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School of Hospitality, Food & Tourism Management

College of Business and Economics

Welcomes you to the:

HFTM Awards Ceremony



Tuesday, March 24th, 2015

Reception: 5:30 p.m.

Awards Presentation: 6:00 p.m.—7:00 p.m.

PJ's in the Atrium, MacDonald Stewart Hall

Welcome

It is with great pleasure that we hold this awards ceremony to celebrate the accomplishments of the students recognized tonight. They have worked hard to achieve not only academic goals but many have also participated in extracurricular activities.

We thank the sponsors of the various awards. Without your generous support, we would not be able to recognize these students and provide much needed financial assistance. We are delighted that many of our sponsors are able to be with us here today.

HFTM Director

Statia Elliot, PhD

HFTM Undergraduate Awards Committee

Trent Tucker ~ Chair Valerie Allen ~ Faculty Joe Barth ~ Faculty Alison Crerar ~ Staff Brigid Flucker ~ Staff Nicole Chan~ HFTMSA, Director of Special Events Shawn Goh~ HFTMSA, 2nd Year Representative

Host

Meghan Wright, President ~ HFTMSA (Hospitality, Food and Tourism Management Student Association)

Undergraduate Awards

Bill Allen Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded to students registered in the Hospitality, Food and Tourism Management program who have achieved a high average in the last two equivalent full-time semesters. The recipient must demonstrate evidence of strong leadership ability.

Daryl Rabe

Canada Bread Scholarships

Provided annually by Canada Bread Limited this scholarship is awarded to students who are registered in a major offered by the School of Hospitality, Food & Tourism Management and have achieved a high average in the last two equivalent full-time semesters

Andrew Cumpson Jocelyn Yau

Cara Operations Scholarships

Cara Operations Ltd. provides several scholarships for HAFA or Tourism Management students with a high average in the last two full time semesters

> Bradley Hiltz Rachel Long Alexandra Stoilov

Delta Hotels Limited Scholarships

Delta Hotels & Resorts Limited is proud to provide this scholarship to students enrolled in a major offered by School of Hospitality, Food and Tourism Management who have achieved a high average in their last two full-time semesters.

> Derek Hertel Seayunn Tan

Dorothy Shantz Memorial Scholarship – Third Year

The Canadian Hospitality Foundation funds this scholarship for a HAFA or Tourism Management student with a high average and who shows enthusiasm for the foodservice industry. The recipient must have demonstrated leadership ability by holding an executive position on a student organization of the School of Hospitality, Food and Tourism Management.

Nicole Chan

Elizabeth M (Betty) Upton Memorial Travel Grant

This grant was established in memory of Elizabeth M. Upton, a faculty member in the School of Hospitality, Food and Tourism Management who played a key role in the development of the School and was instrumental in the development of the Institutional Foodservice Management major. The grant is for a student who will be travelling to a recognized University of Guelph study abroad, exchange or letter of permission activity outside Canada, or to attend a relevant professional conference, or to collect research date for a thesis or major paper.

Brittany Manley

Fairmont Hotels and Resorts Scholarships

Fairmount Hotels and Resorts are committed to the values of respect, integrity, teamwork, and empowerment, as reflected in its commitment to supporting student learning and professional development. This scholarship supports upper year students who intend to pursue a career in the hotel hospitality field.

Michelle Chan Aaron Laurie

Farmhouse Hospitality Entrepreneurship Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded to a student registered in the Hospitality, Food and Tourism Management program and whose entrepreneurial experience is most creative, addressing a unique need in the Canadian hospitality/tourism marketplace. The recipient is selected based on their entrepreneurial venture.

Bonnie Nethery

Frank Hughes Memorial Scholarship

This annual scholarship is awarded to a third year student. The recipient is selected based on industry work experience, academic achievement, and extracurricular involvement. It was established by PKF Consulting Inc. in memory of Frank Hughes who was a former PKF International President and founder of the Canadian PKF Consulting firm.

Aaron Laurie

G.H. Mann Food Service Scholarship

G. H. Mann Food Service Scholarship provides a scholarship to a student demonstrating an interest in, and has participated in, activities conducive to a career in the foodservice industry. The student must have achieved a high average grade overall.

Kathleen Milani

Greater Toronto Hotel Association Scholarship

This annual scholarship is awarded to a student who completed HFTM*2100, *Lodging Operations*, with academic performance and interest in the lodging industry. The Greater Toronto Hotel Association is the voice of Toronto's hotel industry representing over 175 hotels, with approximately 34,000 guest rooms and more than 32,000 full time jobs.

Shawn Goh

HAFA/HFTM Alumni Association Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded to a second year student who has participated in extra-curricular activities at the University of Guelph. The student must have a high average over the last two full-time equivalent semesters.

Amber Douel

Journey's End Management Inc. Scholarship

This scholarship is provided by Journey's End Corporation and goes to a student who is in their third year in a major offered by the School of Hospitality, Food and Tourism Management. The student must also have achieved a high average grade overall.

David Seo

Leo Lecours Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship is offered by Lecours Wolfson Hospitality Management and Chef Recruiters in memory of Leo Lecours, one of the founders of Lecours Wolfson. It is awarded to a HAFA or Tourism Management student who has made the greatest contribution to the School and/or the hospitality industry.

