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College of Basic and Applied Sciences
April 25, 2013 • 3:00 p.m.
Tennessee Room • James Union Building
ACADEMIC AWARDS CEREMONY PROGRAM

College of Basic and Applied Sciences

Presiding.................................................................Dr. Robert “Bud” Fischer
Dean, College of Basic and Applied Sciences

Master of Ceremonies .....................................................The Honorable John Hood
Tennessee House Representative, Ret.
Office of Community Engagement and Support

Presentation of Honor Students ........................................Dr. Brad Bartel
University Provost

UNIVERSITY-WIDE STUDENT AWARDS

Provost’s Award...........................................................Jordan Dodson, Physics/Math/Chemistry

Presented by Dr. Robert “Bud” Fischer, Dean, College of Basic and Applied Sciences
SENIOR HONOR STUDENTS
(Scholastic Average 3.75 to 4.0)

Presented by Ms. Jennifer Danylo, Academic Advisor, and
Dr. Brad Bartel, University Provost

Adam Ahmadi, Biology
Marcelle Albert, Biology
Biruk Alemayehu, Chemistry
Brady Baker, Biology
Lindsay Baker, Agribusiness
Joe Ballard, Mathematics
Mia Bates, Mathematics
Jesse Beck, Mathematics
Megan Beckman, Animal Science
Brett Bornhoft, Aerospace
Josiah Britton, Aerospace
Kayla Bryan, Science
Natalie Coiner, Animal Science
Spencer Cox, Plant and Soil Science
Evan Craig, Biology
Cameron Crawford, Biology
Edward Dillon, Aerospace
Jordan Dodson, Chemistry
Bryan Donaphon, Chemistry
Matthew Dravis, Engineering Technology
Joshua Ellis, Aerospace
Jacob Ellis, Biochemistry
Alyssa Fann, Mathematics
Anne Elizabeth Gintzig, Biology
Jeffrey Goetz, Biology
Ty Grabovich, Science
John Graves, Aerospace
Eric Guyes, Physics
Richard Hanson, Plant and Soil Science
Rachel Hart, Biology
Kristen Hendrickson, Biology
Jonathan Herlan, Physics
Meredith Holt, Science
Joshua Horvath, Mathematics
Lauren Hughes, Science
Kenna Icet, Biochemistry
Melody Jett, Biology
Taylor, Kingston, Aerospace
Emily Kopko, Agribusiness
Joseph Kowalsky, Computer Science
Michael Lampley, Biochemistry
Tristan Malan, Plant and Soil Science
Kendall Martin, Animal Science
Spencer McDaniel, Biology
Ryan Miller, Engineering Technology
Kelly Naber, Aerospace
Matthew Owen, Engineering Technology
Rachael Padgett, Mathematics
Umangi Patel, Biochemistry
Dusty Patterson, Computer Science
Rachel Patton, Biochemistry
Tad Peterson, Science
Cassandra Piper, Biochemistry
Megan Pohl, Animal Science
Benjamin Punch, Mathematics
Erica Robinson, Animal Science
Beshoi Saad, Physics
Layne Sanders, Animal Science
Rebekah Schott, Science
William Shelton, Biology
Chip Shriver, Aerospace
Esther Tan, Science
Aaron Thoe, Aerospace
Andrew Thompson, Science
James Turner, Biology
Jordan Vaughan, Biology
Laura Vo, Science
Caleb Watkins, Mathematics
Heath Webb, Computer Science
Cody Wilkerson, Aerospace
Robert Williams, Aerospace
ACADEMIC AWARD RECIPIENTS
BY DEPARTMENT

Mathematics and Science Education Ph.D. Program
*presented by Dr. Angela Barlow*

Outstanding Doctoral Student in Mathematics and Science Education Award .................................................. Jennifer Yantz

**Aerospace**
*presented by Mr. Nate Callender, Assistant Professor*

Tiara Foundation Chair Award of Excellence .............................................. Brenton Andrews

Colonel Jean Jack Aerospace Scholarship .................................................... Chad McConnell

