



PROFESSORS GATE

9th Annual

FACULTY HONORS

Ceremony

Tuesday,

APRIL 23, 2019

Jack Morton Auditorium

THE GEORGE
WASHINGTON
UNIVERSITY
WASHINGTON, DC

Ninth Annual Faculty Honors Ceremony

Welcome

Forrest Maltzman

Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs



Greeting

Thomas J. LeBlanc

President



Recognition of Teaching Achievements

Philip J. Amsterdam Graduate Teaching Assistant Awards

Morton A. Bender Teaching Awards

Writing in the Disciplines Distinguished Teaching Awards

Christopher Bracey

Vice Provost for Faculty Affairs, Professor of Law



Recognition of Silver Anniversary and New Emeriti Faculty

Katherine Weisburd

Associate Professor of Law



Office of the Vice President for Faculty Awards

Robert Miller

Vice President for Research



Oscar and Shoshana Trachtenberg Faculty Prizes in University Service, Scholarship, and Teaching Excellence

Agnes Charlotte Broden

*BBA Candidate with a double-concentration in International
Business and Marketing with a minor in Sustainability*



Closing



The ceremony will be followed by a reception on the second floor.

Notable Faculty Awards for 2018-2019

FELLOWS AND DISTINGUISHED MEMBERSHIPS

Melissa Batchelor-Murphy	Associate Professor and Geriatric Nursing Researcher <i>Fellow, Gerontological Society of America</i>
Guenevere Burke	Assistant Professor of Emergency Medicine <i>Fellow, American College of Emergency Physicians</i>
Jamie Cohen-Cole	Associate Professor of American Studies <i>Fellowship, German Historical Institute</i>
Rebecca Dedmond	Associate Professor of Counseling and Human Development <i>Fellow, National Career Development Association</i>
Scott Evans	Professor of Epidemiology and Biostatistics <i>Fellow, Society for Clinical Trials</i> <i>Fellow, Infectious Disease Society of America</i> <i>Elected Member, International Statistical Institute</i>
Charlie Glaser	Professor of Political Science and International Affairs <i>ISSS Distinguished Scholar Award for life achievement in International Security Studies</i>
Donna Hoffman	Professor of Marketing <i>2019 Society for Consumer Psychology Fellow</i>
Vik Khot	Associate Clinical Professor of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences <i>Distinguished Fellow of the American Psychiatric Association</i>
Ellen Kurtzman	Associate Professor of Nursing <i>RUF Health Policy Fellowship by National Academy</i>
Allison Macfarlane	Professor of Public Policy & International Affairs <i>Woodrow Wilson Fellowship</i>
Jeanne Murphy	Assistant Professor of Nursing <i>Fellow, American College of Nurse-Midwives</i>
Michael Plesniak	Professor of Engineering and Applied Science <i>2018 Distinguished Career in Engineering Award</i>
Rajiv Rimal	Professor and Chair of Prevention and Community Health <i>Fellow, International Communication Association</i>
Sabyasachi Sen	Associate Professor of Medicine <i>Fellow, American Heart Association</i>
Elizabeth Thom	Research Professor of Biostatistics and Epidemiology <i>Fellow, Society for the Clinical Trials</i>
Karen Whitt	Associate Professor of Nursing <i>Fellow, American Association of Nurse Practitioners</i>

Lijie (Grace) Zhang Associate Professor of Engineering and Applied Science
Elected to the American Institute for Medical and Biological Engineering College of Fellows

AWARDS AND OTHER HONORS

Herman Aguinis Avram Tucker Distinguished Scholar and Professor of Management
Second LACMR-RRBM Award for Responsible Research
Ranked in 2018 Web of Science Highly Cited Researchers Report as top 1% of by citations and among world's 96 most impactful researchers

Attiya Ahmad Associate Professor of Anthropology and International Affairs
The 2018 Middle East Studies Association Fatima Mernissi Book Award, "Everyday Conversions: Islam, Domestic Work, and South Asian Migrant Women in Kuwait" (Durham, NC: Duke University Press, 2017)

Luis Ballesteros Assistant Professor of International Business
Second LACMR-RRBM Award for Responsible Research

