



Collegiate Recognition Awards

Past Recipients

* - denotes Shannon Kelly Kane Scholarship recipients

2025

Professional Achievement Award Recipients			
Ellie Auvinen	University of Oregon	Brooklynn Bowen	Utah State University
Allyson Horvath	University of Indianapolis	Amari Junkins	Ohio Northern University
Kathryn C. Lang	Florida State University	Nate Presutti	Slippery Rock University

Chapter of Excellence Award Recipients	
Professional Development	University of Oklahoma University of Hawai'i at Mānoa University of Indianapolis Youngstown State University Tennessee State University
Recruitment	Miami University Rutgers University
Service	Florida State University
Advocacy	Ball State University

2024

Professional Achievement Award Recipients			
Tori Condra*	University of Indianapolis	Caroline Feryo	Indiana University
Madison Garraffo	Hofstra University	Alexis Gist	University of Idaho
Colleen Gorski	Miami University	Amanda Housel	Dickinson State University
Elizabeth Marie Jones*	University of Indianapolis	Amari Junkins	Ohio Northern University

Chapter of Excellence Award Recipients	
Professional Development	Florida Gulf Coast University Nazareth University

	Ohio Northern University
Recruitment	Western Carolina University
Service	Hofstra University University of Idaho University of Indianapolis
Advocacy	Dickinson State University University of Nebraska at Kearney

2023

Professional Achievement Award Recipients			
Lydia Kirkland*	University of Nebraska at Omaha	Ethan Watkins*	Converse University
Sharon Tran*	University of North Georgia		

Chapter of Excellence Award Recipients	
Professional Development	Florida Gulf Coast University Nazareth College Indiana University – Bloomington
Advocacy	University of Miami
Service	Indiana University – Bloomington Longwood University

2022

Professional Achievement Award Recipients			
Hannah Combs*	Oakland University	Aida Soria	University of Nebraska – Omaha
Amanda Herold	Sunderman Conservatory of Music	Kelsey Zetzl*	Butler University

Chapter of Excellence Award Recipients		
Professional Development	Ball State University	Rutgers University
	University of North Georgia	University of Nebraska - Omaha
Service	Central Michigan University	Florida State University
	University of the Cumberland	

2021

Professional Achievement Award Recipients			
Maggie Ward*	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	Morgan Beaton	Nazareth College School of Music
Kasey Julian	Oakland University	Matthew Rees	Slippery Rock University
AJ Gonzales*	San Jose State University		

Chapter of Excellence Award Recipients		
Service	Sunderman Conservatory of Music at Gettysburg College	
	DePaul University	Central Michigan University
Professional Development	University of Lynchburg	Oakland University
	Augustana College & University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (<i>joint project</i>)	

2020

Professional Achievement Award Recipients			
Marissa Altendorfer*	University of Wisconsin-River Falls	Alexis Newman	University of Arkansas
Brendon Culloton*	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	Tai Knoll	Bowling Green State University
Kimberly Rosenbaum	Hofstra University	Iris Ramirez	University of Tulsa
Christina Fray	The College of Saint Rose	Sam Bream	The College of Saint Rose

Chapter of Excellence Award Recipients	
Music Program	VanderCook College of Music
Professional Development	Bowling Green State University
Recruitment	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Service	University of Arkansas - Fayetteville

2019

Professional Achievement Award Recipients			
Ben Maynard	Ball State University	BriAnna Crook	Boise State University
Joshua Bottoms	University of Nevada	Martha Wachulec*	Montclair State University
Eva Aneshansley	University of Colorado Boulder		

Chapter of Excellence Award Recipients	
Music Program	New Jersey City University
Professional Development	University of Hawai'i, Mānoa
Recruitment	Nazareth College
Service	Oklahoma State University
Advocacy	Florida State University

2018

Professional Achievement Award Recipients			
Jenae Maley	University of Central Missouri	Lindsey Streeter	Western Michigan University
Harlow Alexander*	Marywood University		

Chapter of Excellence Award Recipients	
Music Program	Marywood University
Professional Development	Indiana University
Recruitment	University of Central Missouri
Service	Lynchburg College
Advocacy	University of Miami

2017

Professional Achievement Award Recipients			
Vanessa Bliley*	Central Washington University	Lauren B. Lewis*	East Carolina University
William Yates	University of Montevallo	Emily Brumbaugh	Slippery Rock University
Joshua Schmidt	University of Wisconsin Oshkosh		

Chapter of Excellence Award Recipients	
Music Program	University of Montevallo
Professional Development	New Jersey City University
Recruitment	Central Washington University
Service	Radford University
Advocacy	University of Central Missouri

2016

Professional Achievement Award Recipients			
Clair Cangiolosi	University of Massachusetts-Amherst	Lynnea Iverson	Bemidji State University
Sydney Coelho*	Hofstra University	Claudine Avalos*	Brooklyn College

Chapter of Excellence Award Recipients	
Music Program	Brooklyn College
Professional Development	Central Washington University Hofstra University Winona State University
Recruitment	Hofstra University University of Oklahoma
Service	Berea College Hofstra University University of Oklahoma

