

# Student Life Award Recipients 2011

## Father Charles Brinkman Award

Presented to a student government member who reflects the spirit of USGA by demonstrating dedication, enthusiasm, and support

**Omer Hashmi**

## Dianna C. Dale Emerging Leader Award

Presented to a new member of the student government who has made outstanding contributions and whose leadership will be invaluable in the future

**Lillian Hippel**

## Constantine Papadakis Award

This award is given in recognition of a student or faculty leader whose actions will affect the future of the University through their innovative new ideas

**Lucas Hippel**

## Anthony T. Caneris Award for Outstanding Leadership

Presented to a student government member who has made great contributions to USGA

**Scott Weiss**

## Dianna L. Hackney Award

Presented to a Drexel employee who has given exemplary service to the student body.

**Ed Kovacs, Director of Campus Activities**

## Honor Dragon Award

Presented to members of the Drexel faculty, administration, and staff who have been key supporters of student organizations

**Daniel Simmons, Associate Director of Recreational Athletic**

**David Ruth, Dean of Students**

## Douglas Spears Memorial Award

Presented to a Drexel Student who has made a significant impact through exhibited leadership and commitment to the Jewish community at Drexel. The award is named in honor of Douglas M. Spears who was an active leader of the Jewish community during his time at Drexel

**Hannah Alexander**

## Campus Activities Board Above and Beyond

Presented to a staff, faculty, or department unaffiliated with CAB for going above and beyond the call of duty in assisting CAB in our mission to program events that entertain, educate, and enrich the Drexel community

**Gillian Telford, Assistant Director of Event Services**

## Outstanding Peer Counselor of the Year Award

Presented to the peer counselor who goes over and above their volunteer requirements and makes a unique and significant contribution to the mission of the peer helpline

**Megan Hartz**

## Distinguished Undergraduate and Graduate Tutor Awards

The individuals selected for the Distinguished Undergraduate and Graduate Tutor Awards truly represent the qualities of professionalism, commitment, and academic service

**Nicole Kuhn and Nischal Nadig**

## Male Club Sports Athlete

Presented to a club sport student athlete who demonstrates the Recreational Athletics values of leadership, community, development, sportsmanship, and teamwork.

In addition to upholding departmental values, they are distinguished by their demonstrated athletic achievements and Drexel spirit

**Tim Manzella**

#### Female Club Sports Athlete of the Year

Presented to a club sport student athlete who demonstrates the Recreational Athletics values of leadership, community, development, sportsmanship, and teamwork.

In addition to upholding departmental values, they are distinguished by their demonstrated athletic achievements and Drexel spirit

**Christi MacKain**

#### Club Sports Coach of the Year

Presented to a coach who has demonstrated outstanding commitment to serving the student athletes of the club program

**Wendy Myers**

#### Spirit of the Dragon Award

The Spirit of the Dragon Award is presented to participants and employees in the Recreational Athletics program that exemplify the core values of leadership, development, community, teamwork and sportsmanship.

- James Teti

- Ed Spangler

- Jessica Kane

- Billy Ling

- Hannah Bofinger

- Blake Bostick

- Kyle Brown

- Katie Curry

- Zane Deller

- Tom Fone

- Lucy Gassner

- Glenn Gremmel

- Lauren Gibson

- Chris Hoenninger

- Veda Johnson

- Allison Kane

- Jackie Li

- Bill Mahon

- Matt Morabito

- Aurora Palumbo

- Vishu Patel

- Laura Rumulo

- Alyssa Woodman

#### Fraternity and Sorority Life Dean's Cup

**MGC – DELTA EPSILON PSI FRATERNITY**

**PHC – PHI MU SORORITY**

**IFC –SIGMA PHI EPSILON FRATERNITY**

#### Outstanding Contribution to International Understanding Award

This award is presented to an international student who has contributed to the international student advocacy and intercultural awareness on campus through participation in international programming, as well as, who has taken an active interest in the International Student and Scholars Services' programs and initiatives.

**Jeevika Tyagi**

#### Ann H. Wilson Heinl Service for Commuter Students Award

This award is presented to any undergraduate or graduate Drexel student living off-campus who has made significant contributions to the quality of life for Drexel University undergraduate and graduate commuter, graduate or transfer students during the academic year. This student is dedicated to learning in and out of the classroom, and demonstrates creativity and determination in their work or co-curricular activities towards the goal of enhancing the commuter, graduate, and/or transfer student community.

