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# ALUMNI

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&  
AWARDS CEREMONY

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## ALUMNI ASSOCIATION BUSINESS MEETING

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## ROLL CALL OF CLASSES

**Phil Foxman**

**President James H. Mullen, Jr.**

## PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

**President Mullen**

**Peggy Toman Siegle '70**

*Blue Citation*

*Gold Citation*

*Alumni Medal*

## CLOSING REMARKS

**President Mullen**

## ALMA MATER BEATISSIMA

*Fair Allegheny, yonder on the hill,  
Through all the years,  
our hearts are turning still,  
In love to thee, and so they ever will,  
O, Alma Mater, Beatissima!*

*Warm rests the sun, so soft on wall and vine;  
No air in all the world can equal thine,  
Again we flame our torches at thy shrine,  
O, Alma Mater, Beatissima.*

(The second verse will be sung by the Choir.)

# THE AWARDS

## THE BLUE CITATION & GOLD CITATION

The Blue Citation is awarded in recognition and appreciation of outstanding service to the College. The Gold Citation is awarded in recognition and appreciation of honor reflected upon the College by virtue of professional or volunteer activities.

## THE ALUMNI MEDAL

The Alumni Medal is the College's oldest and most prestigious alumni award. It honors steadfast loyalty and many years of distinguished service to Allegheny.

## THE THOBURN AWARD

The Thoburn Award for Excellence in Teaching is presented to a faculty member who has been at Allegheny College for 10 years or less and has demonstrated outstanding teaching as evidenced by innovative pedagogy, creative course development, sustained commitment to student learning, and support from faculty, alumni, and students.

## THE JULIAN ROSS AWARD

The Julian Ross Award for Excellence in Teaching is presented to a member of the faculty who has been at Allegheny College for more than 10 years and who embodies the qualities of an outstanding teacher. They include competence in the academic discipline and in the classroom, interaction with students, and professional and personal integrity.

## THE ROBERT T. SHERMAN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

The Robert T. Sherman Distinguished Service Award is given to an Allegheny staff member who has provided significant exceptional long-term support to College programs or activities and/or contributed to the College in areas not required by his/her job description. The recipient's performance exceeds expectation, and he/she embodies excellence, service, and dedication to Allegheny.

# MEGAN MURPHY '88

## BLUE CITATION



Megan Murphy's deep connection to Allegheny has been evident for decades.

From her experience as a student and resident advisor and then resident director, to her time as dean of

admissions and enrollment management, to her role as a volunteer and leader, she has been a shining example of commitment and service to the College.

As a volunteer, she has helped the Admissions Office with the Gator Greetings initiative and by interviewing prospective students. She also volunteers to assist current students as a career mentor. And she has helped with alumni relations efforts, expressing appreciation to supporters of the College through phone calls and personal notes, hosting alumni events, and soliciting gifts as a class agent.

As a leader, Megan served seven years on the Alumni Council, including a year as president. During that time, the council was deeply involved in planning the College's Bicentennial Celebration in 2015, developing the College's strategic plan, *Combinations 2020*, and was involved in the run-up to the launch of the current comprehensive fundraising campaign, *Our Allegheny: Our Third Century Quest*. As an officer of the Alumni Council, Megan attended Board of Trustees meetings for two years, and she was co-chair of her 25th Reunion Committee.

For the past three years, she has served on the Timothy Alden Council Executive Committee to help expand the College's pool of leadership-level donors, which provides a stable foundation of financial support for Allegheny. She has been the chair of a working group focused on recruitment of new Timothy Alden Council members.

"Through my time working with Megan, I have learned that she is an incredible force for Allegheny, driven by her deep love and appreciation for her alma mater," says Sara Pineo, the College's director of annual giving. "She fully uses her talents, experience, and her ability to network to advance the College's mission.

"What I most appreciate about Megan is that she is a true ally and partner," Pineo says. "She comes to the table with thoughtful ideas and creative solutions, and does so with sensitivity and understanding. When Megan assigns herself to a task, you know with confidence that she will not only complete it, but will excel at it."

Megan is excited to expand her family's connection to Allegheny when her nephew, Riley Rizzer, matriculates to the College this fall.