2015

Professional Achievement Award Recipients			
Jon Crust	Bemidji State University	Andrew Steck	Butler University
Kelly Brooks	California State University-Northridge	Kelvin Flores	California State University-Northridge
Kelly McCarley	California State University-Northridge	Christina Bailey*	Georgia College
Kyle Benaburger	Hofstra University	Kailyn Tropeano	Hofstra University
Neil Hicks	Indiana University	Amy Royal	Louisiana Tech University
Ben Davenport	Milligan College	Monika Szumski	Montclair State University
Kathryn Jackson	Montclair State University	Megan Gallagher*	Slippery Rock University
Alexandra Chavez	University of Colorado-Boulder	Madeleine Cort	University of Colorado-Boulder
Amanda Johnson	University of Colorado-Boulder	Daniel Dorsett	University of Indianapolis
Abigail Egenolf	University of Indianapolis	Abigail House	University of Indianapolis
Owen Hunter	University of Indianapolis	Katelyn Myers	University of Indianapolis
Savannah Shively	University of Indianapolis	Joel Walters	University of Indianapolis
Daniel Watson	University of Indianapolis	Chelsea Steinberg	University of Massachusetts-Amherst
JJ Norman	University of Tennessee-Martin	Emilee Deck	University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

Chapter of Excellence Award Recipients	
Music Program	Brooklyn College
Professional Development	Eastern Illinois University
Recruitment	Baldwin Wallace University
Service	Illinois State University
Advocacy	Central Washington University

2014

Professional Achievement Award Recipients			
Rabyia Ahmed	Boise State University	Timothy Dailey	University of Colorado-Boulder
Matthew Crane	Boise State University	Madeline Smith	University of Colorado-Boulder
Kelsey Hagan	Bradley University	Hannah Smith	University of Colorado-Boulder
Aleks Zivanovic*	DePaul University	Casey Lawson	University of Colorado-Boulder
Victoria Visceglia	Duquesne University	Jenna Jorgenson	University of Colorado-Boulder
Christiana Blahnik	Duquesne University	Laura Horcher	University of Dayton
Cassidy Deutsch	Duquesne University	Daniel Watson	University of Indianapolis
Jacob Leonowitz	Duquesne University	Abigail Egenolf	University of Indianapolis
Bailey Noble*	Eastern Washington University	Zachary Cardwell	University of Indianapolis
Cassandra Buckhout	Hofstra University	Daniel Dorsett	University of Indianapolis
Bethany Mullins	Missouri Southern State University	Amanda Lautenbach	University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh
Nicole Bourgeois	Plymouth State University	Matthew Muelling	University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh
Madeleine Cort	University of Colorado-Boulder		

Chapter of Excellence Award Recipients	
Music Program	Boise State University
Professional Development	Indiana University in Bloomington
Recruitment	Baldwin Wallace University
Service	Elon University California State University - Chico

2013

Professional Achievement Award Recipients			
Heidi Robertson	University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh	Katie Dunlap	University of Indianapolis
Dori Arbter	University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh	Zachary Cardwell	University of Indianapolis

Jennifer Backes	University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh	Abby Means	University of Indianapolis
Jonathan Delray	University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh	Albert Mabeza	San Jose State University
Scott Ziegler	Montclair University	Marian Paulson	San Jose State University
David Taylor	Nelson Cedarville University	Amy Mikalauskas	Slippery Rock University
Brittany Baumeister	West Chester University	Chloe Spitzer	Converse College
Hannah Knauss	West Chester University	Paul Loweecey	SUNY-Buffalo State
Lanea Bonney	University of Indianapolis	Robyn Kammer	University of Dayton
Daniel Ethan Tripp*	University of Florida	Rachel Mae Dentinger*	Syracuse University

Chapter of Excellence Award Recipients	
Music Program	University of Oklahoma University of Colorado – Boulder University of Alaska – Fairbanks
Professional Development	University of Colorado – Boulder University of Alaska – Fairbanks Michigan State University
Recruitment	University of Maryland – College Park Hofstra University
Service	University of Delaware Montclair State University Queens College

2012

Professional Achievement Award Recipients			
Laura Alonzo	Butler University	Joshua Leon	Duquesne University
Jacob Bagot	Southeast Missouri State	Fiona McGowan	University of Dayton
Rachel Baker	North Greenville University	Erika Matson	Depauw University
Brendan Barker	Duquesne University	Heidi Meuth	Depauw University
Whitney Bell	Lindenwood University	Andrew Moran	University of Indianapolis

Richard Blake	Hofstra University	Hayley Mullins	Missouri Southern State University
Brittany Brown	Boise State University	Jayla Nowlin	North Carolina Agricultural & Technical State University
Elizabeth Brunelle	Boise State University	Allison Paetz	Case Western Reserve University
Kathryn Buell	Mount Vernon Nazarene University	Allison Ritzline	University of Indianapolis
Jennifer Chmiel	Duquesne University	David Schatz	Truman State University
Karah Crockett	Depauw University	William Steele	Delaware State University
Jacqueline Dukes	Freed Hardeman University	Jacob Thaler	Colorado State University
Anne Eichenlaub	Nazareth College of Rochester	Marissa Virgin	Duquesne University
Christine Flannery	Hofstra University	Sarah Ward	Evangel University
Samantha Jackson	Lindenwood University	Pete Weldy	Butler University
Samanta Baldwin*	Syracuse University	Curtis Viselli*	University of Florida

Chapter of Excellence Award Recipients	
Music Program	Campbell University Dickinson State University University of Washington – Eau Claire
Professional Development	Cumberland University North Greenville University Wartburg College
Recruitment	Baldwin College Bluffton University University of Wisconsin – Whitewater
Service	Baldwin College Colorado State University Hofstra University

2011

Shannon Kelly Kane Scholarship Recipients			
Mary Catherine DeMauro	Syracuse University	Elizabeth Ann Gravitz	University of Florida

Chapter of Excellence Award Recipients	
Recruitment	Colorado State University

2010

Shannon Kelly Kane Scholarship Recipients	
Paul Wesley Roy	Syracuse University