                                      Annastasia Morairty
                                      Megan Tegman

Coolidge Otis Chapman Honors Scholars

Students who have completed both the prescribed coursework of the Honors Program and an approved senior thesis are eligible for this designation.

Rachel Bowdle        Clara Fuhrman        Taili Ni
Marissa Croft        Erik Hammarlund     Kieran O’Neil
Rosa Dale-Moore      Michellie Hess      Rachel Rattenborg
Elena Dodge          Vivien Jones        Haila Schultz
Hannah Ellingson     Brandi Main         Meredith Shores
Olivia Fair          Lorna Mc Ginnis

INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY PROGRAM

Pros Ta Akra Academic Achievement Award.......................................... David Balgley
                                  Galen King
                                  Austin Scharff

Awarded to graduates who have demonstrated the highest level of sustained performance in international political economy as indicated by their grade point average in the major.
Latino Studies Excellency Award ........................................................... Zeman Nathoo
This award is granted by the Latina/o Studies Program at the University of Puget Sound in recognition of a student’s academic excellence and community involvement. The student receiving this award has produced research that moves the Latino community forward.

MATHEMATICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Edward Goman Outstanding Senior Award ........................................... Anna Dovzhik
Awarded in honor of Professor Goman to a senior major in mathematics and computer science, in recognition of superior academic performance.

SCHOOL OF MUSIC

Delwen and Genevieve Jones Scholarship ............................................ Jesse Kuras
Megan Reich
This scholarship, made available through a generous gift from Dr. and Mrs. Jones, is awarded annually to outstanding student musicians with a preference given to music majors.

SCHOOL OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

Watson William Wade Award ............................................................ Olivia Allen
Nadia Kabbani
Christi Lewallen
Presented to a graduating occupational therapy student who has consistently shown unselfish devotion to facilitating the learning of others.

Department Service Award .............................................................. Erika Langworthy
Alina Muller
Sarah Steckel
Given in recognition of exceptional commitment to the curricular and cocurricular experience of occupational therapy students.

Occupational Therapy Fellowship Recipient
A two-year departmental scholarship award to support graduate study in the Occupational Therapy Program.

Julia Albright Domonique Herrin Erika Langworthy
Elizabeth Armbrust Laura Hoppe Danielle Watson
Luna Blossom Christine Hsu-Nazzal Jenna Williams
Community Health Serviceship ................................................................. Angela Ko
Karin Van Duzer

The Community Health Serviceship entails a two-year commitment to volunteering with a local nonprofit agency. The serviceship recipient is provided a stipend in return for enhancing the agency’s delivery of health-related services, including accessibility, assistive technology, health education, wellness promotion, or service coordination.

PHILOSOPHY DEPARTMENT

John and Kathryn Magee Memorial Scholarship ........................................... Brittney High
Martine Kivatinetz
Kristoffer Moody

Awarded in honor of Kathryn Magee and longtime professor John Magee to junior or senior students showing promise and achievement in the academic discipline of philosophy.

SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

Physical Therapy Fellowship Recipients
A three-year departmental scholarship award to support graduate study in the Physical Therapy Program, based on extraordinary quality of application to the program.

James Aiken
Kira Donnelly
Alison Gunselman
Lauryn Helmers
Samantha McDaniel
Jenae Perman
Claire Tenenbaum

Beardsley Family Foundation Scholarship ................................................. Nicholas Pilch

Awarded to a physical therapy student who is sincere, earnest, and easy to teach, and overcoming financial need.

Roger Williams Scholarship ................................................................. Elizabeth Goldstein

Awarded by departmental faculty to students who combine scholarship with excellent capacity for professional relationships with patients and colleagues.

Physical Therapy Honored Faculty Scholarship .......................... Thomas Molyneux-Elliot

The endowment supporting this award derives from funds donated in the name of a number of physical therapy faculty members, and it honors a student who has demonstrated particular potential in critical inquiry and clinical research.

Ross Family Memorial Award ................................................................. Nicholas Higa
Olivia Verberne

Awarded to outstanding physical therapy students overcoming financial need.
Franke Tobey Jones Scholarship .................................................. Elizabeth Murphy
The Franke Tobey Jones Scholarship is given to a student who is interested in practicing geriatric or adult neurologic physical therapy.