Allegheny is proud to recognize Megan with its Blue Citation for her remarkable dedication, leadership, and support she has generously given to the College for more than 30 years.

# GREGORY PEOPLES '73

## GOLD CITATION



Gregory Peoples spent 40 years impacting positively the lives of students as a university administrator and community volunteer, serving on school boards, and the governing boards of medical

and mediation centers in Michigan.

Gregory has devoted his life to being an educator, advocate, and community leader. He was born to working-class parents and raised in Kent, Ohio.

“He was deeply influenced by the enduring values his parents instilled in him,” says friend and former classmate Carrie A.R. Reeves '73. “He has always valued the importance of education, excellence, and achievement as guiding principles in his personal and professional life.”

Gregory graduated with a degree in speech and communication at Allegheny and enjoyed a successful college athletic career in track. He was a founding member of the Association of Black Collegians, known today as the Association for the Advancement of Black Culture. He also is a proud member of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity, where he served on the Arch Chapter governing board as the director of education.

He was hired by the late Dick Stewart '56 as Allegheny's first director of admissions for minority recruitment. After two years at the College, he returned home to earn his master's degree in higher education administration from Kent State

University. From there, he moved to Michigan, where he has served at Eastern Michigan University as dean of students and university ombudsman, at Kettering University as director of admissions and corporate specialist, and at Washtenaw Community College as director of enrollment services.

As a member of the Ypsilanti community, Gregory has served on many local boards, including Hope Medical Clinic (provides medical services to indigent families), the Dispute Resolution Center (provides mediation services to residents), and the Ypsilanti Area Community Foundation. He has been elected to and served on three local school boards in Washtenaw County: Willow Run Community School Board, Lincoln Consolidated School Board, and the Washtenaw Intermediate School Board. He recently concluded 12 years of service on the Michigan Association of School Boards.

During his career, Gregory established the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Resource Center and Advisory Board, the Greek Affairs Office, and the University Ombudsman Office at Eastern Michigan. He has also worked to improve the quality of life for students of color, students with disabilities, international students, and veterans returning to school after military duty.

He is married to the former Alice Leigh, and they are the parents of four grown children and three grandchildren.

It is with deep admiration for Gregory's commitment to the nation's young people and to his community in Michigan that we honor him with the Gold Citation.

# DR. JONATHAN HELMREICH H'18

## ALUMNI MEDAL



Good history, it has been said, is never dull. But it can take determination — and time — to uncover and share, as Professor Emeritus of History Jonathan E. Helmreich certainly knows.

Following his retirement from teaching in 1998, Jonathan was asked to serve as College historian by President Richard Cook. As part of his duties, Jonathan embarked on a quest to find the flag that students who made up Allegheny College's company in the Civil War carried into battle. Three years later, he at last found the long-missing flag rolled in a newspaper shoved in the back of a cupboard in the Pelletier Library.

That discovery is just one of the many meaningful ways that Jonathan has brought Allegheny's ever-unfolding history to life — through his tenacity coupled with grace and affability.

Thousands of Allegheny alumni from the early 1960s through the 1990s knew Jonathan as their professor or academic dean. In more recent years, he has taken on a different yet still visible role with alumni, leading popular historic walking tours of campus during Reunion Weekend and other events.

“Jonathan connects with Alleghenians in ways that enliven their interest in the College's history and strengthen their relationship with their alma mater,” says Phil Foxman '90, associate vice president

for development and alumni affairs. “We are most fortunate that he gives so generously of his time and expertise to help alumni gain deeper appreciation for Allegheny.”

Jonathan has poured his heart, soul, and scholarly acumen into authoring several important books about Allegheny, among them *Eternal Hope: The Life of Timothy Alden, Jr.* In 2005, Jonathan published his most ambitious volume about the College, the 530-page *Through All the Years: A History of Allegheny College*, which explores the evolution of Allegheny from its beginnings in the frontier town of Meadville through 2005.

When beginning work on *Through All The Years*, Jonathan encountered what he called in the book's preface a “historical record that had long been neglected.” He surmounted that obstacle; his skill and persistence resulted in a tome that has become an invaluable resource for College employees and a keepsake for alumni. In 2016, Jonathan published an update to the book, *The Next Chapter: Celebrating Allegheny College As It Reaches Its Bicentennial*.

