Texas Tech University
College of Engineering
Honors Convocation

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2008

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HONORS CONVOCATION

Welcome

Dr. Pamela Eibeck
Dean, College of Engineering

Keynote Speaker
Don Nilson
Director F-35 System Engineering and Air System Design
Lockheed Martin

RECOGNITION OF SCHOLARS

Honorary Engineering Scholars

Outstanding Engineering Scholars

Distinguished Engineering Scholars

Exceptional Engineering Scholars

McAuley Award Presentation

Recognition of Faculty

Closing Remarks

* Most nominated faculty members by students
HONORARY ENGINEERING SCHOLARS
3.5 TO 3.69 GRADE POINT AVERAGE

Jenna Acker
Paul Aghili
Robert Anderson
Steven Applegate
Jeffrey Bailey
James Baumgartner
Seth Berry
Levi Blackstone
Alisha Bloodworth
Michelle Boit
Charles Bowen
James-William Bragg
Brian Butcher
Jon-Michael Capuccio
Matt Case
Michael Cast
Beau Chambers
Ryan Conklin
Andrew Courter
Corey Culp
Christopher Cunningham
Shane Darnell
Sanjana Datta
Cyrille Defeu
Thomas Elliott
Douglas Fields
Andrew Fierro
Grant Ford
Brittani Francke
Nizar Ghneim
Steven Giustino
Matthew Gommel
Michael Grimm
David Hart
Adam Hawley
Jerrel Hill
Douglas Hills
Aaron Hobratschk
Robert Hutchison
Ryan Janssen
Gregory John
Joshua Johnson
Aaron Kelton
Chase King
Brian Kinney
Seth Kraal
Orlando Loera
Tim Logan
Meredith Macha
Thomas Maples
Ryan McAuliffe
Brendan McInnes
Ben McWhorter
Nathan Meyer
Chris Middleton
Preston Mitchener
David Morales
Blake Morpew
Gregory Morris
Tk Morris
Michael Morse
Theodore Naicker
Jeffery Napier
Chad O’Connor
Manuel Ortega
Trey Porter
Heath Posey
Gary Roberts
Brandon Rosenbaum
Nathan Sandoval
Mindy Namiko Sawyer
Kylor Schlaht
Philip Seely
Christopher Seman
Caleb Stevenson
Donaldo Suazo
William Sullivan
Homer Torres
Christopher Towery
Darlington Ukwu
Anthony Wahlheim
Jacob Waide
Jeffrey Ward
Ryan Warmke
Matthew Whitaker
Jeremy White
Matthew Wilhelm
OUTSTANDING ENGINEERING SCHOLARS
3.7 TO 3.89 GRADE POINT AVERAGE

Eric Beutlich
Trevor Bishop
Terri Branham
Joseph Brosig
Tucker Brown
Chris Bryson
Jordan Cox
Adam Crane
Daniel Dameron
Jeffrey David
Hiroko Doen
Kaleb Free
Thomas Frisbie
Richard Greyson Geer
Shea Gentry
Jeffrey Goodman
Stacey Grantham
Zachary Gross
Hector Guardado
Jason Gurnea
Mark Harding
Wiley Haydon
Benjamin Hayes
Matthew Hershey
Daniel Houchin
Abell Irlbeck
Nathan Johnson-Williams
Wesley Kennedy
Ashley Lefler
John Lovell
Zachary Luikens
Ha-Andza Mabunda
Casey Meeks
Christopher Meisner
Jay Parnell
Caleb Peterson
Emily Rogers
Timothy Sansone
Brodie Savage
Jeffrey Scribner
Jessica Sisneroz
Colby Sites
Cale Smith
Daniel Steves
Adam Sweney
Lacey Taylor
Tyler Thompson
Ulrika Van Niekerk
Ryan Warren
John Watson
Stuart Williams
Robert Wiseman
Allison Zachry
Peng Zhao
DISTINGUISHED ENGINEERING SCHOLARS
3.9 TO 3.99 GRADE POINT AVERAGE

Robert Biddy
Aaron Birtell
Amy Brewer
Jason Durbin
Adrian Escudero
Caleb Francis
Erin Frantz
Mark Gant
Tracy Giles
Brian Gleitz
Jonathan Harper
Nathan Holder
Stephen Johnson