PHYSICS DEPARTMENT

Raymond and Olive Seward Award ..................................................... Riley Chien
Talia Sopp
A scholarship established by Olive Seward to honor her husband, Raymond S. Seward, professor of physics from 1923 to 1955. This award recognizes outstanding physics majors.

Thomas Malcolm and Hilda Enden Jack Scholarship ..................... Elizabeth Dabrowski
Awarded to outstanding physics majors.

POLITICS AND GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT

Elizabeth Ann Breysse Memorial Award ........................................... Timothy Pogar
This honor is awarded in memory of Elizabeth Breysse to students who combine academic excellence and creativity in their coursework in politics and government with broad, sustained, effective engagement and leadership in the department, the university, or broader communities.

PSYCHOLOGY DEPARTMENT

The Department of Psychology Award for Honorable Academic Engagement
This award recognizes students’ high level of academic performance and scholarly engagement as psychology majors.

Kendall Harman Lorrain Oill Katie Singsank
F. Antonio Manibusan Maya Richman Kylie Sprague

The Department of Psychology Outstanding Service Award........ F. Antonio Manibusan
Given to a graduating senior who has made a clear and positive difference to the psychology department through commendable service contributions.

The Department of Psychology Award for Excellence in Academic Achievement
Given to the graduating seniors with the top 10 GPAs in the major. (This year, the GPAs range from 3.96 to 3.67.)

Madeline Aubertine Martine Kivatinetz Katie Singsank
Olivia Erickson Rachel Murphy Kylie Sprague
Sarah Farris Lillian Oh Rachel Traut
Kendall Harman Jessica Shaw
RELIGIOUS STUDIES DEPARTMENT

Douglas R. Edwards Award for Scholarly Excellence .......................... Andrew Rodgers
This award, established in honor of religion colleague Professor Douglas Edwards, honors the religion major who has intellectually distinguished him- or herself by writing the most intellectually rigorous and original thesis in religion in the past year. Professor Edwards, distinguished professor of religion from 1987 to 2008, renowned for his expertise in biblical archeology, set the standard in the Department of Religion for the highest level of scholarship. With this award his colleagues seek to memorialize Professor Edwards’ commitment to scholarly excellence by recognizing the graduating senior who has demonstrated superb scholarly achievement.

SOCIOLOGY AND ANTHROPOLOGY DEPARTMENT

C. Wright Mills Award for Excellence in the Major .................... Danya Axelrad-Hausman
This special departmental award is given to a student majoring in sociology and anthropology for excellence in the major.

THEATRE ARTS DEPARTMENT

Excellence in Theatre Arts ............................................................... Darrin Schultz
This award recognizes consistently excellent work in theater production and studies.
HONOR SOCIETIES

PHI BETA KAPPA

Class of 2015
Jesse Hughes

Class of 2016
Jonathan Adams**  Samuel Hain  Alexa Plant**
Meghan Bacher  Kendall Harman  Kelsey Reed
Nathan Bradley  Rose Irwin  Megan Reich
Sarah Brauner  Alena Karkanias  Melanie Schaffer
Marissa Croft  Megan Kober  Austin Scharff**
Anna Dovzhik  Carson Lyness**  Rachel Skene
Alexandra Downing**  Lorna Mc Ginnis  Kylie Sprague
Rebecca Ebert**  Sierra Miller  Erica Thomas
Peter Ellerkamp  Matthew Moreno  Elena Wadsworth
Sarah Farris  Sarah Mueller  Frances Welsh
Matthew Follensbee  Kieran O’Neil  Wildt-Bailey
Thomas Gagne  Daniel Otsuki  Cassandra Winter
Madeleine Gathman  Alec Pankow  Henry Woody
Alicia Goin  Halley Peterson

**initiated in 2015

Class of 2017
Cassandra McMurry  Kylie Young

James R. Slater Phi Beta Kappa Award ............................................ Suzanne Eiffert
Matthew Moreno

Awarded to a junior with superlative academic performance in and demonstrated breadth of intellectual interests and accomplishments.
Phi Kappa Phi

Schools of Occupational Therapy and Physical Therapy Class of 2017 Initiates
Jacob Hoffman
Maureen Traxler

School of Education Class of 2016 Initiates
Claire Ladner          Valerie Middleton          Gregory Starr
Michael Limric        Catherine Robb              Rachel Strom

Class of 2016 Initiates
Rachel Bowdle          Maia Raeder                   Cassandra Winter
Reilly Fitzpatrick     Bryan Schneider
Rose Irwin             Kylie Sprague