**Amy Wen**

#### Ian L. Alexander Outstanding Commuter Student Award

This award is presented to any Drexel undergraduate or graduate student living off-campus beyond their first year at Drexel who has made significant contributions to the Drexel and/or local community. This student exhibits a positive outlook on life and is enthusiastic about their work at Drexel and/or in the community. In addition to their campus/community engagement, this student displays a strong commitment to academic achievement, and is a proud member of the commuter, graduate, and/or transfer student community at Drexel

**Adam Marsh**

#### Lauren M. Fitzgerald Character Award

This award is presented to a high achieving student who has made an indelible impact on his or her peers through their involvement, achievement or resiliency. This person is a role model, embodies Drexel spirit and pride, and has overcome adversity. This individual is in good academic standing demonstrated by a minimum of a 3.0 grade point average, and is proudly involved in various campus life activities, particularly, the climbing wall, club sports, intramural sports, aquatics or health, fitness and wellness

**Elise Krogman**

#### Anthony and Antoinette T. Caneris Award

This award is presented to junior or senior students enrolled in any Drexel college or school, with preference and consideration for those who demonstrate a high commitment to academics while being actively involved with on-campus activities at the University

**Adam Marsh, Tetyana Ivanishena, and Aimee Hildenbrand**

Charles E. Etting Award

This award is presented to students of worthy character and capacity who have excelled extensively in student activities

**Philip Tomezsko and Hannah Bennett**

Dean J. Peterson Ryder Award for Women Juniors

This award is presented to women juniors who are proficient in studies undertaken and who have participated in extracurricular activities.

**Liza Rubin, Lan Nguyen, Olga Zielinska, Swati Maini, and Prativa Kharel**

Dean J. Peterson Ryder Award for Seniors

Presented to seniors in engineering who are proficient in studies undertaken and who have participated in extracurricular activities.

**Prineha Narang, Carly Snyder, and Marie LaPosta**

Marilyn A. Burshtin Memorial Award

This award is presented to a woman in the College of Engineering (400 series, or 100, 101, 105, 115, 121, 125, 135 or 141 codes and Computer Science Majors) or the College of Arts and Sciences (biology, chemistry, mathematics, physics or unified science) majors who has participated extensively in student activities and has a GPA of 3.0, but exceptions may be made if an individual has made exceptional contributions to student activities and/or campus life

**Amanda Pentecost, HaeJi Choi, and Lauren Jablonowski**

Alexander Van Rensselaer Service Award

This award is presented to a student of worthy character who demonstrates high commitment to co-curricular activities and academic pursuits.

**Alexandra Scheinfeld and Melissa Reilly**

Dr. Jacquelyn West-Ford Award for Religious and Spiritual Contributions to the Drexel Community

This award is dedicated to the memory of Dr. Jacquelyn West-Ford (January 23, 1960-September 6, 2007), Senior Associate Dean of Students, in recognition of a Drexel University undergraduate student who demonstrates exceptional leadership in cultivating religious and spiritual life on campus

**Othmane Rifki.**

James R. Tucker Senior Vice President's Leadership Award

**Lucas Hippel**

Dean's Award for Exceptional Service

**Rita Magaziner, Director of Health Insurance and Immunizations**

**Richard Kopp, Associate Director of Campus Activities**

Dean's Award for Outstanding Leadership and Service for Graduating Seniors

Presented to a graduating senior for outstanding leadership and service to Drexel University's campus life and surrounding community, while maintaining academic excellence exhibited by a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0

**Charlotte Alexander**

The Dean of Student's Leadership in Social Justice Award

This award is presented to a full-time matriculated undergraduate student at Drexel University for outstanding achievements in advocacy and supporting Student Affairs's commitment to Social Justice

**Francesca Martelli**

Student Organization Advisor of the Year Award

This award is presented to a recognized student organization advisor who has served as an outstanding mentor impacting the growth and development of student leaders and members, and supported organizational activities and accomplishments

**Ed Kovacs, Director of Campus Activities**

Outstanding Student Organization Program Award

This award is presented to a recognized student organization that sponsored a creative and well-publicized event that made an impact on Drexel's campus

**Drexel Economics Society**

#### Rising Leader of the Year Award

This award is presented to an undergraduate student considered an emerging leader who has attended Drexel University for less than two years, has exemplified a dedicated involvement and commitment to enhancing campus life. The recipient must be in good academic standing demonstrated by a minimum 2.5 grade point average

**Jo Chang**

#### Student Organization Outstanding Service Award

This award is presented to a recognized student organization that has made outstanding contributions through community service or social action to Drexel University and/or the surrounding Philadelphia community

**Drexel Circle K**

#### Student Leader of the Year

This award is presented to an undergraduate student who has shown outstanding leadership and vision, and has exemplified a dedicated involvement and commitment to making a difference in the lives of Drexel students. The recipient must be in good academic standing demonstrated by a minimum 2.5 grade point average

**Danielle Jacobson**

#### New Student Organization of the Year

This award is presented to a recognized student organization that has been active for less than one year and whose achievements illustrate a dedication to the campus community and toward making a difference in the lives of Drexel students

**Home Away from Home**

#### Student Organization of the Year

This award is presented to a recognized student organization that has shown outstanding commitment to the organization goals, made an impact in the Drexel community, and has excelled in program planning, financial management, and leadership development of members

**Drexel University Women's Rugby Club**