ANNUAL ACADEMIC AWARDS PRESENTATION
Tuesday, April 16, 2019
3:00 p.m.  •  Student Union Building Ballroom
Reception: 2:30–3:00 p.m.  •  Ceremony: 3:00–4:00 p.m.
College of Behavioral and Health Sciences
Annual Academic Awards Presentation

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Follow-up Reception: 4:00–4:30 p.m.
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Greetings .......................................................... Dr. Harold D. Whiteside
                                            Dean, College of Behavioral and Health Sciences

Master of Ceremonies .................................................. Dr. Barbara Turnage
                                        Interim Associate Dean, College of Behavioral and Health Sciences

Presentation of Awards ............................................ Department Representatives and Scholarship Donors

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Social Work
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2019 Senior Honor Students
(scholastic average 3.75–4.0)

Criminal Justice Administration ............................................ Presented by Dr. Lance Selva, Department Chair

Fayz K. Albaqami  Sierra B. Coffee  Benjamin R. Sartin  Mitchell A. Swope
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Nate’ G. Burford  Zachary L. Hutchinson  Savannah J. Starbuck  

Health and Human Performance ............................................ Presented by Dr. Doug Winborn, Interim Department Chair

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Human Sciences ................................................................. Presented by Ms. Deborah Belcher, Department Chair

Anastasia L. Barrett  Jenny Franklin  Rebekah I. Miller  Alison H. Taylor
Carmen E. Bell  Kaitlyn D. Gilliam  Lauren M. Minster  Imani L. Taylor
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Alexandra N. Davis  Carmel F. MacKrell  Stephanie L. Smith  Miquela L. Williams
Charlotte A. Dickerson  McKenzie E. McKnight  McKenna B. Stinnett  Jericho D. Yates
# 2019 Senior Honor Students
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Presented by Dr. Seth Marshall
Presented by Dr. Cathy McElderry, Department Chair
Scholars Week Awards

Outstanding Poster Presentations
Presented by Dr. Thomas Brinthaupt, Professor, Department of Psychology

Undergraduate Students
First Prize..........................................................Daniela Vega Little
Human Sciences
Relationships between Skin Carotenoids, Body Mass Index, and Fruit/Vegetable Intake

Second Prize...........................................................Tahirah Qadir
Allison Poteete
Macy Taylor
Melissa Davis
Felicia Pursley
Garvita Thareja
Health and Human Performance
The Relationship between Feeling Unsafe at School and Depression among Tennessee High School Students

Third Prize.............................................................Tatum England
Destine Gilliland
Abike Egbeniyi
Miaya Edward
Garvita Thareja
Health and Human Performance
Examining the Relationship between Bullying and Suicide in High Schools

Graduate Students
First Prize...........................................................Chanell Haley
Sarah Patrick
Health and Human Performance
Exploring the Complexity and Treatment Implications of the Bidirectional Relationship between Symptoms of Mental Illness and Chronic Disease Progression in a Rare Disease Population
Second Prize

Mohammed HutHut Alqahtani
Brandy Palmer Gagliano
Health and Human Performance
What Every Community Should Consider Before Entering Into an
eSport Sponsorship Agreement: A Practitioner Perspective

College of Behavioral and Health Science Scholarships

William and Peggy Harrell Scholarships

Ramona Heimann
Kaylee Lindgren
Georgey Weisman

Pam Wright Future Leaders Scholarship

Ashik Abro
Alexis Conley
Pinkie Fossett
Ryan McDonald
LaCarrie Ojong
Jeremy Pannell
Jordan Plumb
Seneka Robertson
Kyana Watson
Elli Wilson

John Floyd Endowed Scholarships

Allante Brice
Cole Buffalini
Cassie Kennedy
Blake Lankford

Departmental Scholarships

Criminal Justice Administration

RBJ Campbelle Jr. Scholarship

Kendall Denney
Ryan Meguiar

Frank Lee Criminal Justice Scholarship

Robert Alsup
Seth Wilson

Health and Human Performance

Leona Drake HPERS Scholarship

Tatum England
Tatum England

Presented by Dr. Doug Winborn

Presented by Dr. Barbara Turnage, Interim Associate Dean

Presented by Crystal Ellis and Daughan Keener, Advisors,
College of Behavioral and Health Sciences

Presented by Dr. Colby Jubenville, Director,
CBHS Center for Student Coaching and Success
Tommie Reynolds HPERS Scholarship ................................................................. Samantha Sikes  
  Presented by Dr. Doug Winborn

Nancy Hill Robertson Scholarship ................................................................. Ka’lon Slaughter  
  Presented by Dr. Doug Winborn

Dr. Scott H. Colclough Endowed Scholarship ................................................. Jessica Clukey  
  Presented by Dr. Scott H. Colclough

Janice and David Arnold Scholarship ............................................................. Christine VanBuskirk  
  Presented by Dr. Rebecca Fischer

Dr. Bertha Smith Clark Exemplary Student Award ........................................ Dayna Laroue  
  Presented by Dr. Frances Gibson

Dr. Kay Garrard Academic Leadership Award ................................................ Hannah Berthelson  
  Presented by Dr. Kathryn Blankenship

Melanie Stacey Clinical Award ...................................................................... Rebecca Baker  
  Presented by Dr. Rebecca Fischer

Athletic Training Outstanding Major ............................................................. Dillon Douglass  
  Presented by Dr. Helen Binkley

Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Outstanding Major ..................... Hannah Spurlock  
  Presented by Dr. Kathryn Blankenship

Exercise Science Outstanding Major .............................................................. Jon-Thomas Neely  
  Presented by Dr. Richard Farley

Community and Public Health Outstanding Major ......................................... Alexis Sims  
  Presented by Mrs. Shannon Josey

