



PROFESSORS GATE

7th Annual

FACULTY HONORS

Ceremony

Tuesday,

APRIL 25, 2017

Jack Morton Auditorium

THE GEORGE
WASHINGTON
UNIVERSITY
WASHINGTON, DC

Seventh Annual Faculty Honors Ceremony

Welcome

Forrest Maltzman

Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

Greeting

Steven Knapp

President



Recognition of Teaching Achievements

Philip J. Amsterdam Graduate Teaching Assistant Awards

Morton A. Bender Teaching Awards

Writing in the Disciplines Distinguished Teaching Awards

Gaetano Lotrecchiano

Chair, Academy of Distinguished Teachers and Assistant Professor of Clinical Research and Leadership and of Pediatrics



Recognition of Silver Anniversary and New Emeriti Faculty

Bethany Cobb Kung

Associate Professor of Honors and Physics



Office of the Vice President for Research Awards

Gina Lohr

Associate Vice President for Research



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

Kathryn L. Ranhorn

Ph.D. Candidate 2017



Closing



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

Notable Faculty Awards for 2016-2017

FELLOWS AND DISTINGUISHED MEMBERSHIPS

Attiya Ahmad	Assistant Professor of Anthropology <i>Luce/ACLA Program in Religion, Journalism & International Affairs Fellowship</i>
Tara Behrend	Associate Professor of Organizational Sciences <i>Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences (CASBS) at Stanford University Fellowship (2016-17)</i>
Patricia Berg	Professor of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology <i>Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS)</i>
Linda Briggs	Assistant Professor of Nursing <i>Fellow, National Academy of Nurse Practitioners</i>
Jennifer Brinkerhoff	Professor of International Affairs, International Business, and Public Policy & Public Administration <i>2016 Fellow, National Academy of Public Administration</i>
Naomi Cahn	Harold H. Greene Professor of Law <i>Member, American Law Institute Fellow, American Bar Foundation</i>
Eric Grynawski	Associate Professor of Political Science <i>Fellowship from the Käte Hamburger Kolleg Centre for Global Cooperation Research at the Universität Duisburg-Essen</i>
Lance Hoffman	Professor Emeritus of Computer Science <i>Inducted to the National Cyber Security Hall of Fame</i>
Pamela Jeffries	Dean and Professor of Nursing <i>Fellow, Society for Simulation in Healthcare</i>
Daniel Klasik	Assistant Professor of Higher Education <i>National Academy of Education/Spencer Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship</i>
Beverly Lunsford	Assistant Professor of Nursing <i>Fellow, American Academy of Nursing</i>
Edward Salsberg	Research Instructor in Nursing <i>Fellow, American Academy of Nursing</i>
Kausik Sarkar	Professor of Engineering and Applied Science <i>Fellow, American Society of Mechanical Engineers</i>
George Solomon	Professor of Management <i>2016 Fellow, Direct Selling Education Foundation</i>
Andrew Zimmerman	Professor of History and International Affairs <i>Fellowship (Member) at the Institute for Advanced Study in Princeton</i>

AWARDS AND OTHER HONORS

Herman Aguinis	Professor of Business <i>2016 Emerald Citations of Excellence Award for the articles "Best-practice recommendations for estimating cross-level interaction effects using multilevel modeling," "Best-practice recommendations for defining, identifying, and handling outliers," and "The too-much-of-a-good-thing effect in management"</i>
Arshad Ali	Assistant Professor of Educational Research <i>American Educational Research Association Early Career Award</i>
Tyler Anbinder	Professor of History <i>Winner of the Mark Lynton History Prize for his book City of Dreams: The 400 Year Epic History of Immigrant New York</i>
Lorena Barba	Associate Professor of Engineering and Applied Science <i>2016 Leamer-Rosenthal Prize for Open Social Science</i>
Lisa Benton-Short	Associate Professor of Geography <i>Winner of the 2017 AAG John Brinckerhoff Jackson Prize for The National Mall: No Ordinary Public Space</i>
Katherine Chiappinelli	Assistant Professor of Microbiology, Immunology, and Tropical Medicine <i>K99/R00 "Pathway to Independence" Award</i>
Jeffrey Cohen	Professor of English and Human Sciences <i>Winner of the René Wellek Prize for the best book in comparative literature from the American Comparative Literature Association</i>
Rebecca Dedmond	Assistant Professor of Counseling <i>Presidential Recognition Award for Outstanding Leadership and Service, National Career Development Association</i>
Bruce J. Dickson	Professor of Political Science and International Affairs <i>2016 Outstanding Academic Title, CHOICE for The Dictator's Dilemma: The Chinese Communist Party's Strategy for Survival</i>
Martha Finnemore	University Professor of Political Science and International Affairs <i>2017 J. Ann Tickner Award, International Studies Association</i>
Cathie Guzzetta	Clinical Professor of Nursing <i>American Association of Critical-Care Nurses</i>
John Hawdon	Associate Professor of Microbiology and Tropical Medicine and of Biological Sciences <i>Henry Baldwin Ward Medal</i>
Pamela Jeffries	Dean and Professor of Nursing <i>Mary Adelaide Nutting Award for Outstanding Leadership in Nursing Education</i>
Henry Kaminski	Professor of Neurology <i>Regular Member, Clinical Trials Study Section (NSD-K)</i>

