

Awards

Awards Ceremony

Boyer College of Music and Dance

Rock Hall Auditorium

Wednesday, May 13, 2009, 5:00 p.m.

PROGRAM

Prelude

Boyer College String Quartet

Yevgeniy Dyo, *violin*

Noah Luft-Weissberg, *violin*

Heather Wright, *viola*

Regina Golovina, *cello*

Welcoming Remarks

Robert T. Stroker, Dean

Faculty Greetings

Arthur D. Chodoroff, Chair

Boyer College Collegial Assembly

Presentation of Awards

Postlude

Boyer College String Quartet

PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

DAVID STONE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Presented in memory of Dr. David Stone, founding dean of our College, to a member of the junior class who will be a senior next year and who has been at Temple for three years with a high grade point average.

Awarded to Jarek P. Ervin.

DR. JEFFREY CORNELIUS TRIBUTE FUND

Presented in honor of Dr. Jeffrey Cornelius, former dean of our College, to a music student of exceptional promise as determined by the dean and faculty of Boyer College.

Awarded to William F. Dougherty by Professor Jeffrey Cornelius.

FRANCES HUTTON MEMORIAL AWARD

The Frances Hutton Memorial Award, established in 2001, honors the memory of Frances Hutton, a friend and supporter of Boyer College for many years, by recognizing an undergraduate or graduate music student who has given an outstanding service to the College.

Awarded to Julia Alford-Fowler by Dean Robert Stroker.

BOYER COLLEGE ALUMNI AWARD

Presented by the alumni to a graduating senior of unusual musical talent who has achieved a high scholastic average during the four years of baccalaureate study.

Awarded to Reese Arthur Revak by Regina Gordon, President, Boyer College Alumni Association.

ROBERT PAGE GRADUATE CHORAL CONDUCTING SCHOLARSHIP

Established by alumni and friends of Robert Page, who directed Temple University choirs for nearly two decades.

Awarded to John Schnelle by Regina Gordon, President, Boyer College Alumni Association Board.

ESTHER BOYER GRISWOLD VOICE AND OPERA AWARD

Presented to a student who has attained excellence in performance and scholarship, and who is continuing in the graduate program.

Awarded to Meghan Welsh and David Koh by Professor Christine Anderson.

ELSE FINK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Established by her sister Martha Shapiro, friends, and faculty of Boyer College of Music and Dance, this annual award is presented to an outstanding junior in the Department of Vocal Instruction.

Awarded to John McCarthy by Professor Christine Anderson.

FLORENCE BERGGREN VOICE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Presented annually to a student selected by the Voice Department chair, in consultation with the department and the dean on the basis of academic excellence, hard work and determination.

Awarded to Bryan DeSilva by Professor Christine Anderson.

PROFESSOR KLARA B. MEYERS TRIBUTE SCHOLARSHIP

Established by music alumna Anita Fay Brown, and supported by numerous friends and alumni, in honor of Professor Klara B. Meyers, to a talented music student chosen by the faculty and the dean.

Awarded to Angela Devine by Professor Christine Anderson.

MORTON C. MEYERS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Given to an outstanding student in the Voice/Opera Department as recommended by the department chair to the dean.

Awarded to Ryan Connelly by Professor Christine Anderson.

PROFESSOR ROBERT GROOTERS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a promising voice student who reflects high personal and professional standards and is nominated by the faculty to the dean.

Awarded to Grant Uhle by Professor Christine Anderson.

RICHARD M. DURIS SCHOLARSHIP FOR EXCELLENCE IN CLASSICAL MUSIC

Honors the memory of Richard M. Duris, music librarian at Temple University for nearly thirty years.

Awarded to Lauren Forbes by Jacqueline and Elizabeth Duris.

EDRIE FERDUN EMERGING SCHOLAR AWARD

Honors a current Doctor of Philosophy student in dance who has demonstrated a high level of scholarship through exceptional work in doctoral-level coursework during the academic year.

Awarded to Tanya Calamoneri by Professor Merián Soto.

EDRIE FERDUN SCHOLARLY ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Honors a current Doctor of Philosophy student in dance who has demonstrated exceptional achievement through a professional publication and/or presentation during the academic year.

Awarded to Jennifer Conley by Professor Merián Soto.

SARAH HILSENDAGER EMERGING EDUCATOR AWARD

Honors a current Master of Education student who has demonstrated exceptional promise as a dance educator during the academic year.