Jonathan himself contributed immeasurably to the College's Bicentennial celebration in 2015. For example, he provided vision and insight as a member of the Bicentennial Committee, charged with planning and coordinating events and memorials. And his meticulous research helped to inspire and inform the beautiful Bicentennial Walkway that extends through Bentley lawn.

Jonathan has proven himself a true and most loyal son of Allegheny. It is with deep gratitude that we present him with the Alumni Medal, the College's oldest and most prestigious award.

# JAMES LINABERGER '59 P'84/'91 & SANDRA KENYON SMITH LINABERGER '62 P'93

## ALUMNI MEDAL



Making Alleghenians feel at home is second nature for Jim and Sandi Linaberger.

The Linabergers' spirit of hospitality has taken many forms on many occasions. Jim (who

is also known as "Dutch") and Sandi have opened their home to host fellow alumni for receptions and to provide dinner for Allegheny students on the tennis team during their spring break trips.

"Sandi and Dutch are relationship builders and never miss an opportunity to organize meetings and visits with other Allegheny alumni no matter where their travels take them," says Sally Barrett Hanley '92, director of reunion giving. "They even tried to find local alumni to gather when they traveled to Loire Valley, France, during the Bicentennial celebration in June 2015."

Although they didn't locate any fellow Alleghenians in the area, the Linabergers remained undeterred. They proudly displayed an Allegheny banner in a local restaurant and made a toast to their alma mater with fellow diners.

Through their service on numerous reunion committees, Jim and Sandi have also helped to provide a warm welcome on campus for their classmates. With enthusiasm and diligence, they served as co-chairs for their respective 50th Reunion celebrations.

Reunion Weekend holds a particularly special meaning for the couple. Jim and Sandi were both married to Allegheny alumni who passed away — Elsa Held Linaberger '60 and William S. Smith '61. And during Reunion Weekend 2003, Jim and Sandi met and later fell in love. Jim and Sandi also each helped to inspire children to carry on their Allegheny legacy: Anne Linaberger '84, Elizabeth Linaberger '91, and Nicole Smith Manning '93.

Recognizing the enduring value of the Allegheny experience and what it has meant to their family, the Linabergers have been consistent and generous financial supporters of the College. Together, Jim and Sandi have amassed nearly seven decades of combined giving since the early 1980s (when the College began keeping electronic records of philanthropy).

Simply put, Jim and Sandi relish opportunities to support key initiatives at the College. They each have established endowed scholarships to honor their late spouses, and Jim also has funded a scholarship for first-generation college students. In addition, as members of the Timothy Alden Council, they are key contributors to the Annual Fund; both have provided leadership and insight as part of the council's Executive Committee.

Jim and Sandi are two of Allegheny's most loyal alumni, and their dedicated service has motivated scores of Alleghenians to become more involved in supporting the College. It is with deep gratitude that we present the Linabergers with the Alumni Medal, the College's oldest and most prestigious award.

# DR. LYDIA ECKSTEIN

## THOBURN AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING



Lydia Eckstein's commitment to the art — and the craft — of teaching has earned the deep admiration and respect of her students and colleagues alike.

Dr. Eckstein, an assistant professor of psychology, joined the Allegheny faculty in 2012. She is known for her unrelenting drive to find and apply innovative ways to support student learning. “She is a privilege to learn from,” says Sophie Dodge '18. “Every single one of her classes is engaging, thought provoking, and incredibly worthwhile.”

Dr. Eckstein has earned rave reviews even when teaching the Psychology Department's required course in statistics, regarded by students as one of its most difficult. And she has stepped forward to introduce new courses that deal with emotionally challenging topics — such as evil, trauma, and discrimination.

“She is able to draw students into engagement with those issues in a way that is both respectful but does not back down from the pain inherent in the issues,” says Professor of Psychology Joshua Searle-White. “Her success in working with students is really remarkable.”

In developing (and re-developing) her courses, Dr. Eckstein combines hours of preparation with keen attention to incorporating innovative approaches. She frequently contributes to

national conferences on teaching psychology — and then uses what she shares and learns there to enhance and reimagine her work in the classroom. Eckstein has also gained new perspectives on issues she discusses in the classroom through other experiences, including a 2016 Humanity in Action study trip exploring post-genocide reconciliation in Rwanda.