Class of 2017 Initiates
Carly Baxter           Hans Fortune                 Megan Reich
Lillian Bengtson        Larissa Freier               Megan Schowalter
Zoe Branch             Alicia Goin                  Taylor Trembly
Alissa Charvonia       Paul Huffman                Grayson Williams-Krebs
Cody Chun              Hannah Katz                 Henry Woody
Tara Conley            Kelsee Levey                 Kylie Young
James DeJesus IV        Sierra Miller
Jordan Fonseca         Sarah Mueller

Current Student Members
Meghan Bacher           Lauren Hall                 Alexa Plant
Naomi Boissy            Hayden Harper              Kelsey Reed
Nathan Bradley          Christine Hsu-Nazzal       Kyle Reinke
Katrina Brett           Alena Karkanias            Melanie Schaffer
Marissa Croft           Kristen Lane               Austin Scharff
Daniel Deuel            Carson Lyness               Rachel Schroder
Rebecca Ebert           Lorna Mc Ginnis             Olivia Schwerdt
Sarah Farris            Kieran O’Neil              Hailey Vasquez
Brian Freeman           Alec Pankow                Megan Vento
Clara Fuhrman           Grace Penzell               Jacqueline Wong

Phi Kappa Phi Slater/Herlinger Scholarship.............................................. Cody Chun
Megan Schowalter
Taylor Trembly
Stephen Abeshima
Jonathan Adams
Lauren Alpert
Samantha Anders
Sophia Asing-Yuen
Nathan Backes
Lucille Banta
Justin Bigelow
Amy Bodner
Rachel Bowdle
Nathan Bradley
Sarah Brauner
Arda Bulak
Kent Busson
Kyle Chambers
James Chisel
Auri Clark
Zackery Cohan
Emma Cosaro
Marissa Croft
Natalie De Gyarfas
Daniel Deuel
Samantha Dittman
Noelle Donnelly
Alexandria Downing
Zachary Eddy
Joel Eklof
Conner Engle
Lauren Engstrom
Olivia Fair
Sarah Farris
Reilly Fitzpatrick
Matthew Folensbee
Brian Freeman
Clara Fuhrman
Robin Fults
Madeleine Gathman
Sabine Glocker
Abigail Gore
Scott Greenfield
Becky Hanscam
Liam Horner
Marissa Irish
Alena Karkanias
Bobbijo Katagiri
Megan Kober
Kyle Kolisch
Sarah Ladderud
Aubrey Ann Lawrence
Dylan Livermore
Carson Lyness
Sean Maher
Lorna Mc Ginnis
Ellen Mueller
Alissa Nance
Nicholas Nestingen
Molly Nicholson
Conner O’Malley
Kieran O’Neil
Daniel Otsuki
Haley Owens
Alec Pankow
Lauren Park
Emmaline Parker
Madeline Peckenpaugh
Caroline Perris
Halley Peterson
Alexa Plant
Timothy Pogar
Cydne Pope
C.J. Queirolo
Kelsey Reed
Katherine Reeder
Matthew Reid
Russell Ridenour
John Riley
Jessie Sayre
Melanie Schaffer
Austin Scharff
Anna Schierbeek
Sophie Schwartz
Abby Scurfeld
Keith Shattuck
Emily Sheldon
Alexander Simon
Dominic Skinner
Bridget Spencer
Kylie Sprague
Heather Stepp
Jenna Tatiyatrairong
Micaela Thompson
Kimberly Thuman
Kira Thurman
Nicholas Tucker
Taylor Vajda
Robin VanHouten
Hailey Vasquez
Kimberly Webber
Kailee Weiler
Kaitlin White
Maura Williams
Daniel Wolfert
Lexy Woods
Christopher Zerio
ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

LILLIS FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP
This award was established in 2007 through a generous gift from the Lillis Foundation and Charles and Gwen Lillis, parents of Jessica Baker Isaacs ’05. The scholarship recognizes up to two entering first-year students each year who have demonstrated high academic achievement in high school and the promise of outstanding performance during their college careers and beyond.

Class of 2016
Rebecca Ebert
Kieran O’Neil

MATELICH SCHOLARSHIP
This scholarship, established in 2010 through the generosity of George E. Matelich ’78 and Susan Matelich, recognizes students in each entering first-year class who exhibit exceptional drive and focus, as well as promise for outstanding academic and personal achievement while enrolled at Puget Sound.