Physical Education Outstanding Major ........................................................... Chris Webb  
  Presented by Dr. Tina Hall

Leisure, Sport, and Tourism Studies Outstanding Major ................................. Will Mitchell  
  Presented by Dr. Nicky Wu

Outstanding Master’s Graduate Assistant ...................................................... Rawsam Alasmar  
  Presented by Dr. Beverly Clanton
Outstanding Doctoral Graduate Assistant .......................................................... Cody Sivley
  Presented by Dr. Beverly Clanton

**Human Sciences**

Albert and Ethel Carver Smith Scholarships .................................................. Alyssa Poythress
  Presented by Dr. Elizabeth Smith

Monica Westfield

Rachel Woeltje

Rita Davenport Scholarship .............................................................................. Maegan Harris
  Presented by Dr. Elizabeth Smith

Carmen Bell

Annaleigh Bivens

Charlotte Dickerson

Jowan Kujilo

Imani Taylor

Diamond Williams

Roddy Memorial Scholarships ........................................................................... Carmen Bell
  Presented by Ms. Dana Miller

Annaleigh Bivens

Charlotte Dickerson

Jowan Kujilo

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Diamond Williams

Ernestine Reeder Scholarship ........................................................................... Nicole Odle
  Presented by Ms. Dana Miller

Lucy Dye Scholarship ...................................................................................... Jennifer Curtis
  Presented by Dr. Rick Cottle

Adams Family Scholarship .............................................................................. Mari-Claire Crass
  Presented by Dr. Rick Cottle

Outstanding Seniors in Child Development and Family Studies ......................... Jasmine Carney
  Presented by Dr. Claire Cook

Jenny Franklin

Marneicia Watson

Outstanding Senior in Interior Design ............................................................... Elizabeth Hardison
  Presented by Ms. Deborah Belcher

MTSU Student Chapter ASID/IIDA Outstanding Senior ..................................... Madelyn Moody
  Presented by Ms. Deborah Belcher

Outstanding Senior in Nutrition and Food Science ........................................... Mallory Rouse
  Presented by Dr. Lisa Sheehan-Smith
Dellmar Walker Scholarship for Outstanding Dietetics Seniors ...........................................Kecia Caldwell
Presented by Dr. Lisa Sheehan-Smith
Korissa Hobbs

Student Nutrition and Dietetic Association Outstanding Seniors .....................................Melissa Austin
Presented by Dr. Lisa Sheehan-Smith
Anna Cortez

Outstanding Seniors in TXMD Apparel Design .................................................................McKenzie Hosale
Presented by Dr. Lauren Rudd
Mckenna Stinnett

Outstanding Senior in TXMD Fashion Merchandising .....................................................Jana Pehrson
Presented by Dr. Lauren Rudd

**Psychology**

Outstanding Clinical Graduate Student .................................................................Mary Hawkins
Presented by Dr. James C. Tate

Outstanding Experimental Psychology Graduate Student .............................................Kara Wilson
Presented by Dr. Seth Marshall

Outstanding Quantitative Psychology Graduate Students ..............................................Corey France
Presented by Dr. Ying Jin
Isaac Yi

Outstanding School Psychology Graduate Student .....................................................Meghan Bentley
Presented by Dr. James Rust

Outstanding Graduate Teaching Assistants ..............................................................Molly Boyce
Presented by Dr. Kim Ujcich Ward
James Parker

Elizabeth Wright Memorial Award ...........................................................................Jensen Still
Presented by Dr. James C. Tate

Larry W. Morris Outstanding Senior in Psychology ......................................................Samantha Eisenberg
Presented by Dr. Seth Marshall

Robert E. Prytula Memorial Scholarship
Outstanding Graduate Student in Psychology .........................................................Christopher Ryan Bearden
Presented by Dr. Glenn Littlepage

Willard A. Kerr Award of Excellence
Outstanding Senior in Industrial/Organizational Psychology .........................................Dean Workman
Presented by Dr. Richard Moffett
Willard A. Kerr Award of Excellence
Outstanding Industrial/Organizational Psychology Graduate Students.......................... Courtney Allen
Presented by Dr. Richard Moffett
Christina Green

Beryl West Psi Chi Award........................................................................................................Kaitlyn Berry
Presented by Dr. Tom Brinthaupt

Tyler A. Schultz Memorial Scholarship ................................................................. Demetrius Richardson
Presented by Dr. Richard Moffett

Social Work
Marion Clark Scholarships (B.S.W.)............................................................................. Destiny Brown
Presented by Dr. Ariana Postlethwait
Kennedy Espey
Shayla Ingram
Kaitlyn Johansen
Kaylee Lindgren
DeAndra Lockett
Grace Meador

Marion Clark Scholarships (B.S.W.)........................................................................... Alyssa Nielsson
Presented by Dr. Nikki Jones
Erika Solano
David Stephens
Kathleen Warner

Marion Clark Scholarships (M.S.W.)........................................................................ Megan Davenport
Presented by Dr. Nikki Jones
Jasmine Reyes
Linda Williams

Dale Seime Scholarship ................................................................................................. Anthony Montgomery
Presented by Dr. Margaret Fontanesi-Seime

Outstanding B.S.W. Student.................................................................................. Augusta E. Hyberger
Presented by Dr. Cathy Mc Elderry

Outstanding M.S.W. Student .................................................................................. Lisa Hattaway
Presented by Dr. Cathy Mc Elderry

Nursing
The School of Nursing will hold their Graduation Recognition Ceremony on Friday, May 3, 2019.
The College of Behavioral and Health Sciences would like to extend our thanks to the following departments and personnel for their help with making this ceremony a success:

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