At the heart of Dr. Eckstein's teaching is a deep concern for her students and their well-being. Students go to Dr. Eckstein “because they know she cares,” says Allison Connell Pensky, assistant professor of psychology and neuroscience.

Carly Masiroff, associate director of the Maytum Learning Commons, notes that Dr. Eckstein is proactive in contacting her about students who might be struggling in a class. “I never have to call Lydia because she is calling me first,” Masiroff says. “She is always brainstorming new ways and ideas to connect with students on different levels.”

Dr. Eckstein has built those connections not only through mentoring student research and Senior Comprehensive Projects, but also by investing time in day-to-day conversations with students in her office.

“She exudes support, care, and above all, love,” says Dodge. “I have never had a professor like her before. In fact, I have never met someone like her before.”

Adds Searle-White: “Lydia represents the best we have here at Allegheny.”

# DR. GLENN HOLLAND

## JULIAN ROSS AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING



During his 33 years on the Allegheny College faculty, Glenn Holland has epitomized what it means to be a teacher-scholar — an inspiring mentor who is rooted in both intellectual rigor and genuine

concern for his students.

Dr. Holland, the Bishop James Mills Thoburn Professor of Religious Studies, has expertly educated generations of Allegheny students. His knowledge of his field is described as “encyclopedic” by several students and alumni who nominated him for this award.

“Even more impressive, he combines that knowledge with a unique ability to convey it in a way that his students can understand, employing humor, concrete examples, and a penchant for the memorable phrase,” Bradley Burroughs ’02 says.

An expert in the New Testament, Dr. Holland teaches a wide range of courses and deftly balances presenting material in a serious, cogent manner with, as Marco Dozzi ’07 says, “a helpful dose of comic relief.” Renowned for his skill as a lecturer, Dr. Holland is equally celebrated for his ability to draw students into the conversation. He continually “challenges students to critically engage the material,” says Milton Guevara ’18.

Kellie-Sue Martinucci ’18 notes that Dr. Holland’s “respect for students in their educa-

tional experience gives them room to grow, and he takes every question seriously. He is willing at every step to explore students’ interests and theories, and he deeply values his students’ opinions.”

Fundamental to Dr. Holland’s teaching is his profound commitment to scholarship. Faculty colleagues describe his publication record as “enviable” and “long and distinguished.” In addition to his published works on the letters of Paul and the religions of the ancient Near East, he presents frequently at the national meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature.

Dr. Holland also has shared his expertise with students throughout the world. He is the only Allegheny faculty member, and one of the few from a liberal arts college, invited to teach for “The Great Courses,” a widely recognized multimedia series for lifelong learners.

Along with his professional achievements, Dr. Holland has modeled for his students the importance of civic involvement. He has served as a guest preacher at local churches and regularly offers courses on biblical subjects for adults preparing for ministry. And he has contributed to the community’s cultural life as an actor in many theater productions.

Dr. Holland retired from the Allegheny faculty at the end of the 2017–18 academic year — and his example will continue to serve as an inspiration. “Professor Holland encourages students to be the best they can be and helps them at every step of the way,” Martinucci says.

# SCOTT SCHLOSSER

## ROBERT T. SHERMAN DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD



After 37 years as a carpenter in Allegheny's Physical Plant, Scott Schlosser will be hanging up his hammer and T-square when he retires this summer. He'll be taking with him the

admiration and appreciation of many co-workers, students, and former students who benefited from his handiwork and companionship.

"In so many quiet and kind ways, Scott has devoted the better part of his life caring for and about the physical fabric of Allegheny College," says Jed Miller '69, of Jonathan Miller Design.

Scott has played a major role in many facets of Physical Plant operations and is known especially as the man who has constructed the Commencement stage through the years, acting as the unofficial lead for the Physical Plant staff – the go-to person who knows all the details of the setup.

"His work ethic is exemplary, his skills are unparalleled, and his kindness to students and colleagues has touched countless lives over the years," says Cliff Willis, director of major capital projects.

Besides his expertise at his craft, Scott also has been a regular member of the Staff Advisory Committee and regularly represents Physical Plant at off-duty campus events. He also has

graciously stepped in at times when he has been asked to serve on search committees.

