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CHEMISTRY

Graduation Celebration & Student Awards Ceremony

Friday, April 28, 2023 | 2:00pm
William T. Young Library Alumni Gallery
Welcome
Professor Mark Lovell,
Jack and Linda Gill Professor of Chemistry, Department Chair

Graduate Student Awards
Professor Dong-Sheng Yang, Director of Graduate Studies

100% Plus Award | Kathryn Pitton
Outstanding Graduate Student Research Awards | Vinayak Bhat & Nadeesha Kothalawala
Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award | Gayan Karunasinghe & Yeuming (Ronnie) Wu
William D. Ehmann Graduate Award Fund in Chemistry | Keerthan Rao & Adedamola Arojojoye
C. H. H. Griffith Outstanding General Chemistry TA Award | Poorya Kamali & Oluwatosin Obisesan
Fast Start Award | Udara Munugoda Hewage & Nipun Chandrasiri

Recognition of Graduate Students
Professor Dong-Sheng Yang

Undergraduate Student Awards and Scholarships
Professor Stephen Testa, Director of Undergraduate Studies

100% Plus Award | Jenna Rector
Hammond Undergraduate Service Award | Sam Hillman
Hammond Leadership Award | Megan Hwang
Nancy J. Stafford Award | Jacob Richardson
Willard R. Meredith Memorial Award | Zoe Gallegos
First-Year Chemistry Major Award | Matthew Corbett & Walter Kunnmann
General Chemistry Excellence Award (Spring 2022) | Priya Patel & Nathaniel Payne
General Chemistry Excellence Award (Fall 2022) | Walter Kunnmann & Dylan Street

ACS-Hach Land Grant Undergraduate Scholarship | Carlee O'neal
Wilbur L. Price Memorial Scholarship | Kaylee Morales
Thomas B. Nantz Memorial Scholarship | Morgan Garrity & Nora Sypkens
Paul G. Sears Scholarship | Sophia Li, Anna Rice, & Dolan Whittle
David W. and Eloise C. Young Scholarship | Chloe Shamel & Madelyn Steineker
Robert M. Boyer Memorial Scholarship | Quinn Hall
Paul L. Corio Scholarship | Sam Hillman
Robert Singleton Hart 1907 Scholarship | Marissa Harris & Dema Sami
2022-2023 Graduates

**DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**
- Charles Adeniran
- Surya Aryal
- Vinayak Bhat
- Austin Hachey
- Tuo Li
- Richard Mitchell
- Poorya Kamali
- Priya Karna
- Chamikara Karunasena
- Udari Kodithuwakku
- Khaga Neupane
- Rose Pham

**MASTER OF SCIENCE**
- Brandy Collins
- Stephanie Sorensen

**BACHELOR OF ARTS**
- Katelyn Collins
- Chamique Cowan
- Justin Denny
- Laiken Griffith*
- Christina Jones
- Audrey Keith
- Sophia Li
- Hector Magana Morales
- Hunter Mulloy
- Jackson Olsen
- Libby Ratliff
- Abigail Rockenhaus
- Eder Romero
- Emma Halteman
- Isaac Huffman*
- Megan Hwang
- Abigail Janicki
- Kinley Jarvis
- Makayla Jefferson
- Ella Jull
- Grace McCarty
- James McDaniel*
- Amanda Medina*
- Viraj Mistry*
- Linda Omali*
- Carleigh Phelon
- Robert Purcell
- Jessica Ray
- Jacob Richardson*
- Elisabeth Rintamaa
- Katelyn Rogers
- Ashley Ryan
- Carson Sims
- Parker Sornberger
- Keegan Taylor
- Ashley Trejo-Coke*
- Levi Wolff

*Denotes Chemistry Department Honors

**Closing Remarks**
Professor Stephen Testa