Rebecca Mcllroy

Mandarin Restaurants Scholarship

This scholarship is offered to a third year student with high academic performance who demonstrates a continued interest in the foodservice industry. The recipient was selected based on academic performance and their statement of interest. It was established by the Mandarin Restaurant Franchise Corporation that prides itself on its customer service and food quality.

Sunny Ye-Seul Choi

Shirley Louie Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded to a student in fourth year with high academic performance and an interest in the foodservice industry. The Canadian College and University Food Services Association (CCUFSA) established the scholarship to honour Shirley Louie, a long-time member of the CCUFSA, who was an outstanding mentor and coach.

Rebecca Gordon

Sleeman Brewing Scholarship

Sleeman Brewing and Malting Company provides a scholarship to a student in a major offered by the School of Hospitality, Food and Tourism Management with a minimum admission average of 80%.

Bernice Ip

Smart Serve Ontario Scholarships

Smart Serve Ontario offers two awards to students who have completed between 6.0 and 8.0 course credits and the Smart Serve certification program. The recipients were chosen on the basis of highest cumulative average.

> Michellina Martinez Sahil Lachmandas

TDL Group Corp. Brian Cresswell Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship offered by the TDL Group Corporation is awarded to students who have completed between 8.0 and 17.5 credits and have maintained a high average in the last two full-time equivalent semesters.

Samir Dewji

Westmont Hospitality Group Scholarship

This scholarship is provided by Journey's End Corporation and goes to a student who is in their third year in a major offered by the School of Hospitality, Food and Tourism Management. The student must also have achieved a high average grade overall.

Candace Buckley

Graduate Awards

Ontario Graduate Fellowship

This Scholarship is given to a graduate student who has achieved a first-class average over their full-time study as well demonstrated research, publications and leadership are considered.

Brittany Manley

Ontario Trillium Scholarship

This Scholarship is given to a graduate student who has achieved a first-class average in each of the two years of full-time study, prior to being awarded this scholarship.

Ye Shen

School of Hospitality, Food & Tourism Management PhD Scholarships

Mychal Ann Hayhoe Shuyue Huang Ye Shen Kimberly Thomas-Francois

School of Hospitality, Food & Tourism Management MSc Entrance Scholarships

Linlin Cui Do Young Kim Yifeng Liu Ngoc Pham Bich Hejie Zhang

Recognition Scholarships and Awards

Students, Faculty and Staff in the School of Hospitality, Food and Tourism Management have been the recipients of a number of other awards presented at other times during the 2014-2015 academic year. It is with great pride and pleasure that we acknowledge these award holders alongside those receiving their awards today.

Aiming for the Top Tuition Scholarships

These scholarships are awarded by Ontario Ministry of Training, Colleges and University to students who have graduated from High School with top marks and have maintained an average of 80% or better while attending University.

Jennifer Oesch (4th year)

Canadian Hospitality Foundation Scholarships

These scholarships are awarded based on aptitude for and related work experience in the hospitality industry, leadership qualities, extracurricular activities and scholastic record.

Michellina Martinez Rebecca McIlroy

CBE Dean's Honour Scholarships

These scholarships, offered by the Board of Governors, are awarded to students who have been on the Dean's Honour List for two consecutive semesters in the previous year.

Sarah Cochrane Jiaying Luo Michellina Martinez Kathleen Milani Jennifer Oesch

Gryphon Athletic Scholarships

This scholarship is awarded to entering members of a varsity team who have achieved a minimum of 80% average as well as demonstrate leadership qualities and contribution.

Samantha Young

Latifpoor-Keparoutis Family Varsity SwimTeam Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded to entering members of the varsity swim team who have achieved a minimum of 80% admission average as well as demonstrate leadership qualities and contributions.

Samantha Young

Ontario Hostelry Institute Top 30 Under 30 for 2015

This honour recognizes outstanding men and women who are actively engaged in a sector of the hospitality industry and are under the age of 30.

Rebecca Gordon - 4th year student Michaela Hewitt – MBA student Emma Kamp – HAFA 2012 Emily Newton – HAFA Co-op 2008 Michelle Siman – HAFA 2011 Sarah Russell – MBA 2009

Young Hoteliers Summit

Young Hoteliers Summit acts towards improving professional opportunities for young talent in hospitality by fostering a dialogue on employment related topics between its three main stakeholders: hospitality companies; educational institutions and the young in hospitality. Two HFTM students won a trip to Switzerland to represent the University of Guelph.

> Brittany Ho Aaron Laurie

University of Guelph Entrance Scholarships

These scholarships are awarded to students entering their first year of postsecondary studies for the first time and who have a minimum 85% admission average.

> Nadine Azrag **Olivia Blum** Jessica Brookshaw **Shaelene Chapman** Jordan Danzig **Emma Dykstra Caleb Gillard** Victoria Horton **Bernice** Ip Andi Lakatos Andrew Lau Vanessa Liscio Wang Kit Ng **Ida Ordas** Jenna Rapoport Nicholas Sferrazza **Briana Sgarbossa Jacquline Simard Kathleen Towers Michelle Ward Stanley Xu** Jason Yan

International Student Entrance Scholarships

Scholarship recipients are selected from a very competitive group of admission applicants based on high academic excellence. These Entrance Scholarships are awarded at the time of admission to the University of Guelph.

> BingYing Chen Junan Chen Linping Chen Yuehan Guan Hyunjee Hong Hao Li Junlei Lu Yang Song Jia Shen Jingyi Wang Jiashan Zhang Qi Zhou

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