"Scott genuinely cares for and is interested in his colleagues," says Lynn McManness-Harlan, director of conference and event services. "He understands and reminds many that we are here for the students. His attention to detail and keeping the campus in good order is obvious from his master carpentry work to the setups for Commencement."

Scott has made many friends in the Athletic Department over the years, earning him the "Friend of the Program" award several years ago. "Scott has been instrumental in helping the Athletic Department transform a lot of our aging facilities into aesthetically pleasing spaces for years," says Bill Ross, associate director of athletics and recreation. "Our entire staff knows him on a first-name basis and looks forward to working with him because they know they are getting 100 percent effort and a smile to boot!"

Says Tricha Young, office manager in the Student Leadership and Involvement Office: "The Schlosser name has been a staple of Allegheny's Physical Plant staff, including Ray, Wayne, and Scott, for nearly 100 years. With his impending retirement, I can't think of a more deserving person to receive the Robert T. Sherman Distinguished Service Award than Scott Schlosser."

# BLUE & GOLD AWARD

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- 1980**  
**BLUE** Ruth Williams Knights  
Herbert E. Ransford, Jr. '38  
**GOLD** Benjamin P. Burrtt '70  
Betty Boltz Dearing '39  
Arthur H. Gratz '40  
Leonell C. Strong '17
- 1981**  
**BLUE** Blair Hanson  
Paul A. Knights  
Richard K. Naum '67  
John C. Phillips, Jr. '56  
Anne Gilmore Stewart '31  
**GOLD** George J. Barco '30  
Geo. R. D. Braun '27  
Mary Brock Duffy '41  
Donna M. Guenther '60  
Walter M. Small '11
- 1982**  
**BLUE** Stephen W. Graffam '53  
Marjorie Kirk  
Thomas M. St. Clair '57  
**GOLD** R. Budd Dwyer '61  
Robert H. Gray '50
- 1983**  
**BLUE** Sandra McLaughlin Byers '58  
Silas Rush Mountsier III '52  
Chester L. Sceiford '66  
Ernest J. Schwarz '56  
**GOLD** Robert B. Appleyard '40  
J. David Barnes '51  
Arthur B. R. Colley '30  
Wilbert F. Koehler '33  
Melvin Guy Mellon '15  
Gertrud Bauer Pickar '57  
Mary Elizabeth Sceiford '54  
J. Robert Zuberhuhler '51
- 1984**  
**BLUE** Thomas A. Myers '71  
Cora Kraus Ransford '40  
John D. Smith '49  
**GOLD** Jacob Kolff '61  
Alton A. Lindsey '29  
William H. Muir '49  
William M. Wells '53
- 1985**  
**BLUE** Jack K. Mandel '58  
**GOLD** David H. Hoag '60  
Arthur L. Lowrie '55  
Harry W. McCurdy '40  
Samuel T. Pees '50
- 1986**  
**BLUE** Thomas N. Slonaker  
Deborah Lynn Wijnberg '78  
**GOLD** Daniel Lindsay Bratton '54  
Julian Krainin '62  
Barbara Webb Robinson '48  
Theodore F. Shaker, Jr. '72  
Robert A. Sherman '40  
Arthur David Steffee, Jr. '56
- 1987**  
**BLUE** John B. Harrison '27  
John J. Werle '32  
**GOLD** Barbara Hotham Iglewski '60  
J. Arvid Klein '54  
Mary-Blair Matejczyk '71  
Richard F. Smith '50
- 1988**  
**BLUE** Marilyn Muckinhaupt Snyder '49  
**GOLD** M. Peter Scibetta '54  
Paul R. Zavarella '53
- 1989**  
**BLUE** Carol Fetcko Barndollar '64  
Ann Simakas Degenhart '71  
**GOLD** Harry C. Blaney III '59  
C. Milo Connick '39  
Morris P. Fiorina, Jr. '68
- 1990**  
**BLUE** Joseph M. Dickey '50  
Terrence Darrow Kelly '68  
**GOLD** Cris L. Groenendaal '70  
Linda C. Smith '71  
Tina Thoburn '47
- 1991**  
**BLUE** Carleton J. Anderson III '76  
James B. Drake '63  
**GOLD** Virginia L. Crowthers '41  
Eugene V. Wolsk '48
- 1992**  
**BLUE** Roberta McKenry Miller '73  
Barbara Orwig '65  
**GOLD** Richard Murphy '71  
David A. Reed '55
- 1993**  
**BLUE** Joan Jaeckel Corderman '67  
George M. '43 & Kathryn Hill '42  
Don Covill Skinner '56  
**GOLD** Howard H. Alliger '52  
William E. Crofut '58  
Robert D. McVey '41
- 1994**  
**BLUE** Willow Wilcox Brost '74  
Ellinor Kistler Hamilton '40  
Pamela Schmitt O'Brien '70  
**GOLD** William Erbey '71  
Jean Merrill '44  
James Trippi '75
- 1995**  
**BLUE** William P. Faloon '41  
Eliot P. Green '80  
**GOLD** Arthur S. Blank '57  
W. LeRoy Schneck '41  
Lynne M. Shuster '61
- 1996**  
**BLUE** Ann Tannehill DiTullio '60  
Robert K. '65 & Lynn Campbell  
Smith '66  
**GOLD** Richard Browdie '69  
Brian J. Hill '81  
Doris Larsen Snell '46
- 1997**  
**BLUE** Elizabeth J. Harrison '71  
David F. Johnson '47  
**GOLD** Michael J. Baxter '77  
J. Lew Davies '40  
Becky Myton '63