Awarded to Maria Spizuoco by Professor Merián Soto.

SARAH HILSENDAGER PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR AWARD

Honors a current Master of Education student who has made a significant contribution as a dance educator during the academic year.

Awarded to Magira Ross by Professor Merián Soto.

TERESA BENZWIE DANCE IN EDUCATION AWARD

Established in 2005 by dance alumna Dr. Teresa Benzwie to support students who have shown a commitment to educational environments and/or community-based programs which foster children's active engagement in learning through movement.

Award to be announced by Professor Merián Soto.

ROSE VERNICK ARTISTIC TRANSFORMATION AWARD

Honors a current Master of Fine Arts student who has demonstrated exceptional progress in choreography during the academic year.

Awarded to Dina-Verley Sabb-Mills by Professor Merián Soto.

ROSE VERNICK CHOREOGRAPHIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Honors a current Master of Fine Arts student for exceptional achievement in a choreographic work during the academic year.

Awarded to Jimena Alviar by Professor Merián Soto.

ROSE VERNICK MOST PROMISING PERFORMER AWARD

Honors a graduating Bachelor of Fine Arts student who has demonstrated excellence in dance performance during the academic year.

Awarded to Stephanie Padilla by Professor Merián Soto.

ROSE VERNICK BFA CHOREOGRAPHY AWARD

Honors a graduating Bachelor of Fine Arts student who has demonstrated excellence in choreography during the academic year.

Awarded to Shaness Kemp and Scott Park by Professor Merián Soto.

ROSE VERNICK SCHOLAR AWARD

Honors a current Bachelor of Fine Arts student who has demonstrated excellence in overall academic achievement during the academic year.

Awarded to Gina Hoch-Stall by Professor Merián Soto.

FRANCES BOWDEN SCHOLARSHIP FOR UNDERGRADUATE DANCE MAJORS

Established by the Department of Dance upon the retirement of Frances Bowden after 22 years as faculty to honor her and her service to the department, University and students. The purpose of this endowment fund is to provide scholarship support, specifically, to recruit and retain undergraduate dance majors of high performance and/or choreographic ability as demonstrated through entrance auditions and/or progress through the department.

Awarded to Cassandra Cotta by Professor Merián Soto.

ANNI BAKER SCHOLARSHIP IN MUSIC THERAPY

Awarded for outstanding abilities as a performing musician, academic excellence in music therapy, outstanding potential for clinical work in music therapy as demonstrated in fieldwork and internship experiences, and for evidence of commitment to the field through participation in student organizations and service-oriented activities.

Awarded to Jillian Argue by Professor Kenneth Aigen.

OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT AWARD IN MUSIC THERAPY

Given to an undergraduate music therapy major for outstanding musical and academic achievement, and demonstrated potential for clinical work in the field.

Awarded to Jessica Lapp by Professor Kenneth Aigen.

MUSIC THERAPY RESEARCH AWARD

Given to a graduate music therapy student who has demonstrated excellence in research.

Awarded to Yadira Albornoz and John Carpeno by Professor Kenneth Aigen.

JOANNE CARDILLO MEMORIAL AWARD IN MUSIC THERAPY

Given annually to support a music therapy student at Temple. The award is given by Vincent Cardillo, in memory of his wife Joanne, who was helped during her final hours through music therapy.

Awarded to Michael Viega by Professor Kenneth Aigen.

OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION TO THE FIELD OF MUSIC THERAPY AWARD

Given to a graduate student who has made significant contributions to the discipline and profession of music therapy.

Awarded to Roberta Kagin by Professor Kenneth Aigen.

ESTHER M. SCHULTZ AWARD

Presented in honor of Mrs. Esther M. Schultz, Temple University graduate and friend of Boyer College of Music and Dance, to an outstanding undergraduate for excellence in music and outstanding service to the Temple University Concert Choir.

Awarded to Anthony Gault by Professor Alan Harler.

FRANCES G. LUMSDEN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Established in 2006 by Barbara and Larry Magid in memory of Barbara's grandmother, who received her BS in education from Temple University in 1932, this scholarship is awarded to students who have demonstrated a high standard of academic achievement.

Awarded to Emily N. Daubert by Professor Janet Yamron.

MILLARD E. GLADFELTER SCHOLARSHIP

Established in Boyer College of Music and Dance for a senior with high scholarship, demonstrated need, and exceptional professional promise.

Awarded to Yemonja Stanley by Professor Janet Yamron.

