



MAY 2021 | SPECIAL ISSUE

# STUDENT AFFAIRS AWARDS

*A Special Newsletter Publication of NKU Student Affairs*

## RECOGNIZING ACHIEVEMENT

### Rewarding exceptional work

In April and May of each year, Student Affairs takes time to recognize the numerous contributions of students, staff, and faculty from the past year. Spread over multiple awards ceremonies, these awards represent the accomplishments and successes of the many people that contribute to the success of student affairs. This *Special Edition* of the Student Affairs Spotlight newsletter seeks to publicly share these accomplishments and accompanying awards.

Recognitions include award winners from the Gold & White Awards Ceremony, UJIMA/BFSA, Delta Alpha Pi, Senior Awards, and the DOSA Staff Award recipients. Please join us in recognizing these outstanding accomplishments.

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## AWARDS AND HONORS

**NKU's Gold & White Ceremony recognizes the many accomplishments of our students and staff**

Held every year in April, the NKU Gold and White Gratitude Ceremony recognizes outstanding achievement throughout Student Affairs. This year featured achievement in the face of significant turmoil, as students and staff overcame COVID to continue to do amazing things. We are proud of the winners and their representation of the Norse ideals.

### Fraternity & Sorority Life Awards

*FSL Fellowship Award:* Sammi Murrell & Caleb Nikolich

*FSL Inclusiveness Award:* Michael Morataya -Roblero & Kaetlyn Dyer

*FSL Integrity Award:* Brendan Carroll & Morgan Chaney

*FSL Leadership Award:* Brynn Cahal

*FSL Scholarship Award:* Katie Clough

*FSL Service Award:* Amanda Schalk

*FSL Unity Award:* Haley Midkiff & Ann Marie Mendiola

*Rachel Votruba Panhellenic Arete Award:* Andrea Christina Moreno-Garza

*Kenneth H Ramey Founder's Award:* Caleb Wears

*Outstanding New Member Award:* Peyton Hall & Kasyn Tapia

*Fraternity President of the Year:* Jacob Minshall

*Sorority President of the Year:* Aliya Cannon

*Fraternity Man of the Year:* Jonah Williams

*Sorority Woman of the Year:* Allison Weihe

### *FSL Community Excellence Recognition:*

Holly Blansette

Luke Bradford

Noah Cullen

Azelin Guterrez

Karla Arango

Abby Leonhard

Sierra Blair

Molly Payne



## Delta Alpha Pi Honor Society



The Office for Student Accessibility initiated 33 students into Delta Psi, NKU's chapter of Delta Alpha Pi (DAPi) Honor Society, in the Spring of 2021. Delta Alpha Pi recognizes students with disabilities for their academic accomplishments and facilitates development of skills in leadership, advocacy, and education for participating students. In order to be eligible for induction into DAPi, students must present with a documented disability and be registered with the Office for Student Accessibility.

Undergraduate students must have completed a minimum 24 credits and have a 3.10 GPA and graduate students must have completed a minimum of 18 credits and have a 3.30 GPA. Due to COVID restrictions, students participated in a virtual induction in lieu of our traditional in person induction.

# Individual Office Awards

## LGBTQ+ Programs & Services

Outstanding Friend of the Office



*Kaetlyn Dyer*



*Isabel Walker*

## Black Faculty Staff Association/UJIMA

Outstanding Staff Member



*Carlous Yates*

## Norse Violence Prevention Center

Teal Ribbon Award



*Sammi Murrell*

## Northern Kentucky Leadership Institute

Norse Leadership Society Ripple Effect



*Britta Gibson*

Congratulations to all of the new Northern Kentucky Leadership Institute Members!

<i>Alex Villaseno</i>	<i>Daniel Myers</i>	<i>Grace Dyas</i>	<i>Kelly Goetz</i>
<i>Alyssa Adams</i>	<i>Divya Srinivas</i>	<i>Haley Orth</i>	<i>Krish Darji</i>
<i>Angie Natividad</i>	<i>Ellen Gray</i>	<i>Hannah Brayton</i>	<i>Melanie Weyer</i>
<i>Bella Tuck</i>	<i>Emerald McGhee</i>	<i>Holly Blansette</i>	<i>Peyton Hall</i>
<i>Blake Wagner</i>	<i>Emi Taylor</i>	<i>Jacky Romo</i>	<i>Samantha Mason</i>
<i>Brittney Cabrera</i>	<i>Flynn Messmer</i>	<i>Jake Yoder</i>	<i>Shabnam Tursunova</i>
<i>Casey Williams</i>	<i>Ganiruchukwu Nnaji</i>	<i>Jessica Archer</i>	<i>Skylar Richardson</i>
<i>Cassidy James</i>	<i>Gennifer Blasi</i>	<i>Karla Arango</i>	<i>Victoria Prater</i>



# Gold & White Individual Awards

## Outstanding Advisor Award



*AJ Miller*

## Outstanding Freshman Award



*Antonio Neal*

## Outstanding Sophomore Award



*Mariah Frommeyer*

## Outstanding Junior Award



*Orla Fitzsimmons*

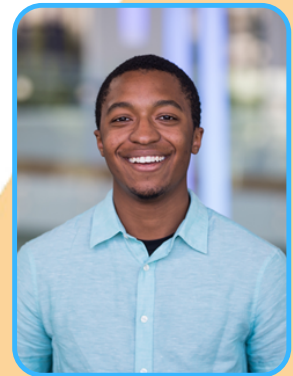


*Adam Uhlenbrock*

## Outstanding Senior Award

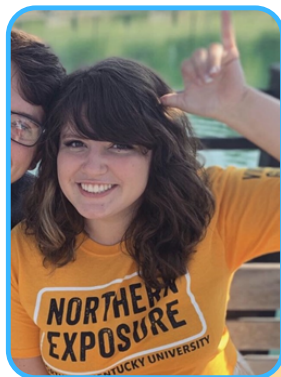


*Jess Archer*



*Josh Kelly*

## Norse Legacy Award



*Kate Goller*



*Allison Weihe*

# NKU Senior Awards

Paul J. Sipes  
Award



*Luke Kues*

University Service  
Award



*Faith Howard*

Faculty Senate  
Award



*Natalie Adriano*

NKU Foundation Student  
Leadership Award



*Lauren Goodwin*

Excelsior  
Award



*Barbie Watkins*

Regents  
Award



*Taylor Hurley*

President's  
Award



*Felipe Hidalgo*



# Student Affairs Staff Awards

Civic Engagement and  
Public Outreach Award



*Rose Tempel*

Dr. Leon Boothe Inclusive  
Excellence Award



*Javance Sinclair*

Friend of Student Affairs  
Faculty



*Dr. Sandra Nichols*

Friend of Student Affairs  
Staff



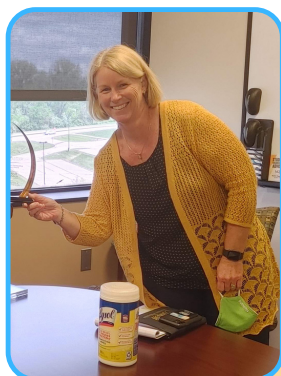
*Amy Wylie*

Outstanding Newcomer  
Award



*Michael Carr*

Jane Meier Outstanding  
Service Award



*Sarah Aikman*

Jane Meier Outstanding  
Service Award



*Julie Bridewell*



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