# BLUE & GOLD AWARD

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- 1998**  
**BLUE** Chris W. Brussalis '87  
Charles E. Butters '60  
**GOLD** Antonio J. Chiroides '84  
Robert A. Marchman '80  
Maron Calderwood Mays '64  
Martha D. Mills '49
- 1999**  
**BLUE** Stephen K. Gaulty '68  
Howard E. R. Hutton '64  
Isabelle Crabb Moss '67  
Gustave (Gus) Rylander '49  
**GOLD** Sharyn Ann Lenhart '70  
Arthur D. Pressley '72  
Crawford (Doc) R. Thoburn '54
- 2000**  
**BLUE** Ann H. Areson '67  
Thomas T. Frampton '70  
Barbara W. Rimer '52  
Charles E. Rimer '50  
Stephen A. Weirich '81  
**GOLD** Walter J. Greenleaf, Jr. '50  
Gary M. Kelsey '76  
James W. Lyons '54  
Christine Scott Nelson '73  
James F. Sheridan '50
- 2001**  
**BLUE** C. Dake Gull '36  
James S. Lewis '51  
Darrell S. Park '91  
Suzanne Dougall Sweeney '55  
**GOLD** Donna Bowman '67  
Margaret S. Burns '61  
David R. Hurst '74  
Victoria N. Luine '67
- 2002**  
**BLUE** Scott D. Heffren '76  
Jonathan E. Miller '69  
Diane Sutter '72  
**GOLD** Robert O. Blomquist '52  
George C. Bradley '61  
Q. Todd Dickinson '74
- 2003**  
**BLUE** Louis P. Scibetta '57  
Ruth Ann Peterson Verell '57  
**GOLD** Carol A. Travis Alonso '63  
William H. G. Cross '90  
M. Roy Wilson '76
- 2004**  
**BLUE** Frank E. McElree '47  
**GOLD** Thomas D. Gladden '54
- 2005**  
**BLUE** Carol (Darnell) Freund '54  
Bill Owen '74  
**GOLD** Henry Drucker '64  
Earl Stockdale, Jr. '70
- 2006**  
**BLUE** Gary A. Mitchell '60  
John D. Wheeler '61  
**GOLD** Nedzad Ajanovic '95  
Timothy M. Hoffman '88  
Michael J. Ryan '93
- 2007**  
**BLUE** Paul Roese '53  
**GOLD** Edward Hodgson, Jr. '47  
D. Arnold Lewis '52  
Mary Sue Sweeney Price '73
- 2008**  
**BLUE** John M. Kutz '83  
**GOLD** John H. Aldrich '69
- 2009**  
**BLUE** Barbara Pelander Hanniford '69  
Jim "Dutch" Linaberger '59  
**GOLD** Gladys Haddad '52  
Carol Reardon '74  
Yvonne Reed Chapelle Seon '59
- 2010**  
**BLUE** John M. Kelso, Jr. '66  
Lloyd H. Segan '80  
Bobbie Heller Watson '60  
**GOLD** James F. Mellinger '59  
Randi Weaver '83
- 2011**  
**BLUE** Gail Howe Fahrner '56  
John Herbert Niles '59  
John F. Sutphen '78  
**GOLD** Nancy Jane McCune Edelman '50  
Thomas J. Sadvary '75
- 2012**  
**BLUE** Peggy Toman Siegle '70  
Philip L. St. Moritz '61  
Hayes C. Stover '62  
**GOLD** Michael M. Alch '78  
W. Peter Peterson '59
- 2013**  
**BLUE** John "Jack" Lehman '54  
Carrie Richardson Reeves '73  
Keith Steiner '73  
**GOLD** John Vanco '68
- 2014**  
**BLUE** Francis "Ric" Rivette '74  
**GOLD** Richard "Dick" Fulton '61  
Nancy Morse Parker '72  
Linda "Lin" Jeffreys Wilensky '70
- 2015**  
**BLUE** John Brook '60  
Carole Barnes Williams '65  
**GOLD** Yvonne "Candy" Hobbs Allen '72
- 2016**  
**BLUE** Alice Sturgeon Bierer '59  
**GOLD** Eli Silverman '60
- 2016**  
**BLUE** Alice Sturgeon Bierer '59  
**GOLD** Eli Silverman '60
- 2017**  
**BLUE** Antoinette "Toni" Swain Marwitz '66  
Bruce H. Rockwell '85  
**GOLD** John M. Kelso, Jr. '66

