University Of North Georgia, Dahlonega Campus Presents:

Student Awards Ceremony and Reception

Tuesday, April 7
7:00 p.m.
Convocation Center
Welcome & Opening Remarks
Dr. Bonita Jacobs
President

Award Presentations
College & Departmental Awards
Dr. Joyce Stavick, Dept Head, English, College of Arts and Letters
Dr. Sheri Hardee, Dean of the College of Education
Dr. Carolynn DeSandre, Interim Dean of the College of Health Sciences and Professions
Dr. Mary Gowan, Dean of the Mike Cottrell College of Business
Dr. John Leyba, Interim Dean of the College of Science and Mathematics
Dr. Royce Dansby-Sparks, Director of the Honors Program, Dahlonega
Colonel Joseph Matthews, Commandant of Cadets

Campus-Wide Awards
Dr. James Conneely
Vice President for Student Affairs

Dr. Chaudron Gille
Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs

Closing Remarks
Dr. Chaudron Gille
Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs
College and Departmental Awards

College of Arts and Letters
Dr. Joyce Stavick, Dept Head, English

Department of Criminal Justice
Dr. Douglas Orr, Presenter
Robert Peel Award: Megan England

Department of English
Dr. Donna Gessell, Presenter
Outstanding Senior in Teacher Certification: Sabrina Stapleton
Outstanding Senior in Literature: Ethan Collins
Outstanding Senior Writing & Publication: Elizabeth Odom
Desmond Booth Award for Outstanding Senior: Elizabeth Odom
Inman Quill Essay Award for Best English 1101 Essay Written in 2019: Thorin Beard
Inman Quill Essay Award for Best English 1102 Essay Written in 2019: Landon Jarrel
Kathryn Ann Fernquist Hinds Writing Award: Lisset Bennett

Department of History, Anthropology, and Philosophy
Dr. Tamara Spike, Presenter
Sarah Drew History Award: John Messamore
Sally Wiedmann Philosophy Award: Tyler Truelove
Georgia Mann Graduate Award in History: Brian Hilliard
Jack Wynn Anthropology Award: Anna Chitwood

Department of Political Science & International Affairs
Dr. Dlynn Williams, Presenter
Michael Reese Award: Mackenzie Lintz
David Potter Award- Highest GPA in International Affairs: Madelyn Beacham
Frank M. Smith Award- Highest GPA in Political Science: Jenna Patterson
Barry Friedman Legacy Award: Jordan Richardson
**Department of Psychological Science**  
Dr. Stephen Smith, Dr. Abby Meyer & Dr. Bryan Dawson, Presenters  
Jim G. Coone Community Service Award: Tanya Streetman and Kelsey Burts  
Steve Noble Undergraduate Research Award: Brendyn Melugin  
Outstanding Student Award of Psychological Science: Dana Robison

**Department of Sociology and Human Services**  
Dr. David Broad, Presenter  
William Leger Academic Excellence in Sociology Award: Aaron Hubbard

**Department of Spanish**  
Dr. Elizabeth Combier, Presenter  
Senior Academic Achievement Award: Alaina Whitmore  
Most Outstanding Student in Intermediate Spanish Award: Anna Anderson  
Most Promising Student in Spanish: Joanna Irvin  
Most Active and Dedicated Student of Spanish: Emma Smith

**Department of Modern & Classical Languages**  
Dr. Brian Mann, Presenter  
Most Promising Student in Intermediate Language Awards:  
- Arabic ................................................................. Dessie Durham  
- Chinese ............................................................. Thorin Beard  
- French ............................................................... David Cabrita  
- Korean .............................................................. Brianna Welch  
- German .............................................................. Gracie Reamer  
- Japanese ........................................................... Kirstie Carson  
- Russian ............................................................. Anna Kubas  
- Italian ............................................................... Daniel Ramirez

Most Promising Student in Advanced Chinese Award: Meghan McPeak  
Senior Academic Achievement Awards:  
- Arabic ................................................................. Michelle Fallon  
- Chinese ............................................................. Dillon Evans  
- French ............................................................... Rebekah Pelles  
- Russian ............................................................. Evan Povolny
ROTC Chinese Flagship Program
Chi-Hsuan Catterson, Director and Presenter
Chinese Flagship Excellence Award: Dillon Evans and Rachel Wilson

Department of Music
Steven Walker, Presenter
C. J. Dismukes Distinguished Musician Award: Kevin Flanagan
Lyman Hammond Leadership Award: Sierra Humphrey
Vocal Ensemble Leadership Award: Camden Pruitt
Scholarly Writing Award: Anita Ingram
Innovation Award: Emily Nelson

College of Education
Dr. Sheri Hardee, Dean

Middle Grades, Secondary and Science Education
Dr. Chantelle Grant, Presenter

Outstanding Education Student Awards:
Middle Grades Major ....................................................  Carianne Whitlow
Middle Grades Major ....................................................  Alyssiah Vicente
Middle Grades Major ....................................................  Joseph Coppolino
Middle Grades Major ....................................................  Thomas Griffith
Middle Grades Major ....................................................  Ansley Bowman
Middle Grades Major ....................................................  Olivia Lane
Secondary Education .....................................................  Maria Coughlin
Secondary Education .....................................................  Colten Leonard
Secondary Education .....................................................  Sabrina Stapleton