Class of 2016
Joel Eklof
Alec Pankow

FACULTY-NOMINATED SCHOLARSHIPS

Lora Bryning Scholarship
Cody Chun
Matthew Firn
Audrey Kaufman
Cassandra McMurry
Bryning Scholars are rising juniors and seniors who have demonstrated excellence and talent in their ability to express themselves and their intellect in writing.

Fred S. Wyatt Scholarship
Sarah Mueller
Megan Schowalter
Wyatt Scholars are rising seniors who have demonstrated outstanding leadership abilities, communication skills, and the potential to perform in graduate school, and to receive further distinction through major fellowship programs such as the Rhodes or Truman Scholarship programs.

Peter K. Wallerich Scholarship
Carly Baxter
Kyle Miller
Mairan Smith
Frances Welsh
Wallerich scholars are outstanding undergraduate students who have demonstrated their interest and success in the natural sciences, pre-medicine, or other health science coursework. Recipients are selected based upon outstanding academic performance, interest in research, and plans for a career in the natural or health sciences.
RESEARCH AWARDS

Summer 2015 Research Awards in Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences

David Balgley  Madison Grossan  Alex McNeil
Elena Becker  Carolynn Hammen  Taili Ni
Carly Brock  Alexandra Himonas  Maia Raeder
Olivia Cadwell  Rose Irwin  Austin Scharff
Rodger Caudill  Joseph Kaplan  Meredith Shores
Cody Chun  Alena Karkanias  Katie Singsank
Lindsey Conrad  Madeline Langford  Molly Stambaugh
Hannah Ellingson  Frank Manibusan  Heather Stepp
Hannah Ferguson  Sarah McDonald  Kathryn Stutz
Scott Greenfield  Lorna Mc Ginnis  Rachel Traut

Summer 2015 Science Research Awards

Jonathan Adams  Joel Eklof  Matthew Moreno
Erin Anthony-Fick  John Evans  Sarah Mueller
Linnaea Arnett  Reilly Fitzpatrick  Kieran O’Neil
Madeline Aubertine  Thomas Gagne  Michael Pang
Madison Aubertine  Matthew Goldberg  Hannah Richardson
Garrett Bertis  Isabella Graves  Brandon Roberts
Courtney Carley  Brianna Greenwood  Kaitlin Ruthenberg
Riley Carpenter  Rebecca Hanscam  Dominic Skinner
Macaulie Casey  Elizabeth Hegedus  Natalie Smith
Liam Caulfield  Molly Jennings  Alexandra Teesdale
Kyle Chambers  Christian Johnson  John Trecker
Immanuel Chen  Mitchell Kilgore  Kailee Weiler
Lisa Colombo  Megan Kober  Frances Welsh
Peter Davidson  Sunny Lewis  Danielle Westerman
Danielle Dixon  Nicholas Lyon  Cassandra Winter
Alexandra Downing  Olivia Mitchell  Christopher Zerio
University Enrichment Research Awards

Spring 2015
Linnaea Arnett          Danielle Dixon          Bryston Nham
Kelsey Asato            Anne Fetrow            Melissa Pellman
Madeline Aubertine     Julie Fry              Kaitlin Ruthenberg
Anthony Brady           Katie Frye             Nicole Senders
Lauren Brown            Isabella Graves        Katie Singsank
Courtney Carley         Elizabeth Hahn         Dominic Skinner
Riley Carpenter         Bradley Heusinkveld     Alexandra Teesdale
Kyle Chambers           Kai Hundemer           John Trecker
Lisa Colombo            Rose Irwin             Megan Unyi
Faith Copenhaver         Molly Jennings         Robin VanHouten
Tessa Currie            Misha Miller-Hughes    Kailee Weiler
Alexander David         Katherine Montgomery    Christopher Zerio
Daniel Deuel            Sarah Mueller

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Cheyenne Dewey           Sean Maher
Matthew Goldberg         Alexandra Teesdale
COLLINS MEMORIAL LIBRARY AWARDS

Research Practices Award
Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences ................................. Alexandra Himonas
Science ......................................................................................... Linnæa Arnett
The award recognizes undergraduate students who demonstrate exemplary skill and creativity in the application of library and information resources to original research and scholarship. Sponsored by Collins Memorial Library.

Senior Art Award ................................................................. Matthew Hufford
The Senior Art Award recognizes a graduating studio art major. The winning work is selected by a library panel of staff members and students. The student artist receives a cash prize, and the artwork is prominently displayed in Collins Memorial Library for one year.