Colonel Jean Jack Aerospace Scholarship ....................................................... Brett Bornhoft

Mitch Wilson Memorial Scholarship ............................................................. James Shaw

Excellence in Aviation Scholarship ............................................................... Shelby Douglas

Excellence in Aviation Scholarship ............................................................... Brett Bornhoft

Excellence in Aviation Scholarship ............................................................... Alexandra Arcamuzi

Excellence in Aviation Scholarship ............................................................... Evan Lester

Harry E. Slater Memorial Scholarship ........................................................... Joel Frerking

Don Ace Memorial Scholarship ................................................................. Clark Milam

Metro Nashville Airport Authority Aviation Scholarship ............................ Sean Lockhart

Metro Nashville Airport Authority Aviation Scholarship ............................ Travis Stout

Metro Nashville Airport Authority Aviation Scholarship ............................ Shelby Douglas
Wallace R. Maples Aerospace Scholarship............................................................Ryan McGiboney
Wallace R. Maples Aerospace Scholarship............................................................Dylan Smith
Jeff McCrudden Aviation Scholarship.................................................................Kevin Allsop
Donald Pettet Memorial Scholarship Fund.........................................................Stephanie Arcamuzi
Curtis Marshall Selle Memorial Scholarship......................................................Alexandra Arcamuzi
Patrick Michael Couch Memorial Scholarship..................................................John Marking
Patrick Michael Couch Memorial Maintenance Scholarship..............................Adam Kohn
H. Miller Lanier Memorial Scholarship..............................................................Jennifer Friedman
John and Barbara Ellington Scholarship .............................................................Nathan Tilton
Major General Frederick Forster Memorial Annual Scholarship.......................Shelby Douglas
Lorenzo D. Grant Memorial Annual Scholarship................................................Shelby Douglas
Deaver Phoenix Scholarship ..............................................................................Austin Knight

**Agribusiness and Agriscience**
presented by Dr. Warren Gill, Director

B. B. Gracy Jr. Outstanding Agriculture Senior Award........................................Dalton Pate
Outstanding Animal Science Senior Award........................................................Megan Pohl
Theodore C. Bigger Outstanding Plant and Soil Science Senior Award............Ethan Swiggart
Sam Paschal Award for Outstanding Horse Science Student.........................Casey Cox
Robert A. Alexander Outstanding Agribusiness Senior Award.......................Lindsay Baker
Biology

presented by Dr. Lynn Boyd, Department Chair

Clay M. Chandler Outstanding Freshman Biology Award and Scholarship................................................................. Rachel A. Yates

Ralph E. Sharp Outstanding Sophomore Award and Scholarship ............................................ Ki’Ara Rainer

Philip M. Mathis Outstanding Junior Award and Scholarship........................................ Logan M. Smith

Peter I. Karl Outstanding Senior Award.............................................................................................. Mary Hayden

J.L. Fletcher Graduate Scholarship................................................................................................. Archana Krishnamoorthy

C.W. Wiser Medical/Allied Health Award and Scholarship................................................... Linda Duong

C.W. Wiser Medical/Allied Health Award and Scholarship................................................. Deanna Phipps

Elliott Dawson/BioVentures Biotechnology Scholarship................................................ William Bradley McCrary

Mary C. Dunn Freshman Scholarship ...................................................................................... Lauren Heusinkveld

Mary C. Dunn Freshman Scholarship ........................................................................................ Grant Vis

Patrick J. Doyle Freshman Scholarship................................................................................... Jenna Price

Ellis Rucker Freshman Scholarship.......................................................................................... Andrew Nolin

Mary C. Dunn Graduate Scholarship......................................................................................... Sarah Barns
Chemistry
Presented by Dr. Greg Van Patton, Department Chair