Michael Keidar	Professor of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering <i>American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA)</i> <i>2017 National Engineer of the Year</i>
Jisoo Kim	Associate Professor of History & International Affairs <i>2017 James D. Palais Book Prize, Association for Asian Studies for The Emotions of Justice: Gender, Status, and Legal Performance in Choson Korea</i>
Megan Leftwich	Assistant Professor of Engineering and Applied Science <i>2017 Office of Naval Research Young Investigator Award</i>
Stuart Licht	Professor of Chemistry <i>Recipient of the 2017 CSW Hillebrand Prize from the Chemical Society of Washington</i>
Marc Lynch	Professor of Political Science and International Affairs and of Media & Public Affairs <i>Foreign Affairs "Best Books of 2016" List for The New Arab Wars: Uprisings and Anarchy in the Middle East</i>
Kirsten Martin	Assistant Professor of Strategic Management and Public Policy <i>Future of Privacy Foundation Award for the paper "Privacy Paper for Policy Makers"</i>
Paul J. Marvar	Assistant Professor of Pharmacology & Physiology <i>Beverly Petterson Bishop Award for Excellence in Neurophysiology</i>
Melani McAlister	Associate Professor of American Studies and International Affairs <i>National Endowment for the Humanities</i>
Joan Meier	Clinical Professor of Law <i>Alice Paul Award from the National Organization of Men Against Sexism (NOMAS)</i>
Harris Mylonas	Associate Professor of Political Science and International Affairs <i>2017 Editorial board member for the Journal of Modern Greek Studies</i>
Henry Nau	Professor of Political Science and International Affairs <i>Order of the Rising Sun and Gold Rays with Neck Ribbon, The Government of Japan</i>
Michael Plesniak	Professor of Engineering and Applied Science <i>American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) 2017 Fluids Engineering Award</i>
Perry Richardson	Professor of Neurology and Neurosurgery <i>Residency Program Director Recognition Award</i>
David Shambaugh	Professor of Political Science and International Affairs <i>The Economist "Best Books of 2016" List for China's Future</i>

Caitlin Talmadge	Assistant Professor of Political Science and International Affairs <i>2017 Best Book Award, Security Studies Section, International Studies Association for The Dictator's Army: Battlefield Effectiveness in Authoritarian Regimes; Foreign Affairs "Best Books of 2016" List for The Dictator's Army: Battlefield Effectiveness in Authoritarian Regimes</i>
Jorge Walter	Associate Professor of Strategic Management and Public Policy <i>2016 Above and Beyond the Call of Duty (ABCD) Reviewing Award</i>

FULBRIGHT SCHOLARS AND SPECIALIST PROGRAMS

Sanjay Jain	Associate Industry Professor of Decision Sciences <i>Fulbright-Nebru Award</i>
Jean Johnson	Professor of Nursing <i>Fulbright Scholars Program</i>
Laurie Kohn	Associate Professor of Clinical Law <i>2016 Fulbright Specialist Roster</i>
James Williams	Professor of International Education <i>Fulbright Scholar Award for 2016/17 to Thailand for research on Internationalization of Higher Education in ASEAN region</i>

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

Chunlei Liang	Associate Professor of Engineering and Applied Science <i>2016 National Science Foundation CAREER Award</i>
Peter Nemes	Assistant Professor of Chemistry <i>National Science Foundation CAREER Award from the Biology Directorate</i>

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.