PRESSER UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLAR AWARD

Presented to an outstanding student who has earned high scholarship honors. Chosen by the president and the dean.

Awarded to Cory Anderson by Professor Janet Yamron.

JAMES H. AND ETHEL L. M. BEACH BOOK AWARD

Presented to a deserving undergraduate student majoring in music performance or music education, who has maintained a 3.0 grade point average or higher.

Awarded to Rachel Surden by Jacqueline B. Faulcon and Professor Janet Yamron.

ELAINE BROWN TRIBUTE AWARD

Presented by alumni to a second-year graduate student in choral conducting who most reflects the musicianship, dedication to excellence, and humanitarianism which have distinguished the career of Dr. Elaine Brown.

Awarded to Ryan Mullaney by Professor Janet Yamron.

GERALD S. WINGENROTH ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

Established in 1996 by Gerald S. Wingenroth, who received his Master of Music Education degree from Temple University in 1981, this award is presented to a deserving music student.

Awarded to Michele Conaboy.

WILLIAM A. SINGER MEMORIAL AWARD

Awarded to a first-year graduate student who has attained academic excellence and shown considerable potential for continued work at the graduate level.

Awarded to Andrew Leland by Dean Edward Flanagan.

WES BENSON SCHOLARSHIP

In association with the Hanoi Conservatory of Music. Awarded to a Vietnamese instrumentalist or pianist with great potential.

Awarded to Quang Tran by Dean Edward Flanagan.

DAVID M. KATZ SCHOLARSHIP

Established by family and friends in memory of David M. Katz and awarded to a jazz studies major whose musicianship best exemplifies a high level of personal and professional promise.

Awarded to Marcell Bellinger, Marsha Bowe, Lucas Brandon, Najwa Parkins, and Tal Shtuhl by Dean Edward Flanagan.

BOBBY ROBERTS SCHOLARSHIP

Established through the generosity of friends of Philadelphia band leader Bobby Roberts to honor his memory, recognizes a student for outstanding achievement in jazz studies.

Awarded to Daniel Janklow by Dean Edward Flanagan.

IRVING BERLIN SCHOLARSHIP

Established in 1955 by Irving Berlin, HON '54, to provide scholarships to students in the Boyer College of Music.

Awarded to Mary Callahan and Katherine Jin Kim by Dean Edward Flanagan.

STUART J. BEST (1973) MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Established in 2000 by Lucy Pinkston to provide scholarships for freshman clarinet students who have demonstrated academic achievement and financial need.

Awarded to Eric Lebrun and Amy Wilder by Dean Edward Flanagan.

DOUTY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

Established in 1979 by the Alfred and Mary Foundation to provide scholarships for Boyer College of Music students.

Awarded to Philip Wieszczyk by Dean Edward Flanagan.

DR. ARTHUR BENNETT LIPKIN MEMORIAL FUND

Established in 1974 by his wife, Mary Lipkin, to provide scholarships for Boyer College of Music students.

Awarded to Ekaterina Kalinina by Dean Edward Flanagan.

WILLIAM E. AND CARMEN T. MIDDLEBERG SCHOLARSHIP

Established in 1998 by a bequest from William T. Middleberg to provide scholarships for music education students who have demonstrated academic achievement.

Awarded to Emily Daubert and Catherine Fish by Dean Edward Flanagan.

FRED SCHRADER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Established in 1984 by a bequest from Helen Elizabeth Schrader, SBM'30, to provide scholarships for students who are majoring in either trombone or violin.

Awarded to Chu Young Kim by Dean Edward Flanagan.

SIDNEY AND MINDELLE WEINBERG VOICE SCHOLARSHIP

Established in 2000 by a bequest from Mindelle Weinberg to provide scholarships for voice majors with academic achievement.

Awarded to Lily Klecan and John McCarthy by Dean Edward Flanagan.

ELMER M. YARNELL SCHOLARSHIP

Established in 1996 by a bequest from Elmer Yarnell to provide scholarships for Boyer College Music students.

Awarded to Derek Paquette by Dean Edward Flanagan.

JULIAN F. KING SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a student in the Jazz Studies program who has demonstrated a strong commitment to furthering his or her jazz education and keeping the music live. This award honors the memory of the late Honorable Julian F. King, who was dedicated to the future of jazz through education.

Awarded to Najwa Parkins by Judge King's wife and daughter, Shirley and Andrea Victoria King.