Walter Chitwood Pre-Dental Scholarship .............................................................. Cameron Baker
Albert L. and Ethel C. Smith Pre-Medical Scholarship ........................................ Joshua Wienczkowski
Albert L. and Ethel C. Smith Pre-Medical Scholarship ....................................... James Turner
Albert L. and Ethel C. Smith Pre-Medical Scholarship ........................................ William Shelton
Albert L. and Ethel C. Smith Pre-Medical Scholarship ....................................... Cassandra Piper
Albert L. and Ethel C. Smith Pre-Medical Scholarship ....................................... Rachel Hart
Albert L. and Ethel C. Smith Pre-Medical Scholarship ....................................... Jeffery Farmer
Albert L. and Ethel C. Smith Pre-Pharmacy Scholarship .................................... Stephanie Terry
Albert L. and Ethel C. Smith Pre-Pharmacy Scholarship .................................... Kelsie Graham
Albert L. and Ethel C. Smith Pre-Pharmacy Scholarship .................................... Prisca Taylor
Albert L. and Ethel C. Smith Pre-Pharmacy Scholarship .................................... Nhi Hua
Albert L. and Ethel C. Smith Pre-Pharmacy Scholarship .................................... Holly Scholl
Albert L. and Ethel C. Smith Pre-Pharmacy Scholarship .................................... Laken Leonard
Albert L. and Ethel C. Smith Pre-Pharmacy Scholarship .................................... Ann Tach
Aaron and Clara Todd Pre-Dental Scholarship, Physical Science Fund ............. Araz Amedy
The Dan D. Scott Chemistry Scholarship ............................................................ Bryan Donaphon
AJubran and Judy Wakim Chemistry Scholarship/CRC Freshman Award .......... Chelsea Harmon
Hypercube Scholarship ...................................................................................... Jacob Basham
J.E. Wiser Graduate Scholarship ........................................................................ Chasity Suttle
Robert Brent Cook Memorial Scholarship .......................................................... Ashley Lipscomb
Faculty Achievement Award in Chemistry (Outstanding Senior) ...................... Bryan Donaphan
Concrete Industry Management

*presented by Dr. Heather Brown, Department Chair*

2013 Outstanding Senior

David Dozier

Beely Boundedara

Computer Science

*presented by Dr. Chrisila Pettey, Department Chair*

Computer Science Alumni Award

Taylor N. Harvin

Joo H. Kim

Computer Science Scholarship

Jason L. Bogle

Lauren E. Burdock

Dusty C. Patterson

David B. Fannin

Timothy D. Malone

Joseph J. Kowalsky

Paul Hutcheson Computer Science Graduate Scholarship

Thomas D. Richards

Nathan E. Perry

Mack Thweatt Computer Science Scholarships

Andrew P. Goldstein

Richard Detmer Endowed Scholarship

Miles T. Baer

Outstanding Freshman

Taylor L. Carrick

Outstanding Sophomore

Pedro J. Reyes

Outstanding Junior

Austin N. Hitt

Outstanding Senior

David B. Fannin
Nancy Wahl Computer Science Scholarship ..................................................... Pete W. Sripitak
Nancy Wahl Computer Science Scholarship .................................................. Joshua W. Wade
Nancy Wahl Computer Science Scholarship .............................................. Megan T. Gabriel-King
Nancy Wahl Computer Science Scholarship ............................................ Brittany K. Motsinger
Nancy Wahl Computer Science Scholarship ........................................ Noah B. Snell
J.C. and Judy Hankins Scholarship ............................................................... Sarah M. Thurston