Jacob Johnson
Megan Kenney
Jennifer Mccracken
Suzanne McDonald
Elizabeth Mhlanga
Julie Rice
Matthew Roth
Brian Sager
Abel Salazar
Adriel Schoenhals
Maanisaad Shahriar
John Standard
Travis Turnbull

EXCEPTIONAL ENGINEERING SCHOLARS
4.0 GRADE POINT AVERAGE

Aaron Adcock
Jonathan Ball
Robert Berry
Kori Boyer
Ronnie Buckaloo
Todd Buckingham
Dusty Burger
Jared Casey
Jonathan Dover
Amy Fleischmann
Amanda Gordon
Dain Johnson
Forrest Jones

Matthew Kerr
Michael Klausing
Sibi Mathew
Kevin McBride
Lindsey McDaniel
Timothy Monday
Alex Pearson
Adam Siegel
Aubrey Spear
Adam Stroud
David Trujillo
Blake Webb
THE JAMES A. “JIM” MCAULEY DISTINGUISHED ENGINEERING STUDENT AWARD

The Texas Tech University College of Engineering Dean’s Council is the sponsor of the McAuley Distinguished Engineering Student Award. This prestigious award recognizes the most outstanding graduating TTU engineering student. The recipient possesses superior academic credentials and personal values, and has displayed a high degree of professionalism.

The McAuley Award is given in memory of Jim McAuley – Texas Tech alumnus, member of the College of Engineering Dean’s Council, Distinguished Engineer, educator, and positive influence on those whose lives he touched.

Those who knew Jim McAuley best, his employees and associates, had only high praise for his ability and integrity. By placing the interests of those who work for and with him first, and by setting and maintaining the highest standards of ethics and moral character for himself, he earned their loyalty and respect. Mr. McAuley possessed an endless sense of humor as well as the determination and natural leadership abilities necessary in the business world.

McAuley graduated from Texas Tech with a degree in petroleum engineering in 1953, and served with several oil companies before becoming president of Halliburton Resource Management, initiating company involvement in oil field service rentals. He founded ENOPCO (Energy Operating Corporation) in 1977, and served on the board of directors of other oil and gas-related companies.

A native of Andrews, Texas, McAuley attended Texas Tech on a basketball scholarship. In his later years, he was a lecturer in the Petroleum Engineering department at TTU. He held several patents for drilling- and production-related technology and was involved in research for removing hydrogen sulfide from produced well streams.

2008 MCAULEY AWARD RECIPIENT

Travis Turnbull

MCAULEY AWARD FINALISTS

Alisha Bloodworth
Tracy Giles
Adriel Schoenhals
Stuart Williams
RECOGNITION OF FACULTY

Rajesh Khare Chemical Engineering
Dr. Ted Wiesner Chemical Engineering
Dr. Amuri Gurley Civil & Environmental Engineering
Dr. Audra Morse Civil & Environmental Engineering
Phil Nash Civil & Environmental Engineering
Dr. Charles Newhouse Civil & Environmental Engineering
Dr. Scott Norville Civil & Environmental Engineering
Dr. Ayrton Bernussi Electrical & Computer Engineering
Dr. Ron Cox Electrical & Computer Engineering
Dr. Richard Gale Electrical & Computer Engineering
Dr. Brian Nutter Electrical & Computer Engineering
Dr. Hamed Sari-Saaraf Electrical & Computer Engineering
Dr. Mark Storrs Electrical & Computer Engineering
Dr. Tom Trost Electrical & Computer Engineering
Dr. Sudqi Alayyan Engineering Technology
Dr. Milton Smith Industrial Engineering
Dr. Harold Bennett Mathematics
Dr. Ed Anderson Mechanical Engineering
Jeff Fisher Mechanical Engineering
Dr. Seon Han Mechanical Engineering
Dr. Javad Hashemi Mechanical Engineering
Dr. Darryl James Mechanical Engineering
Dr. Tim Maxwell Mechanical Engineering
Andrew Mosedale Mechanical Engineering
Dr. Walt Oler Mechanical Engineering
Dr. Michelle Pantoya Mechanical Engineering
Dr. Jahan Rasty Mechanical Engineering
Dr. Waylon House Petroleum Engineering
Dr. Shameem Siddiqui Petroleum Engineering
Shelli Crockett Director of Career Services & Study Abroad