MILTON SUTTER AWARD

Presented in memory of Dr. Milton Sutter, a former member and one-time chair of the Music History Department. The award is presented to a student who has demonstrated excellence and potential in the field of music history.

Awarded to Jarek Ervin and Monica Chieffo by Professor Stephen Willier.

DR. B. STIMSON CARROW TRIBUTE AWARD

Awarded to a continuing graduate student who demonstrates outstanding pedagogical potential combined with a high standard of performance ability and broad comprehensive musicianship.

Awarded to Grayson Zuber by Professor Michael Klein.

BRUCE ARCHIBALD MEMORIAL AWARD

Given to an outstanding student in the area of music theory as designated by the faculty and the dean.

Awarded to Luis Valencia by Mrs. Marian Archibald.

GLENN STEELE SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to a student demonstrating outstanding work in the percussion program for his/her sophomore or junior year, chosen by Glenn Steele, Percussion program director.

Awarded to Jeff R. Ormsby by Mrs. Linda Steele.

JACK MOORE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to an outstanding percussion student who has made significant contribution to the percussion program.

Awarded to Sara Haase by Professor Glenn Steele.

AVEDIS ZILDJIAN SCHOLARSHIP

Established by the Zildjian Company in memory of the late Avedis Zildjian, this scholarship was designed to support and honor talented percussion students at music school, in the United States, Canada and the United Kingdom.

Awarded to Tihda Vongkoth by Professor Glenn Steele.

MAX ARONOFF PRIZE

For excellence in the study of the major instrument, a high level of participation in chamber ensembles, a sincere interest in teaching, and a generally high record of academic achievement.

Awarded to Lauren Ellis by Professor Jeffrey Solow.

EMILY AND ARTHUR CROSBY AWARD

Given in their memory by Towers Perrin Foster and Arthur Crosby to that student who embodies the highest ethical standards, has demonstrated an outstanding proficiency and enjoyment of music, possesses a sensitivity to the values and needs of the College community and who will carry these concerns forward to the benefit of the profession.

Awarded to Hannah Brubaker by Professor Jeffrey Solow.

ALBERT TASHJIAN PRIZE

Awarded for excellence in the study of a stringed instrument and for outstanding ensemble performance.

Awarded to Catharina Chen by Professor Jeffrey Solow.

TEMPLE UNIVERSITY SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA STUDENT SOLOIST AWARD

Presented to the winner of the Boyer College student competition held each fall.

Awarded to Mark Livshits and Lauren Pollock by Professor Jeffrey Solow.

HOWARD CHIVIAN MEMORIAL PRIZE

Established by Mrs. Lena Chivian, his mother, and Marvin Leonard Chivian, his brother, in memory of Howard Chivian, BS, Temple University, class of 1943; MEd 1952; director of the Diamond Band. The award is presented to a member of the graduating class in recognition of excellence in the field of music and service to the Temple University Diamond Band.

Awarded to Winston Johnson by Professor Arthur Chodoroff.

JACOBS MUSIC COMPANY STEINWAY AWARD

Presented to an outstanding pianist who is a graduating senior.

Awarded to Iris I. Blanco-Urgelles by Al and Gabrielle Rinaldi, Jacobs Music.

MUSIC EDUCATION CERTIFICATE OF MERIT

Presented by the Department of Music Education and Therapy to a music education student in recognition of superior achievement. The awardee demonstrates the professional attributes, musical competencies, and personal qualities of an outstanding music educator.

Awarded to Kelly Cuddeback by Professor Deborah Sheldon.

PENNSYLVANIA MUSIC EDUCATORS ASSOCIATION, SOCIETY FOR MUSIC TEACHER EDUCATION AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN STUDENT TEACHING

Presented to a graduating senior in music education who has maintained membership in the Music Educators National Conference; and who has shown continued growth as a pre-service music teacher, and excellence in both elementary and secondary student teaching.

Awarded to Rashida Graham by Professor Deborah Sheldon.

PENNSYLVANIA MUSIC EDUCATORS ASSOCIATION, SOCIETY FOR MUSIC TEACHER EDUCATION AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a graduating senior in music education who has maintained membership in the Music Educators National Conference, and who has maintained a consistently high G.P.A. while a pre-service music teacher.

Awarded to Kelly Cuddeback by Professor Deborah Sheldon.

PENNSYLVANIA MUSIC EDUCATORS ASSOCIATION, SOCIETY FOR MUSIC TEACHER EDUCATION AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN SERVICE

Presented to a graduating senior in music education who has maintained membership in the Music Educators National Conference, and who has shown consistent dedication to the music education profession through active engagement with the Boyer College Chapter of the Collegiate Music Educators National Conference.