Pablo Frank Bolton	Department of Computer Science
Hakim Walker	Department of Mathematics

Morton A. Bender Teaching Awards

The Bender Teaching Awards recognize undergraduate, graduate, and professional teaching at G.W. 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.

Jennifer Bertolet	Professorial Lecturer in History
Linda Briggs	Assistant Professor of Nursing
Natalie Milman	Associate Professor of Educational Technology
Emily A. Morrison	Director, Human Services and Social Justice Program Assistant Professor, Sociology

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 2017

Royce A. Francis	Assistant Professor of Engineering Management and Systems Engineering
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WID BEST ASSIGNMENT DESIGN AWARD 2017

Mary Buckley	Director, Elizabeth J. Sommers Women's Leadership Program and Associate Professor of Dance
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WID DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE STUDENT TEACHING AWARD

Alan Montroso	English Department Doctoral Candidate
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Silver Anniversary Faculty

Active status faculty who have completed 25 years of continuous full-time service by Spring 2017 (started during 1992).

COLUMBIAN COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Karen Ahlquist	Associate Professor of Music
Robert Baker	Associate Professor of Music and Director of Performance Study
Patricia Chu	Associate Professor of English
Jody Ganiban	Professor of Psychology
Roy Grinker	Professor of Anthropology and International Affairs
Arun Malik	Professor of Economics and of Public Policy and Public Administration
Teresa Murphy	Deputy Provost for Academic Affairs and Professor of American Studies
Yongwu Rong	Professor of Mathematics
Carol Sigelman	Professor of Psychology
Tally Tripp	Professor of Art Therapy

LAW SCHOOL

W. Burlette Carter	Professor of Law
Joan Schaffner	Associate Professor of Law

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Paul Swiercz	Professor of Management
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SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND APPLIED SCIENCE

Hernan Abeledo	Associate Professor of Engineering and Applied Science
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SCHOOL OF MEDICINE AND HEALTH SCIENCES

Catherine Boinest	Assistant Professor of Medicine
Anamaris Colberg-Poley	Professor of Integrative Systems Biology
Christine Corriveau	Clinical Assistant Professor of Pediatrics
Sally Moody	Professor of Anatomy and Regenerative Biology
Luu Nguyen	Assistant Professor of Anesthesiology and Critical Care Medicine

Mary Catherine Ottolini Professor of Pediatrics

Khodayar Rais-Bahrani Professor of Pediatrics

Tommie Robinson Associate Professor of Pediatrics

Jason Sankar Assistant Professor of Anesthesiology and
Critical Care Medicine

Michael Seneff Associate Professor of Anesthesiology and
Critical Care Medicine

Mary Ann Stepp Professor of Anatomy and Regenerative Biology

Imad Tabbara Professor of Medicine

UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS

Martha Finnemore University Professor of Political Science and
International Affairs

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

Robert Devers Associate Professor Emeritus of Fine Arts

Andy Grundberg Professor Emeritus of Photography

Maria Guerrero Associate Professor Emerita of Graphic Design

Muriel Hasbun Professor Emerita of Photography

Antje Kharchi Associate Professor Emeritus of Graphic Design

Akbar Montaser Professor Emeritus of Chemistry

Faye Moskowitz Professor Emerita of English

Dennis O'Neil Professor Emeritus of Fine Arts

Susan Sell Professor Emerita of Political Science

Claudia Smigrod Professor Emerita of Photography

Kenneth Smith Jr. Associate Professor Emeritus of Art Studies

Lynn Sures Professor Emerita of Fine Arts

Bernard Welt Professor Emeritus of Art Studies

GRADUATE SCHOOL OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Carol Hoare	Professor Emerita of Counseling and Human Development
Linda Lemasters	Professor Emerita of Educational Leadership
Sharon Lynch	Professor Emerita of Curriculum and Pedagogy
Nicholas Paley	Professor Emeritus of Educational Leadership
Juliana Taymans	Professor Emerita of Special Education and Disability Studies
Roger Whitaker	Professor Emeritus of Higher Education Administration and Sociology

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Jeffrey Lenn	Professor Emeritus of Strategic Management
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SCHOOL OF MEDICINE AND HEALTH SCIENCES