# ALUMNI MEDAL

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1937	Ida M. Tarbell '80 Lewis Walker, Sr. '77	1967	Gerald D. Prather '23	1992	John J. Werle '32
1938	Clarence F. Ross '91	1968	Robert L. Kirkpatrick '28	1993	Samuel Hellman '55
1939	Andrew A. Culbertson '01	1969	Gordon D. Patterson, Sr. '19	1994	Helena Mumaw Schwartz '36
1940	Frank P. Miller '07	1970	Marian Whieldon Bell '26 Nancy L. Sutton '44	1995	John Corcoran '35
1941	Andrew W. Robertson '06	1971	J. Mylan Harvey '38	1996	Stephen W. Graffam '53
1951	C. Sidney Burwell '14	1972	D. Armour Hillstrom '37 Arthur H. Bartlett '26	1997	James F. Pomroy '56
1952	Paul W. Johnston '14	1973	Virginia Grenelle '23	1998	Carol Fetcko Barndollar '64
1953	Sumner E. Nichols '12 John R. McFarland '38	1974	Ralph A. Clark '24	1999	Richard A. Stewart '56
1954	Edith Rowley '05 Frank Wilbur Main '04	1975	Ralph H. Demmler '25	2000	Herbert E. Ransford, Jr. '38 Cora Kraus Ransford '40
1955	Robert W. Thomas '12 Albert G. Curry '16	1976	Paul B. Cares '32 Harry R. Pore, Jr. '33	2001	J. Llewellyn Davies '40
1956	Leo H. McKay '16 Charles F. Lewis '09	1977	Paul E. Hill '17 Marion E. Russell '22	2002	Gustave Rylander, Jr. '49
1957	Ben F. Miller, Jr. '07 Paul Sturtevant '99	1978	Theodore G. Thoburn '60	2003	M. Peter Scibetta '54
1958	Julian L. Ross '23 Martha Petersen Bartberger '03	1979	Robert M. Evans '29	2004	David H. Hoag '60
1959	Sterling G. McNees '09 Theodore Thoburn '14	1980	Raymond P. Shafer '38	2005	Ann Simakas Degenhart '71
1960	Robert S. Bates '31	1981	George S. DeArment '36 William A. DeArment '37	2006	Patricia Bush Tippie '56 President Richard J. Cook '06 Teresa M. Lahti '06
1961	Edwin P. Kennedy '11	1982	Ben Raskin '38	2007	Willard Tillotson, Jr. '52
1962	Forest G. Moorhead '00 Horace T. Lavelly '12	1983	Henry B. Suhr, Jr. '55	2008	The Honorable Jack Mandel '58
1963	Marguerite Shelmadine '12 Charles S. Miller '13	1984	Robert T. Sherman '41	2009	Linda Allison Palmiero '66
1964	Bruce L. Middaugh '27	1985	George J. Barco '30 John C. Phillips, Jr. '56	2010	Arthur Tepper '58
1965	William J. Armstrong '16 E. Alexander Hill '26	1986	William C. Rober, Jr. '50	2011	Don Covill Skinner '54
1966	Grace H. Miller '10 Paul H. Younger '31	1987	Silas Rush Mountsier III '52	2012	Mary E. Sceiford '54
		1988	Marilyn M. Snyder '49 Class of 1938	2013	Christine Scott Nelson '73
		1989	William J. Cramer '44	2014	Gary Brost '74 and Willow Wilcox Brost '74
		1990	Thomas M. St. Clair '57	2015	Gladys Mullenix Black '54 Jonathan "Jed" Miller '69
		1991	William K. Mohney '40	2016	Hayes C. Stover '62 and Patricia Dolan Stover '62
				2017	Ann Holmes Areson '67