Awarded to Zachary Wilson by Professor Deborah Sheldon.

EDWIN B. GARRIGUES SCHOLARSHIP

Each year Boyer College receives a generous grant from the Edwin B. Garrigues Foundation to provide scholarships for qualified music students.

Awarded to William Amsel, Meredith Banks, Marcell Bellinger, Rajli Bicolli, Zachary Bodeing, Marsha Bowe, Sarah Boxmeyer, Charles Cook, Zachary Crystal, Kelly Cuddeback, William Dougherty, Akira Ikegami, Daniel Janklow, Nathan Jumper, Nobuko Kawamura, Eunmi Lee, Noah Luft-Weissberg, Kami Mazzeo, Najwa Parkins, Samantha Roberson, Erin Swanson, Nina Vieru, and Heejung Yoo by Dean Edward Flanagan.

WHO'S WHO IN AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

Presented by Dean Beth Bolton.

Julia Alford-Fowler	Ross Fry
Takiya Amin	Patricia Gonzalez
Talia Barrows	Rashida Graham
Kaitlin Baver	Audrey Hausig
Elliot Beck	Gina Hoch-Stall
Christian Bell	Petr Isaev
Marcell Bellinger	Heidi Jacob
Rajli Bicolli	Samantha Jakus
Julie Bishop	Youna Jang
Wayne Bishop	Mark Lalumia
Jonathan Bojan	Andrew Leland
Christian Bowers	Andrew Litts
Harold Brokaw	Julia Madden
Carissa Burgmayer	Andrew Morgan
Erin Cairns	Ashleigh Penrod
Stephen Caldwell	Noah Potvin
Jeffrey Cattie	Jean-François Proulx
Robert Connaire	Silvanio Reis
Sean Davis	Nikki Roberts
Christina DiMeglio	Luis Rueda
Alison Dotti	Angela Sigley
Briel Driscoll	Rachel Surden
Vladimir Dyo	Lisa Tierney
Yevgeniy Dyo	Joshua Wilkins
Clipper Erickson	Abigail Yeh
James Falconi	Laurel Young
Lauren Forbes	Grayson Zuber
Monica Jordan Cameron Frichtel	

HONORS STUDENTS 2009

Christian D. Bell	Amanda M. Noce
Iris I. Blanco-Urgelles	Mary V. O'Brien
Hannah J. Brubaker	Scott J. Park
Carissa L. Burgmayer	Daniel D. Reitz
Ryan C. Connelly	Reese A. Revak
Kelly L. Cuddeback	William D. Scally
Daniel W. Fitzmaurice	Daniel J. Schwartz
Angela K. Guido	Christopher J. Villante
Akira Ikegami	Joshua B. Wilkins
Krystal P. Muller	

PRESSER MUSIC AWARD

Designed by the Theodore M. Presser Foundation, this award is presented to a returning graduate student to encourage and support in a special way the advanced education and career of truly exceptional music students of enormous talent who have the potential to make a distinguished contribution to the field of music.

Awarded to Alisha Nypaver by Dean Robert Stroker.

This program was printed before final certification of graduation. Therefore, this listing is tentative only. Any errors or omissions are inadvertent. The transcript is the official record.

TEMPLE UNIVERSITY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

All alumni are automatically granted life membership in the Temple University Alumni Association (TUAA). Founded in 1927 and incorporated in 1997, the TUAA represents all 250,000 living alumni of Temple University and is the umbrella organization for the 17 school and college alumni associations and alumni shared interest groups, such as the Temple University Young Alumni (TUYA), the Temple University Black Alumni Alliance (TUBAA), the Temple University LGBT Alumni (TULGBTA), and the Temple University Student Alumni Association (TUSAA).

The TUAA also has Temple alumni clubs in eight cities across the country. These include Atlanta, Boston, Los Angeles, New York, Phoenix, San Francisco, Seattle and Washington, D.C.

The Temple University Young Alumni (TUYA) is an organization within the university taking a proactive role in helping to establish a real sense of community among alumni who have graduated within the last 10 years. The TUYA works to provide networking opportunities through social and civic activities in partnership with the Temple University Alumni Association.

For more information, please visit myowlspace.com or contact the Alumni Center at 215-204-7521 or alumrel@temple.edu.

BOYER COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION BOARD

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