L. Thompson Bowles	Professor Emeritus of Surgery
Avital Cnaan	Professor Emeritus of Pediatrics
Raafat Samy Hannallah	Professor Emeritus of Anesthesiology and Critical Care Medicine and Pediatrics
Sands Irani	Clinical Professor Emerita of Medicine
Janette Krum	Associate Professor Emerita of Anatomy and Regenerative Biology
Elena Nightingale	Adjunct Professor Emerita of Pediatrics
Raymond Scalettar	Clinical Professor Emeritus of Medicine
Hrant Semerjian	Clinical Professor Emeritus of Urology
Nalini Singh	Professor Emerita of Pediatrics
Raymond Walsh	Professor Emeritus of Anatomy and Regenerative Biology

COLLEGE OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Gregory Lebel	Director Emeritus of Semester in Washington and Native American Political Leadership Programs
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MILKEN INSTITUTE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Larry Hamm	Professor Emeritus of Exercise and Nutritional Sciences
Jerome Danoff	Professor Emeritus of Exercise and Nutritional Sciences

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.

DISTINGUISHED RESEARCHER

Michael Keidar

A. James Clark Professor of Engineering

DISTINGUISHED SCHOLAR

Ilana Feldman

Professor of Anthropology, History, and International Affairs

EARLY CAREER RESEARCHER

Volker J. Sorger

Assistant Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering

EARLY CAREER SCHOLAR

Caitlin Talmadge

Assistant 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

Diana Lipscomb

Professor of Biology

Professor Lipscomb has exemplified extraordinary service to the university over many years since joining GW in 1982. Over her years at GW, Professor Lipscomb has served as Associate Dean of CCAS for Faculty and Research, Interim Dean of CCAS, two terms as the Chair of Biological Sciences, and has served on multiple Faculty Senate Committees. She was instrumental in establishing the Weintraub professorships and has informally directed the Department's program in systematic biology. Professor Lipscomb also played a key role in securing the multi-million dollar Harlan Endowment that funded the construction and maintenance of a greenhouse in the Science and Engineering Hall, and

supports scholarships for numerous undergraduate and graduate students. What is most impressive is that while providing all these services to the university, Professor Lipscomb has maintained an active teaching load throughout her tenure, mentored numerous undergrad and graduate students, and provided stellar service outside the university as a program officer at NSF and as the editor of the journal *Cladistics*.

SCHOLARSHIP

Graciela Laura Kaminsky Professor of Economics and International Affairs

Graciela L. Kaminsky is Professor of Economics and International Affairs at George Washington University and Research Associate at the National Bureau of Economic Research. She previously held positions as assistant professor at the University of California, San Diego and staff economist at the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System. She has been a Visiting Scholar at numerous government organizations and international institutions, including the Bank of Japan, Bank of Spain, Hong Kong Monetary Authority, International Monetary Fund, and World Bank. She holds a Ph.D. in Economics from MIT. Professor Kaminsky has published widely in leading academic journals, including the *American Economic Review*, the *Journal of Development Economics*, the *Journal of International Economics*, the *Journal of Monetary Economics*, and the *Journal of Economic Perspectives*. Her research has been featured in the financial press, including *The Economist*, *The Financial Times*, and *Businessweek*. Professor Kaminsky's research covers a variety of topics in macroeconomics and international finance, including financial globalization, international borrowing cycles, sovereign debt crises, currency and banking crises, financial contagion, and inflation stabilization policies. This research has been funded by the *National Science Foundation* and *The Institute for New Economic Thinking*, among other organizations.

TEACHING

David Braun Associate Professor of Anthropology

One of Professor Braun's main responsibilities since joining GW in 2012 has been the development of the Koobi Fora Field School (KFFS). This is a 30 year collaboration with the National Museum of Kenya and has trained almost every major figure in human evolutionary studies. The KFFS takes place each summer at a remote location in northern Kenya where students have the opportunity to participate in research to discover evidence of ancient human ancestors and the environments that they occupied. Students gain experiences that they carry with them for the rest of their lives, regardless of whether they stay in anthropology. After bringing the KFFS from Rutgers to GW, Professor Braun has completely revitalized the program. Concerned about the retention of the information from this program, Professor Braun has dedicated his time in the last few years to familiarize himself with the current research concerning education, and has worked with GW's eDesign group to build an entire online course to make sure students have some basic knowledge of geology, taphonomy, and evolution before they arrive in Kenya.

Music Selections

Facts + Figures is GW professor Peter Fraize's new 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 30 departments contributed nomination dossiers, and through their efforts, we continue to cultivate a culture of teaching, research, and service excellence at GW.

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