Yolande Bouka Visiting Professor of International Affairs and African Studies
2019 International Studies Association's Best Blog Post in International Studies category for "Wakanda, Afrofuturism, and Decolonizing International Relations Scholarship"

Ellen Costello Associate Professor of Health, Human Function, and Rehabilitation Sciences
Educator of the Year Award, American Physical Therapy Association/ Academy of Acute Care Physical Therapy

Charlie Craver Freda H. Alverson Professor of Law
The ABA Dispute Resolution Section Award for Outstanding Scholarly Work

Ashley Associate Professor of Nursing
Darcy-Mahoney *2018 Health Disparities Research Institute Scholar, sponsored by National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities*

Jehan El-Bayoumi Professor of Medicine
W. Lester Henry Award for Diversity and Access to Care, American College of Physicians

Hugh Gusterson Professor of Anthropology and International Affairs
The 2017 Roy C. Palmer Civil Liberties Prize for his book "Drone: Remote Control Warfare" (MIT Press, 2016)

Andrea Hahn Assistant Professor of Pediatrics
Election into the Society for Pediatric Research, Society for Pediatric Research

John Hawdon Professor of Microbiology, Immunology, & Tropical Medicine
President, American Society of Parasitologists

- Karen Kesten** Associate Professor of Nursing
Visionary Leadership Lifetime Achievement Award from the American Association of Critical Care Nurses
- Saniya LeBlanc** Assistant Professor of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering
Named in American Society for Engineering Education's "Early Risers: 20 High-Achieving Researchers and Educators Under 40"
- Gaetano R. Lotrecchiano** Associate Professor of Clinical Research & Leadership
President-Elect, International Network for the Science of Team Science
- Thom Mayer** Clinical Professor of Emergency Medicine
James D. Mills Outstanding Contribution to Emergency Medicine Award, American College of Emergency Physicians
- Joan Meier** Clinical Professor of Law
Battered Mothers Custody Conference Honor for empirical research on behalf of victims of abuse in the family
- Sean Murphy** Manatt/Ahn Professor of International Law
Elected President of the American Society of International Law
- Olga Acosta Price** Associate Professor of Prevention and Community Health
Martin C. Usbkow Community, American Academy of Pediatrics, Council on School Health, 2018
- Carlos E. Rodriguez-Diaz** Associate Professor of Prevention and Community Health
Lyndon Haviland Public Health Mentoring Award, American Public Health Association
- Craig Sable** Professor of Pediatrics
Career Award, American Heart Association, American Heart Association Grant, American Heart Association
- Robin Steinhorn** Clinical Professor of Pediatrics
President-Elect, American Pediatric Society
- Sufian Zhemukhov** Associate Research Professor of International Affairs
The 2019 International Studies Association's Religion and International Relations Book Award, "Mass Religious Ritual and Intergroup Tolerance: The Muslim Pilgrims' Paradox" (co-authored with Mikhail Alexseev)(New York: Cambridge University Press, 2017)

FULBRIGHT SCHOLARS AND SPECIALIST PROGRAMS

Angel Ford	Professorial Lecturer in Educational Leadership <i>2019-20 Fulbright U.S. Scholar recipient to teach and conduct research at Hawassa University in Ethiopia</i>
Janis Teruggi Page	Adjunct Professor in the Strategic Public Relations <i>Fulbright, A Distinguished Chair Appointment to Masaryk University in the Czech Republic</i>

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION (NSF) CAREER, OTHER YOUNG INVESTIGATOR AWARDS

Leon Grayfer	Assistant Professor of Biological Sciences <i>NSF Career Award for his work on Amphibian Immune Responses</i>
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Philip J. Amsterdam Graduate Teaching Assistant Awards for Outstanding Teaching

The Amsterdam Awards are presented to graduate teaching assistants who have been teaching for two or more years and who have received outstanding evaluations from their students and their supervising professors.

Eve Boyle	Center for the Advanced Study of Human Paleobiology
Chulwoo Park	Department of Global Health
Amanda Pierson	Department of Sociology

Morton A. Bender Teaching Awards

The Bender Teaching Awards recognize undergraduate, graduate, and professional teaching at GW. Endowed by Morton A. Bender and the George Washington University, each award provides a prize to be used by the recipient for faculty development activities.