# THOBURN AWARD

## FOR EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING

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1990	Bill Bywater	2002	Shaun Murphree	2011	Gregory M. Kapfhammer '99
1994	Earl W. Adams, Jr.	2003	Andrey Meleshevich	2012	Stephen Z. Onyeiwu
1995	Eric T. Pallant	2004	Ron Cole '87	2013	Aimee Knupsky
1996	Laura L. Quinn	2005	Jennifer Hellwarth	2014	Sarah Conklin
1997	David E. Anderson	2006	Eric Boynton	2015	Brad Hersh
1998	Beth L. Watkins	2007	Catharina Coenen	2016	Rebecca Smullin Dawson '00
1999	Joshua Searle-White	2008	Ishita Sinha Roy	2017	Russ Ormiston
2000	Michael F. Maniates	2009	JW P. Heuchert		
2001	Craige Champion	2010	Daniel M. Shea		

# JULIAN ROSS AWARD

## FOR EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING

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1982	Irwin N. Gertzog	1994	Brian C. Rosenberg	2006	Sue Buck
1983	Charles B. Ketcham	1995	Giles Wayland-Smith	2007	Robert Cupper
1984	Samuel S. Harrison '63	1996	Paula A. Treckel	2008	Robert K. Schwartz '66
1985	Christine M. Nebiolo	1997	Mary P. Bivens	2009	Robert Seddig
1986	Richard E. Kleeman	1998	James O. Palmer	2010	Terrence G. Bensel
1987	Dieter P. Lotze	1999	Ward M. Jamison	2011	Bruce Smith
1988	Anthony J. LoBello	2000	James C. Bulman	2012	William G. Bywater, Jr.
1989	Jeanne Braham	2001	Bruce Clayton	2013	Lowell Hepler
1990	Stephen M. Lyons	2002	Stephen Casler	2014	Lloyd Michaels
1991	Jeffrey D. Cross '73	2003	Deborah Dickey	2015	Eric Boynton
1992	Diane B. Goodman	2004	Janyce J. Hyatt '83	2016	Jochen Richter
1993	Glen E. Rodgers	2005	Earl Adams, Jr.	2017	Howard Tamashiro

# THE ROBERT T. SHERMAN

## DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

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1995	Linda A. Palmiero '66	2004	Maureen Hunter Hager	2012	Melissa C. Mencotti
1996	Paula Coyle Wurst '80	2005	David McNally	2013	Gordon Van Cise
1997	Richard A. Stewart '56	2006	Marilyn Stallard	2014	Sandra "Sandy" Snow
1998	Wayne Schlosser	2007	Jacquelyn Kondrot	2015	Linda Wetsell
1999	John C. Reynders '74	2008	Robert M. Tuttle	2016	Kathleen A. Roos
2000	Nancy Sheridan	2009	Marian Sherwood	2017	Ruth Donaldson Andel '85
2001	David P. Roncolato '79	2010	Martin D. Ahl		
2002	Jonathan E. Helmreich		Kenneth L. Hanna		
2003	Scott Choffel '72	2011	Sherry Proper '98		

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