**Mathematical Sciences**

*presented by Dr. Donald Nelson, Department Chair*

Jim and Lucinda Lea Mathematics Scholarship ......................................... Joe S. Ballard
Richard and Mary Ann McClary Award .................................................... Jesse C. Beck
Richard and Mary Ann McClary Award ..................................................... Stephen B. Speck
Excellence in Actuarial Science ............................................................... Houston J. Higgs
Excellence in Actuarial Science ................................................................. Mohammad Safder Rizwan Khan
Excellence in Actuarial Science ................................................................. Men Li
Excellence in Actuarial Science ................................................................. Ningyuan Liang
Excellence in Actuarial Science ................................................................. Sarah Menghan Lin
Excellence in Actuarial Science ................................................................. Alex Yu-cheng Lin
Excellence in Actuarial Science ................................................................. Brent Osantowski
Excellence in Actuarial Science ................................................................. Rachael L. Padgett
Excellence in Actuarial Science ................................................................. Ying Peng
Excellence in Actuarial Science ................................................................. Harold Tuthill
Excellence in Actuarial Science.............................................................................. Lu Xiong
Excellence in Actuarial Science.............................................................................. Jianxin Yang
Excellence in Actuarial Science.............................................................................. Zoe Ye Ye
Excellence in Actuarial Science.............................................................................. Le Yin
Excellence in Actuarial Science.............................................................................. Mengjia Zhou
Excellence in Actuarial Science.............................................................................. Lianlian Zhou
Jesse L. Smith Mathematics Scholarship............................................................... Olivia C. Birkey
Jesse L. Smith Mathematics Scholarship............................................................... Alexander G. Murphy
Miss Tommie Reynolds Mathematics Scholarship................................................ Jacob H. Basham
Miss Tommie Reynolds Mathematics Scholarship................................................ Andrew W. Lawson
Faculty-Alumni Mathematics Award.................................................................... Mia L. Bates
Faculty-Alumni Mathematics Award.................................................................... Shannon L. Hallavant
Faculty-Alumni Mathematics Award.................................................................... Sarah E. Reisinger
Mrs. Leona Drake Mathematics Scholarship......................................................... Jesse C. Beck
Mrs. Leona Drake Mathematics Scholarship......................................................... Justin M. Cousineau
Frances Stubblefield Calculus I Award................................................................. Teddy J. Brown
Frances Stubblefield Calculus I Award................................................................. Andrew J. Carpenter
Frances Stubblefield Calculus I Award................................................................. Jordan E. Kirby
Frances Stubblefield Calculus I Award.......................................................... Tanya S. Mohsen
Frances Stubblefield Calculus I Award.......................................................... James T. Stone
Frances Stubblefield Calculus I Award.......................................................... Kirulus I. Wifky
Frances Stubblefield Calculus II Award.......................................................... Shannon L. Hallavant
Frances Stubblefield Calculus II Award.......................................................... Grant A. Hixson
Frances Stubblefield Calculus II Award.......................................................... Lii E. Tan
Frances Stubblefield Calculus II Award.......................................................... Lonnie J. Tenpenny
Frances Stubblefield Calculus II Award.......................................................... Bret R. Wiggins
Thomas Forrest Abstract Algebra Award ....................................................... Jordan G. Dodson
Harold S. Spraker Senior Mathematics Award............................................. Benjamin F. Bunnell
Harold S. Spraker Graduate Mathematics Award .......................................... Melody J. Elrod
Harold S. Spraker Graduate Mathematics Award .......................................... Amanda G. Hull
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Diane and Jim Miller Teaching Mathematics Scholarship ............................ Rachael B. Gillaspie

presented by Ms. Diane and Mr. Jim Miller
Physics and Astronomy
presented by Dr. Ron Henderson, Department Chair

The Wade Gilbert Scholarship Award ................................................................. Austin Lewis
The Physics and Astronomy Faculty Scholarship Award ......................... Nicodemus Myhre
The MTSU Physics and Astronomy Alumni Scholarship ......................... Justin Cousineau
The MTSU Physics and Astronomy Alumni Scholarship ......................... Grady Clopton
The Theoretical Physics Award for Excellence ............................................. Katelyn Stringer
The Sigma Pi Sigma Physics Achievement Award ...................................... Peter Schwartz
The Physics and Astronomy Department Service Award ......................... Katelyn Stringer
The Lee Bateman Munday Memorial Award for Physics Teaching .......... William Dylan Russell
The Faculty Achievement Award in Physics .................................................. Daniel Bonior
The Berhanu Welde Michael Memorial Award for Excellence in Physics Research .................................................. Daniel Bonior

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