Terrie Gale	Professorial Lecturer in Sociology
Carly Jordan	Assistant Professor of Biological Sciences
Saniya LeBlanc	Assistant Professor of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering
Laurie Posey	Associate Professor of Nursing
Tara Scully	Assistant Professor of Biological Sciences

MORTON A. BENDER TEACHING AWARD FINALISTS

Lorena Barba	Associate Professor of Engineering and Applied Science
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Andrea Casey	Associate Professor of Human and Organizational Learning
Carola Goldenberg	Instructor of Spanish
Anna Helm	Teaching Assistant Professor of International Business
Mark Ralkowski	Associate Professor of Honors and Philosophy

Writing in the Disciplines Distinguished Teaching Awards

Presented by the University Writing Program, these awards honor select faculty members who teach Writing in the Disciplines (WID) courses.

WID DISTINGUISHED TEACHING AWARD 2019

Murray Snyder	Professor of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering and International Affairs
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WID BEST ASSIGNMENT DESIGN AWARD 2019

Jocelyne Brant	Assistant Professor of French
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WID DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE STUDENT TEACHING AWARD

Joshua Benson	Department of English
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Silver Anniversary Faculty

Active status faculty who have completed 25 years of continuous full-time service by Spring 2019 (started during 1994).

COLUMBIAN COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Tyler Anbinder Professor of History
James Clark Ronald B. Weintraub Professor Biological Sciences

ELLIOTT SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

Edward McCord Professor of History and International Affairs

GW LAW SCHOOL

Jeffrey Gutman Professor of Clinical Law
Sean Murphy Manatt/Ahn Professor of International Law

GW SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Robert Weiner Professor of International Business, Public Policy & Public Administration and International Affairs
Jiawen Yang Professor of International Business and International Affairs

MILKEN INSTITUTE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Caroline Sparks Associate Professor Emerita of Prevention & Community Health
Marinella Temprosa Assistant Research Professor of Epidemiology and Biostatistics

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND APPLIED SCIENCE

Jonathan Deason Professor of Engineering and Applied Science
Majid Manzari Professor of Civil Engineering
Rumana Riffat Professor of Civil Engineering
Johan van Dorp Professor of Engineering Management and of Decision Sciences

New Emeriti Faculty

Approved by the Board of Trustees and inducted into the Society of the Emeriti.

These members of the faculty have been, or will be, inducted by the George Washington University Board of Trustees into the Society of the Emeriti. This society was established to maintain close ties between former faculty members and the university.

COLUMBIAN COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Bryan Boulier Professor Emeritus of Economics

Larney Gump Professor Emeritus of Psychology

GW LAW SCHOOL

W. Burlette Carter Professor Emerita of Law

Phyllis Goldfarb Associate Dean for Clinical Affairs and Jacob Burns
Foundation Professor Emerita of Clinical Law

MILKEN INSTITUTE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Robert Burke Professor Emeritus of Health Policy and Management

Caroline Sparks Associate Professor Emerita of Prevention and
Community Health

James Cawley Professor Emeritus of Prevention and Community Health

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Hossein Askari Iran Professor Emeritus of International Business and
International Relations

SCHOOL OF MEDICINE AND HEALTH SCIENCES

James Ahlgren Professor Emeritus of Medicine

Ronald Bohn Associate Professor Emeritus of Anatomy
& Regenerative Biology

Samuel Spagnolo Professor Emeritus of Medicine

Carmelita Tuazon Professor Emerita of Medicine

Office of the Vice President for Research Awards

The Office of the Vice President for Research (OVPR) Faculty Awards recognize excellence in research and scholarship. Recipients of the Distinguished Researcher and Distinguished Scholar Awards have made significant contributions to the university, their respective fields and society. The Early Career Researcher Award and the Early Career Scholar Award recognize faculty members whose early research and scholarship predict a career of remarkable success. Finally, the newly created Research Mentorship Award recognizes a faculty member that has had a significant impact on the academic and professional development of students and trainees.