FELLOWSHIPS

French Government Teaching Assistantship ................................. Piper Gazeley
Galen King
Ryan Quinn
Karina Vasavada
Madison Grossan (waitlisted)
The French Government Teaching Assistantships are competitive and prestigious awards granted by the French Government. Students receiving these Assistantships teach English abroad in the French school system for one academic year.

Boren Fellowship ........................................................................ Nathan Bradley
Boren Fellowships, an initiative of the National Security Education Program, provide unique funding opportunities for U.S. graduate students to study less commonly taught languages in world regions critical to U.S. interests and underrepresented in study abroad, including Africa, Asia, Central and Eastern Europe, Eurasia, Latin America, and the Middle East. Boren Fellows represent a vital pool of highly motivated individuals who wish to work in the field of federal national security. In exchange for funding, Boren Fellows commit to working in the federal government for at least one year after graduation.

Goldwater Scholarship ............................................................... Meghan Bacher
Christian Johnson
Sarah Mueller (Honorable Mention)
The Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship and Excellence in Education Program was established by Congress in 1986 to honor Senator Barry M. Goldwater, who served his country for 56 years as a soldier and statesman, including 30 years of service in the U.S. Senate. The scholarship program was designed to foster and encourage outstanding students to pursue careers in the fields
of mathematics, the natural sciences, and engineering. The Goldwater Scholarship is the premier undergraduate award of its type in these fields.

Critical Language Scholarship ................................................................. Amy Bodner
A program of the U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, the Critical Language Scholarship (CLS) Program offers intensive summer language institutes in 13 critical foreign languages. The selection process is administered by American Councils for International Education with awards approved by the U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs. The CLS Program is part of a U.S. government effort to expand dramatically the number of Americans studying and mastering critical foreign languages. Students of diverse disciplines and majors are encouraged to apply. Participants are expected to continue their language study beyond the scholarship period, and later apply their critical language skills in their future professional careers. NCAA Postgraduate Scholarship
SCHOLAR-ATHLETES

Amalia Acorda-Fey – Women’s Soccer
Isabel Amaya – Women’s Lacrosse
Samantha Anders – Women’s Swimming
Meghan Bacher – Women’s Lacrosse
Elena Becker – Women’s Lacrosse
Peter Bell – Football
Justin Bigelow – Men’s Cross Country
and Men’s Track
Alexander Biro – Men’s Swimming
Auriel Clark – Women’s Swimming
Tyler Deck Shipley – Men’s Track
James DeJesus IV – Baseball
Daniel Deuel – Men’s Tennis
Olivia Erickson – Crew
Amanda Fehr – Softball
David Follett – Baseball
Hans Fortune – Football
Misha Gordon – Football
Erica Gott – Softball
Jessica Gott – Softball
Madeline Harris – Crew
Ian Hughes – Baseball
Alexia Ingerson – Crew
Zuri Johnson – Crew
Roxanne Krietzman – Women’s Lacrosse
Andrew Kristensen – Football
Kristen Lane – Volleyball
Riley Lawrence – Volleyball
Hannah Lehman – Crew
Zachariah Lokay – Men’s Soccer
Jordyn McLuen – Women’s Soccer
Ryan Moyes – Baseball
Nicholas Nestingen – Football
Taili Ni – Women’s Cross Country and
Women’s Track
Lily O’Connor – Crew
David Olson III – Swimming
Conner O’Malley – Football
Rachel Pearce-Smith – Women’s Cross
Country and Women’s Track
Halle Peterson – Women’s Golf
Emily Prasil – Women’s Soccer and
Women’s Track
Matthew Reid – Men’s Basketball
Keith Shattuck – Men’s Basketball
Emily Sheldon – Women’s Basketball
M. Rebecca Shelton – Crew
Hailey Shoemaker – Women’s Lacrosse
Alexander Sierra – Baseball
Kerri Smith – Women’s Lacrosse
J. Carlos Soria Jr. – Men’s Soccer
Margaret Van Weele – Volleyball
Grayson Williams-Krebs – Men’s Soccer
Cassandra Winter – Women’s Soccer
Jacob Wuesthoff – Football
Jaci Young – Softball
Cooper Zurfluh – Football

To earn this distinction a student must have a 3.5 cumulative GPA and must have earned at least two varsity letters.

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