



Student Leadership Awards 2012

Presented by the Office of Student Activities

Monday, April 9, 2012, 6:30pm

Exceptional Organization Advisor

This award is presented to a faculty/staff member who has served a club or organization above and beyond the respective role as an advisor. This individual provided exemplary support to the organization he/she oversees. Nominating organization must be in good standing with the university.

Outstanding Student Leader

Different from the Dean's Service Award, this award recognizes an individual(s) who, on a yearly basis, exemplifies campus service and has demonstrated outstanding leadership qualities. This award is open to undergraduates not graduating in 2012.

Campus-Wide Program of the Year

This award is given to a club or organization whose individual program had a positive impact on the campus climate, which proved invaluable to the Christopher Newport community. Programs will be judged on originality, creativity, popularity, value to the community, and degree to which the program fulfilled the intended purpose. (Eligible programs will have occurred between April 2011 and March 2012.)

Outstanding Diversity Program

This award recognizes programs that positively contribute to the development of diverse culture on campus or promote education or sensitivity on diversity issues. Criteria include, but are not limited to: enhancement of diversity awareness among the general campus community, innovation, and originality. Further consideration will go to programs that have accomplished one or more of the following: foster meaningful relationships between diverse student groups, challenge stereotypical perceptions of diverse populations, help students learn to communicate effectively with people of varied backgrounds, generate awareness and appreciation for a diverse culture. (Eligible programs will have occurred between April 2011 and March 2012.)

Silent Inspiration Award

This award is given to a student who may or may not have served on an executive board of a recognized student organization, but who has made a significant difference in an organization and the University in an unassuming and quiet manner through a commitment of time and energy, and has exerted a positive influence on his/her peers.

Outstanding Community Outreach by an Individual

This award is presented to a student who makes service to the outside community a priority. This award is given to a student who has made an impact on an organization or community agency serving as a positive role model, serving with courage, spirit and hope in improving his/her piece of the world.

Outstanding Community Outreach by a Student Organization

This award is presented to the student organization that provided meaningful community outreach that demonstrated care and respect for others in the surrounding community and fostered growth and learning for those involved. An outreach program does not include strictly a fundraiser or philanthropic event, or an awareness campaign. It is a program or event that provides direct service to an organization, agency or community. (Eligible service activities will have occurred between April 2011 and March 2012.)

The Dean's Service Award

This award is presented to up to five outstanding senior students whose service to the community demonstrates leadership in academics, service, co-curricular involvement and/or campus employment. Recipients of this award must be nominated by members of the campus community and will be asked to complete an application outlining their involvement and contributions to the Christopher Newport University community.