The School of Graduate Studies

congratulates the following 2020 Graduate Awards Ceremony awardees:

College of Arts and Sciences

Friends of Art Best MA Paper Award
Mia Hafer - *Art History and Art*

Friends of Art Best PhD Paper Award
Alexandra Kaczenski - *Art History and Art*

Friends of Art Best Overall Performance by a Graduate Student Award
Kylie Fisher - *Art History and Art*

Arthur Adrian and Roger B. Solomon Dissertation Fellowship
Leah Davydov - *English*

Neil MacIntyre Prize
Brita Thielen - *English*

Timothy Calhoun Memorial Prize for Poetry
Garret Waugh - *English* First Place
Brita Thielen - *English* Second Place

Kathryn Karipides Award for Excellence in Teaching
Yuting Zhao - *Dance*

Cleveland Arts Prize: Kathryn Karipides Scholarship in Modern Dance
Katie Nabors - *Dance*

Dumitru and Gheorghe D. Mateescu Graduate Student Citizenship Award
Naishka Caldero Rodríguez - *Chemistry*
Kai Wang - *Chemistry*

Charles F Mabery Award for Best Thesis in Chemistry
  Sameera Wickramasinghe - *Chemistry*

Adel Heinrich Award
  Sophie Benn - *Music*

Donald K. Freedheim Award for an Outstanding Contribution to Clinical Service
  Eleanor Beale - *Psychological Sciences*
  Alexandra Smith - *Psychological Sciences*

Diversity, Culture, and Community Award
  Alexandra Piedra - *Psychological Sciences*

Instructional Excellent to Undergrads
  Allison Baier - *Psychological Sciences*
  Sarah Danzo - *Psychological Sciences*

Jane Kessler Award for Outstanding Clinical Teaching (4th year)
  Alexandra Smith - *Psychological Sciences*

Sarah Cain Spannagel Graduate Student Award
  Ellen Doernberg - *Psychological Sciences*

Morris Parloff Award for an Outstanding Contribution to Clinical Research
  Alexandra Klein - *Psychological Sciences*

School of Engineering

The 2020 Graduate Research Award in Memory of Xiaoyang Zhao
  Wohan Cui - *Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering*
  Kaiyu Deng - *Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering*
  Cho-Ning Huang - *Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering*
  Fenfen Wang - *Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering*

Civil Engineering Student Leadership Award
  Maryam Mortazavi - *Civil and Environmental Engineering*

Craig J. Miller Memorial Award
  Kuan Huang - *Civil and Environmental Engineering*
  Xijin Zhang - *Civil and Environmental Engineering*

Kenneth M. Haber Award
      Ram Mazumder - *Civil and Environmental Engineering*

Richard and Opal Vanderhoof Award
      Patricia Cheng - *Civil and Environmental Engineering*
      Isabel Rose McLeod - *Civil and Environmental Engineering*

Roy Harley Prize
      Xudong Fan - *Civil and Environmental Engineering*
      Eli Rose - *Civil and Environmental Engineering*

Frances Payne Bolton School of Nursing

Dean's Legacy Award
      Christine Horvat Davey - *Nursing*
      Elizabeth Williams - *Nursing*

Marie Haug Award
      Tyrone Hamler - *Social Welfare*
      Polina Ermoshkina - *Sociology*

Jack, Joseph and Morton Mandel School of Applied Social Sciences

Arol Shack Award
      June-Yung Kim - *Social Welfare*

School of Medicine

Herbert S. Steuer Award for Excellence in Anatomy
      Bradley Krapes - *Anatomy*
      Yanzhi Yang - *Anatomy*

Lester O. Krampitz Award
      Mette Johansen, PhD - *Molecular Biology and Microbiology*

Arthur F.W. Hughes Award
      Justine Ngo - *Integrated Biomedicl Sciences*

Charlotte Smith Award
      Andrea Rutger - *Nutrition*

Doctoral Excellence Award

    Leah Zagore - *Biochemistry*
    Nathaniel Braman - *Biomedical Engineering*
    Uriel Kim - *Clinical Translational Science*
    Andrew Morton - *Genetics and Genome Sciences*
    Tyler Alban - *Molecular Medicine*
    Taylor Jay - *Neurosciences*
    Tristan de Jesus - *Pathology*
    Wilnelly Hernandez-Sanchez - *Pharmacology*
    W. Michael Babinchak - *Physiology and Biophysics*
    Daniel Ontaneda - *Population and Quantitative Health Sciences*
    Zachary Stanfield - *Systems Biology and Bioinformatics*

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Graduate Student Appreciation Award

    Jason Falkofsky - *Music*
    Courtney Hershberger - *Molecular Medicine*
    Anna Miller - *Genetics & Genome Sciences*
    Reed O'Mara - *Art History and Art*
    Erin Phelps - *Sociology*
    Lydia Raines - *Pathology*
    Carson Smith - *Pathology*
    Stephanie Swedik - *Molecular Biology and Microbiology*
    Madison Teuscher - *Music*
    Julie Zhou - *Pathology*

Graduate Dean's Instructional Excellence Award

    Philip Derbesy - *English*
    Michael Douglass - *Biomedical Engineering*
    Michael King - *Psychological Sciences*
    Ricardo Monge Neria - *Physics*
    Colette Ngana - *Sociology*
    Brita Thielen - *English*

Lenore A Kola Graduate Student Community Service Award

    Aaron McPeck - *Music*

Ruth Barber Moon Award
   Yifan Dai - *Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering*
   Brandon Gregoire - *Dance*
   Klaountia Pasmatsiou - *Physics*
   Jacob Rivera - *Sociology*

Richard A. Zdanis Research Fellowship Award
   Alex Rothbaum - *Psychological Sciences*

John S. Diekhoff Award to Faculty

John S. Diekhoff Award to Faculty for Excellence in Teaching
   Karen Potter, MFA - *Professor and Chair, Dance*
   James Spilsbury, PhD, MPH - *Associate Professor, Population and Quantitative Health Sciences*

John S. Diekhoff Award to Faculty for Excellence in Mentoring
   Eva Kahana, PhD - *Distinguished University Professor, and Robson Professor of Sociology, Humanities, Applied Social Sciences, Nursing, and Medicine*
   Anant Madabhushi, PhD - *F. Alex Nason Professor II, Biomedical Engineering*

Congratulations to

all of our

Award Winners!