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**2026  
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AWARDS**

April 16, 2026 6:00 p.m.

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**Deanna Sellnow, PhD**  
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THE COMMUNICATION FACULTY BOOK AWARD  
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OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARD IN COMMUNICATION  
**ALEXIS GROSSMAN**

THE COMMUNICATION OUTSTANDING GRADUATE STUDENT AWARD  
**KIMBERLY BROOKS**

DAVID MALCOLM GEDDES/MARK RODERICK MEMORIAL AWARD  
**NATHANIEL INMAN**

OUTSTANDING GRADUATE RESEARCHER AWARD  
**BROWNING BLAIR**

OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARD IN  
SPORTS COMMUNICATION  
**ARIANA PENSY**

THE DORIS IRENE GEDDES AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN WOMEN  
AND COMMUNICATION  
**OLIVIA REDIX**

**SCHOOL OF NURSING**

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HERBERT N. SHEARIN, JR. MEMORIAL AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN NURSING

**SAMANTHA LUHN**

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**MADELINE MARTIN**

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STEVENSON-SMITH-LOVETT AWARD

**LAURA ANDERSON**

GREG SCHOPER LEADERSHIP AWARD

**BRUSHAURD YOUNG**

JUDITH VOELKL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

**WREN SCONYERS**

LAWRENCE R. ALLEN ENGAGED FUTURE PROFESSIONAL AWARD

**KEANO SMITH**

FRAN MCGUIRE EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING AWARD

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LARSON-KRUPKA AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN SOCIOLOGY  
**ALLISON HOPKINS  
REESE ROBINSON**

OUTSTANDING ANTHROPOLOGY STUDENT AWARD  
**JAILA BOSTIC**

OUTSTANDING CRIMINAL JUSTICE STUDENT AWARD  
**THEODORE RAVENEL**

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DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

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THE BERNARD CAFFREY AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN PSYCHOLOGY  
**ANNA MUMA  
CAITLIN RAYE**

PSYCHOLOGY DEPARTMENT AWARD FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE  
**CAMRYN BRADSHAW  
FAITH GEISZ  
SOPHIA ROEHRBORN  
MARGARET THOEM**

ERNEST JEWELL HARDESTY MOORE AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING SENIOR IN PSYCHOLOGY  
**LAUREN DESING**

THE EUGENE GALLUSCIO AWARD FOR UNDERGRADUATE LEADERSHIP  
**ISABELLA ECKERT**

OUTSTANDING MASTER'S DEGREE STUDENT IN PSYCHOLOGY AWARD  
**ALANTIS BALDWIN  
JORDAN SIGNORELLI  
JORDAN JOHNSON**

OUTSTANDING DOCTORAL STUDENT IN PSYCHOLOGY AWARD  
**EMMA VOSIKA  
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PSI CHI RESEARCH AWARD  
**ADAMS HOWARD  
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GRADUATE STUDENT RESEARCH PAPER AWARD  
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THE MATT LOCKE FACULTY AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE  
**RYLIE DeWEESE**

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HORACE FLEMING AWARD  
**LILY KURRACK**

VLADIMIR MATIC AWARD FOR INTERNATIONAL ENGAGEMENT  
**ERIN MAITRE**

AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE BY A TEACHING ASSISTANT  
**PRAISE AYINLA  
MATTHEW RUTTER**

JOE STEWART AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING PAPER BY A GRADUATE STUDENT  
**RACHEL McGOVERN**

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RISING OUTSTANDING PRE-PROFESSIONAL HEALTH STUDIES AWARD  
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OUTSTANDING HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION STUDENT AWARD  
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UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AWARD

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DEAN'S AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT

**ARIANA PENSY**

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AWARD FOR ENTREPRENEURSHIP IN COMMUNITY SERVICE

**FELICIA COLLEA**

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AWARD FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGAGEMENT

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