

*Recognizing Honors and Awards of GDCB Students,
Faculty & Staff for Spring 2009 to Spring 2010*



***Student, Faculty and Staff
Honors and Awards Recognition Luncheon***

Thursday, April 29, 2010
12:00 Noon
Molecular Biology Atrium

PROGRAM

LUNCH – SELF SERVICE

WELCOME: Professor Marty Spalding, GDCB Chair

HONORS AND AWARDS PROGRAM

Undergraduate Students
Professors James T. Colbert and Alan Myers, Presenters

Graduate Students
Professor Drena Dobbs, Presenter

Faculty and Staff
*Professor Jack Horner and
Professor and Chair Martin Spalding, Presenters*

PROGRAM CLOSE: Professor Marty Spalding, GDCB UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

FALL 2009 & SPRING 2010 SCHOLARSHIPS

BIOLOGY

Biology Sophomore Success Scholarship

Mischa Olson, Junior

Brittany Tielbur, Sophomore (AGLS)

*Recognizing Honors and Awards of GDCB Students,
Faculty & Staff for Spring 2009 to Spring 2010*

Charles Drewes Memorial Scholarship

Adam Kent, Senior (AGLS)
Shelly Lampman, Senior
Spencer Mesick, Senior

Darlene and Melvin Larsen Genetics, Development and Cell Scholarship

Alyssa Brobst, Senior

Diane Marie Heimbuch Scholarship

Jaclyn Ferdig, Senior (AGLS)

Ecology, Evolutionary and Environmental Scholarship Award

Breanna King, Junior (AGLS)

Iowa Academy of Science Poster Presenter Scholarship

Jessica C. Erickson, Senior, AGLS

Jeffrey Skiff, Senior

Molly Staley, Senior

Emily K. Zimmerman, Senior

GENETICS

Sui Tong Chan Fung Fund for the Promotion of Study and Research in Genetics - Scholarships for Highest GPA's

Sarah N. Anderson, Junior (AGLS)

Maria Arendt, Sophomore (AGLS)

Joy Carroll, Senior (LAS)

Genna Chadderdon, Junior (AGLS)

Xiao Chen, Junior

Stephanie Haase, Freshman (LAS)

Jay Hoch, Freshman (AGLS)

Dallas Jones, Senior (AGLS)

Michael Khan, Junior (LAS)

Autumn Marsden, Sophomore (LAS)

Harsh Patel, Senior (LAS)

Kristen Sandvig, Senior (AGLS)

Sui Tong Chan Fung Fund for the Promotion of Study and Research in Genetics - Scholarships for Summer Internship

Lindsey Batz, Senior (LAS)

Ellen Jesmok, Senior (AGLS)

GRADUATE STUDENTS

GRADUATE COLLEGE AWARDS

Research Excellence Award

Summer 2009

Suh-Yeon Choi, Ph.D. Genetics (Grad. '09)

Deqiang Duanmu, Ph.D. MCDB (Grad. '09)

Fall 2009

Chuanhe Yu, Ph.D. Genetics (Grad. '09)

Yi Zhang, Ph.D. MCDB (Grad. '09)

Spring 2010

Lei Li, Ph.D. Genetics (Grad. '10)

Sanzhen Liu, Ph.D. Genetics (Grad. '10)

*Recognizing Honors and Awards of GDCB Students,
Faculty & Staff for Spring 2009 to Spring 2010*

Teaching Excellence Award

Summer 2009

Heather Babka, Ph.D. Genetics (Grad. '09)

Ying Wang, Ph.D. MCDB

Fall 2009

Yuanbin Ru, Ph.D. Genetics (Grad. '10)

Spring 2010

Huiying Liu, Ph.D. Plant Biology (Grad '10)

GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDENT SENATE PEER RESEARCH AWARD

Brandi Sigmon, Ph.D. Genetics

GENETICS, DEVELOPMENT AND CELL BIOLOGY (GDCB)

Travel Awards

Dale W. Young and W.E. Loomis Fund Travel Award

Fall 2009

Kai Ying, Ph.D. Genetics

Spring 2010

Deqiang Duamu, Ph.D. MCDB (Grad. '09)

Sanzhen Liu, Ph.D. Genetics

Yimo Liu, Ph.D. Genetics

GDCB Travel Award

Fall 2009

Jisun Oh, Ph.D. Neuroscience

Sui Tong Chan Fung Fund Travel Award

Fall 2009

Hsinkai Liao, Ph.D. BBMB

Usha Muppurala, Ph.D. BCB

Deepak Reyon, Ph.D. BCB

Peter Zaback, Ph.D. BCB

Spring 2010

Usha Muppurala, Ph.D., BCB

Deepak Reyon, Ph.D., BCB

Jenifer Saldanha, Ph.D. MCDB

FACULTY & STAFF

UNIVERSITY P&S STAFF AWARDS

Denise Hix, Early Achievement in Academic Advising Award

Maneesha Aluru, P&S Outstanding New Professional Award

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE & LIFE SCIENCES P&S STAFF AWARDS

Staff

Connie Garnett, P&S Outstanding New Professional Award

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCES FACULTY AND P&S STAFF AWARDS

*Recognizing Honors and Awards of GDCB Students,
Faculty & Staff for Spring 2009 to Spring 2010*

Faculty

Dr. Yanhai Yin, Assistant Professor, Mid-Career Research Award

Staff

Michael Brekke, P&S Excellence in Information Technology Award

Claudia Lemper, P&S Excellence Award

FACULTY HONORS

Dr. Eve Syrkin Wurtele

Meta!Blast finalist in MacArthur Foundation Learning Labs Competition. Winner to be selected in Spring 2010.

Dr. Carolyn Lawrence

Midwest Research Support: Equal Opportunity Award from the USDA-ARS

DEPARTMENT AWARD

Energy Conservation Award given to GDCB in Science Hall II by the LAS Green Team

Presenters

Dr. James T. Colbert, Associate Professor of EEOB with joint appointment in GDCB, and Biology Program Coordinator

Dr. Drena Dobbs, Professor of GDCB and Chair of the GDCB Graduate Affairs Committee

Dr. Jack Horner, University Professor, GDCB and Chair of the GDCB Honors and Awards Committee

Dr. Alan Myers, Professor BBMB and Genetics Undergraduate Program Committee Chair

Dr. Martin Spalding, Professor and Chair of GDCB