

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

WELCOME Dr. Yehia Mechref

FACULTY RECOGNITIONS

-Goldwater Scholars Faculty Mentor Award (CUR) Dr. Dominick Casadonte

-2021 Outstanding Faculty Mentor Award
2021 Susan Talkmitt STEM Motivator Award Dr. Gerardo Gamez

-2021 Outstanding Researcher by the
Office of Research and Innovation Dr. Haibo Ge

-2021 A&S Excellence in Research Award
(natural and physical sciences)
Tenure & Promotion to Associate Professor Dr. Michael Latham

-2021 Professing Excellence Award Dr. Manoj Manna

-Promotion to Professor Dr. Jorge Morales

--2021 Chancellor's Council Distinguished Teaching Award
2021 Professing Excellence Award Dr. Dimitri Pappas

-2021 President's Excellence in Teaching Award Dr. Bill Poirier

STAFF AWARDS

Staff Appreciation Award – Administrative
Unsung Hero Top Award- Raiders Who Rock Quentin Vaughn

Staff Appreciation Award – Technical Dr. Piotr Dobrowolski

GRADUATE STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

Chemistry Graduate Student Organization
Mahtab Beikzadeh
Aneelman Brar
Jacob Culvyhouse
Kevin Finch
Sophia Sagala

Ginny Shen Lin Endowed Scholarship
(*2 Divisional Winners)
Reza Amani
Andrew Cho*
Xiaodan Ding
Ashley Moreno-Gongora
Evan Van Aalst
Dong Zhang*

Ming Sun Family Graduate Research Scholarship

Reza Amani
Deepika Bedi
Andrew Cho
Chamila Manankandayalage
Ashley Moreno-Gongora
Samiur Rahman
Dong Zhang
Qixuan Zheng

Pearson TA Scholarship

Vanessa Charles
Kevin Finch
Henry Garcia
Nicholas LaRoe
Saman Majeed
Yue She

Robert Goodin Graduate RA Fellowship

Liulei Ma

GRADUATE STUDENT AWARDS

Song Prize

Xue Dong
Shiva Moaven

Graduate School 2021 Doctoral Dissertation Completion Fellowship

Bhumika Jayee

Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award in:

General Chemistry (Spring 2020) General Chemistry (Fall 2020)

Henry Garcia
Yue She

Organic Chemistry (Spring 2020) Organic Chemistry (Fall 2020)

Mazen Elsaid
Aneelman Brar

Upper-Division Chemistry 2020

Chitranjan Srivastav
Evan Van Aalst



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AWARDS AND RECOGNITION BANQUET

May 4th, 2021

6 p.m. to 8 p.m.