

## News Release

# Annual Student Awards Celebration Recognizes Excellence and Achievement for 2014-15 Academic Year

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The annual Student Awards Program, a celebration of student service, leadership, and academic and athletic achievement, was held recently at the University of Minnesota Crookston. To see photos from the Student Awards Celebration, visit the photo gallery.

### Award recipients included the following students:

- Builder of Diversity Award
- Marina Farrow
- Computer Help Desk Award
- Cedric Citrowske
- John Polley Soil and Water Conservation Award
- Renee Tomala
- The Wildlife Society Travel Award
- Megan Boetcher
- Outstanding Agricultural Systems Management Student
- Sam Jacobson
- Crookston Student Association (CSA)
- Bailey Braatz, Josee Plante, Delaney Kohorst, Younghwa "Gabriella" Byeon, and Joseph Wodarek, Emily Goff, Emily Campbell, Natalie Tym, Ann Baek, and Justin Goodroad, Emily Caldis, Monika Sweet, Cassie Hagg, Tareyn Stomberg, Mikala Guidinger.
- Dale Knotek Community Service Award
- Delta Theta Sigma
- Female and Male Student Athlete of the Year
- Ashley Martell and Matt Borowicz
- Female and Male Outstanding Athlete of the Year
- Katrina Moenkedick and Greg Lofquist
- Justin Knebel Memorial Award
- Lucas Reller
- Outstanding Future Educator
- Taoqin Shen
- MCC President's Student Leadership Award
- Ashley Martell
- Most Supportive of Students
- Terrill Bradford
- Outstanding Educator
- Rachel McCoppin
- Outstanding Service to Students
- Chancellor Fred Wood
- Outstanding Accounting Students
- Manuella Brown and Cody Schoonover
- Outstanding Animal Science Pre-veterinary Student
- Jacqui Mueller
- Outstanding Animal Science Student
- Dylan Pratt
- Outstanding Communication Student
- Sumin "Nicki" Gwak
- Outstanding Entrepreneurship Student
- Jason Kulyk
- Outstanding Management Student
- Tyler Lowthian
- Outstanding Environmental Science Students
- Amber Suchy
- Bryan Harvey
- Outstanding Equine Science Student
- Shannon Salm
- Outstanding First Year Biology Students
- Bryanna Grefthen
- Kaycie Hagen
- Outstanding Horticulture Student
- Stephanie Reko
- Outstanding Marketing Students
- Delaney Kohorst
- Bailey Braatz
- Brennan Andreas
- Kenzie Church
- Outstanding Music and Theater Student
- Alex Conwell
- Outstanding Student Ambassadors
- Emily Caldis
- Tareyn Stomberg (Rookie of the Year)
- Mikaela Trowbridge
- Emily Campbell
- Dakota Grimm
- Cassie Hagg
- Julia Rinn
- Outstanding Student Representative
- Tareyn Stomberg
- Outstanding CSA Voting Delegate
- Johnnie Pauly
- Outstanding Writing Tutor
- James Aasen
- President's Volunteer Service Award
- Ross Sigler
- Tyler Lowthian
- Jesse Jennings
- Justin Goodroad
- Joan Melichar
- Matthew Patrick
- Mikala Guidinger
- Bailey Braatz
- Mikaela Trowbridge
- Dakota Grimm
- Cassie Hagg
- Alisah Adams
- Andrew Buell
- Gyungyoun "Ann" Baek
- Ashley Martell
- Vanessa Robbins
- Tareyn Stomberg
- Emily Caldis
- Amanda Hoffman
- Alisah Adams
- Outstanding Health Management Senior
- Brittany Wauzynski
- Outstanding Manufacturing Management Student
- Danne Brown
- Outstanding Finance Students
- Trista Robinson
- Michael Roedl
- McKayla Walters
- Jessica Hood (online)
- Julia Job-Neist (online)
- SOS Service Award
- Tyler Lowthian
- Andrew Buell
- Emily Caldis
- Joanie Melichar
- Outstanding SOS Leader
- Mikala Guidinger
- Outstanding Animal Science Pre-vet Student
- Jacqui Mueller
- Outstanding Animal Science Student
- Dylan Pratt
- Outstanding Equine Science Student
- Shannon Salm
- Outstanding Study Abroad Experience Student
- Laura Gabrielson
- Outstanding CSA Voting Delegate
- Johnnie Pauly
- Outstanding Writing Tutor
- James Aasen
- Student Employee of the Year
- Josh Rudbeck
- John Niemczyk
- Student Programmer of the Year
- Andrew Buell
- Study Abroad Experience Award
- Laura Gabrielson
- Student Achievement Awards
- Brennan Andreas
- Tomas Parker
- Matt Borowicz
- Jesse Jennings
- Katelyn Rieland
- Brooke Vatthauer
- Kenzie Church
- Emily Goff
- Ashley Martell
- Julia Rinn
- Heather Buchhop
- Ann Baek
- Mary Mikutowski
- Justin Goodroad
- Emily Campbell
- Emily Caldis
- Woman of the Year
- Mary Mikutowski
- Man of the Year
- Justin Goodroad

To download or view photos of the student award recipients, view online. (Note: Not all award recipients were available for photos so some awards do not have a corresponding photograph.)

The University of Minnesota Crookston now delivers 31 bachelor's degree programs, 22 minors, and 36 concentrations on campus as well as 14 degree programs entirely online. These degrees are offered in the areas of agriculture and natural resources, business, liberal arts and education, and math, science and technology. With an enrollment of 1,800 undergraduates from more than 20 countries and 40 states, the Crookston campus offers a supportive, close-knit atmosphere that leads to a prestigious University of Minnesota degree: "Small Campus. Big Degree." To learn more, visit [www.umcrookston.edu](http://www.umcrookston.edu).

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