DISTINGUISHED RESEARCHER

Stuart Licht Professor of Chemistry

DISTINGUISHED SCHOLAR

Charles Glaser Professor of Political Science and International Affairs

EARLY CAREER RESEARCHER

Megan Leftwich Associate Professor of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

EARLY CAREER SCHOLAR

Christopher Warshaw Assistant Professor of Political Science

RESEARCH MENTORSHIP

Cynthia McClintock Professor of Political Science and International Affairs

Oscar and Shoshana Trachtenberg Faculty Prizes

These prizes, the top faculty awards granted by the George Washington University, are presented to tenured members of the faculty to recognize accomplishments in scholarship, teaching, and university service.

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Anthony Yezer Professor of Economics

Professor Yezer joined the Department of Economics at the George Washington University in 1972. In his 47 years at GW, Professor Yezer has served on numerous committees at the departmental, collegiate, and University levels. At the department

level, he is on numerous committees, including having chaired two tenure-track search committees in the last two years. Outside of the department, he has served on the budget committee, the curriculum review committee, and the faculty senate educational policy committee. Professor Yezer has vastly expanded the alumni network in Economics, and built deep relationships with key institutions in the area such as the Department of Housing and Urban Development, The World Bank, Fannie Mae, and Freddie Mac. He has exerted considerable effort over the years in events such as “Careers in Economics,” which has translated into outstanding job placements for Economics majors. The George Washington University is now on the primary recruiting list for top employers, including the big four accounting firms, top consulting firms, and the government, largely due to Professor Yezer’s efforts.

SCHOLARSHIP

Hugh Gusterson Professor of Anthropology and International Affairs

Dr. Gusterson’s cutting-edge research focuses on the intersection of science and security studies with a particular interest in the ways knowledge claims are made to seem true. With a B.A. in history from Cambridge University and a Ph.D from Stanford, he is the author of the books *Drone: Remote Control Warfare* (MIT Press, 2016), *People of the Bomb: Portraits of America’s Nuclear Complex* (Minnesota 2004), and *Nuclear Rites: A Weapons Laboratory at the End of the Cold War* (California 1996) and co-editor of four additional books. Most recently, Dr. Gusterson was awarded a prestigious fellowship from the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation to complete his book, tentatively titled *Tinkering with Armageddon: Nuclear Weapons Science After the Cold War*. His articles have appeared in several highly esteemed academic journals and in *The Washington Post*, *Los Angeles Times*, *Boston Globe*, and *Bulletin of Atomic Scientists*. Professor Gusterson has taught at MIT, Georgia Tech, Bristol University, and George Mason University. He also served as President of the American Ethnological Society 2016-2017.

TEACHING

Heather Berry Professor of International Business and International Affairs

Professor Berry joined the Elliott School of International Affairs at the George Washington University in 2011. During the 2010-2011 academic year, Professor Berry was awarded an ASA/NSF/BEA Fellowship for her research at the Bureau of Economic Analysis on the foreign direct investment of US MNCs. Professor Berry’s research examines the scope and performance of multinational firms. Her research shows how interdependencies across firm resource allocation decisions in product and geographic markets impact firm investment, divestment and performance. Professor Berry is an Associate Editor at the *Strategic Management Journal* and a Consulting Editor at the *Journal of International Business Studies*. She also serves on the Editorial Review Boards for *Organization Science* and the *Global Strategy Journal*. Her use of class discussions and ability to encourage undergraduates to think logically and critically stimulates a high level of student involvement and excitement in her classrooms.

TRACHTENBERG FACULTY PRIZE FINALISTS

Patricia Hernandez	Associate Professor of Biological Sciences
Michael Moore	Professor of Economics and International Affairs
Christopher Rollston	Associate Professor of Northwest Semitic Languages and Literatures
Clay Warren	Chauncey M. Depew Professor of Communications & Professor of Organizational Sciences

Music Selections

Facts + Figures is GW professor Peter Fraize's (2016) album of all original music for acoustic jazz quartet and quintet. It features compositions written over the past two decades that reflect some of the important events, places, and people (the facts + figures) in his life. Saxophonist Fraize is joined on this recording by pianist and fellow GW faculty member Jon Ozment, along with Paul Pieper (guitar), Nathan Kawaller (bass) and Leland Nakamura (drums).

Thank You

We very much appreciate the hard work of all the nominators and supporters, who put in extraordinary effort to recognize faculty dedication. More than 46 departments contributed nomination dossiers, and through their efforts, we are building upon the culture of teaching, research, and service excellence at GW.

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