Culture, Language and Leadership
Dr. Lauren Johnson, Presenter

Outstanding Social Foundations of Education Student: MacKenzie Rickett

Elementary and Special Education
Dr. Cristina Washell, Presenter

Outstanding Elementary/SPED Major - Lumpkin/North Hall PDC: Caitlin Riley
Outstanding Elementary/SPED Major - Dawson PDC: Lindsey McCord
Outstanding Elementary/SPED Major - Forsyth PDC: Shelby Sims
Outstanding Elementary/SPED Major - South Forsyth PDC: Amina Madesko
Kinesiology
Dr. Ryan Hipp, Dr. Jessica Miles and Ms. Jenica Alvarez, Presenters

Outstanding Kinesiology Major with Concentration in Sports Medicine: Jennifer Mullican and Jordan Young
Outstanding Kinesiology Major with Concentration in Health & Fitness: Colin Poole
Outstanding Kinesiology Major with Concentration in Exercise Science: Brooke Hartman

College of Health Sciences and Professions
Dr. Carolynn DeSandre, Interim Dean

Department of Counseling
Dr. Clay Rowell, Presenter
Counseling Student of the Year: Noelle Rich
Counseling Intern of the Year: Darrin Haley

Mike Cottrell College of Business
Dr. Mary Gowan, Dean and Presenter

Department of Accounting and Law
Dr. Anne Duke, Presenter
Accounting Excellence Award: Cole Edmondson

Department of Economics and Finance
Mike Ryan, Presenter
Finance Excellence Award: Rachel Wilson

Department of Computer Science and Information Systems
Dr. Ash Mady, Presenter
Computer Science Excellence Award: Daniel Lee Haugen
Marion C. Wicht Award: Brisaac Johnson
Cybersecurity Excellence Award: Israel Rosales Rodriguez
Information Systems Excellence Award: Megan Kasper

Department of Management and Marketing
Dr. Mohan Menon, Presenter
Management Excellence Award: Elizabeth Wilcauskas
Marketing Excellence Award: Tanner Melvin Johnson

College-wide Awards
Dr. Mary Gowan, Presenter
Oakes-Freeman Award: Melissa Wyatt
Professional Development Excellence Award: Noah Payne
College of Science and Mathematics
Dr. John Leyba, Interim Dean

Department of Biology
Dr. Nancy Dalman, Presenter
Dr. Ralph E. Hitt Student Assistant of the Year: Natalie Simmons
Ben W. Sanders Award: Cory Duckworth and Mary Washburn
Bryan L. Redd Jr. Leadership Award: Amelia Arthur and Octavio Aguado

Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry
Dr. Lori Wilson, Presenter
Chemistry Graduate Award: Mary Dennis
Chemistry Service Award: Emily Shrewsbury

Department of Physics and Astronomy
Dr. Richard Prior, Presenter
Outstanding Graduating Senior in Physics: Jessica Hamilton and Michael Testagrossa

Department of Mathematics
Dr. Dianna Spence, Presenter
Walter J. Carpenter Mathematics Award: Parker Green
Clark Mathematics Award: Daniel Barker
O’Neal Mathematics Education Award: Emily Whitlow

Honors Program
Dr. Royce Dansby-Sparks, Director and Presenter
Rachel Ford Springer Award: Jessica Jensen

Campus-Wide Awards
Dr. James Conneely and Dr. Chaudron Gille, Presenters
Hyams Award: Jasmine Bouges
Recognition of Honors Societies
Honors Societies
2019-2020 Inductees

Phi Kappa Phi

Tyler J. Avret  Rachael Cotton  Molly Jane Martin
Robert C. Blanc  Mikalah B. Crymes  Dr. Steven F. McLeod
Dr. Jameson Brewer  Dr. Chaudron Gille  Holly A. Reed
Donna M. Caldwell  Rachel Lindsey

Phi Theta Kappa

Alissa Adams  Stephen Gifford  Amanda Shook
Mary Adams  Anneliese Hack  David Sotelo Gonzalez
Carlie Anderson  Rachel Lindsey  Lesli Tillman
Rebecca Bennett  Diana Mancilla  Brittany Troup
Lori Biddulph  Madelyn Martin  Karlie Upshaw
Amy Boone  Haley McBratnie  Sarah Vancea
Aaron Brock  Lauren McCaleb  Brantley Waters
Catlin Corrales  Aleksandra Parkinson  Landon Watts
Alexa Davis  Jacob Phillips  Benjamin Williams
Joshua Denton  Elizabeth Richards
Kayla Aguirre
Jonathan Bayless
Kimberly Burns
Michael Clark
Alyssa Etheridge
Michelle Fallon
McKenzie Greenlee
Brooke Hartman
Sarah Hastings
Morgan Liptak
Melony Mead

Madison Medina
Jeffrey Parker
Xuan Peng
Evan Povolny
Diana Revenkov
Abigail Schmidt
Laken Sears
Nathaniel Taylor
Kyle Waterson
Derek Whitmore