

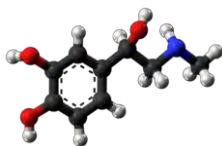


**KENNESAW STATE  
UNIVERSITY**

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS  
*Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry*

*2019*

*Awards Day*



**April 26, 2019**

**Hosted by  
Dr. Mark B. Mitchell**



## *A Welcome from the Department Chair*

Welcome to the 2018-2019 Chemistry and Biochemistry Awards Day Ceremony!

The students who receive awards during this ceremony have been judged by the faculty of the Department to represent the finest of the many outstanding Chemistry and Biochemistry students.

Many of the awardees are seniors who will graduate and go on to graduate school, professional school, or some other scientific endeavor. Other awardees, from freshmen to graduate students, have distinguished themselves in a course or in some other aspect of Departmental performance so as to be recognized as among the best of the students in our programs.

All of the students who are presented here today are truly worthy of recognition. We thank you for attending this ceremony, and ask you to join us as we congratulate these remarkable students on their achievements.

Dr. Mark B. Mitchell, Chair  
Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry  
Kennesaw State University





Beta Upsilon Chapter

**Faculty Advisors**

Dr. Heather Abbott-Lyon

Dr. Nancy Jo Kirk

President, 2018 - 2019 – Shawn Allison

Vice President, Communication (Fall 2018) – Brianna Woolery

Vice President, Communication (Spring 2019) – Zeljka Zec

Vice President, Membership (Fall 2018) – Steffanny Marcellina

Vice President, Membership (Spring 2019) – Hayley Milner

Vice President, Outreach (Spring 2019) – Olivia Godwin

**2018-2019 Members**

Markell Adams

Katie Birt

Braden Clinebell

Robbie Cronin

Cameron Daniel

Katelyn Edwards

Liana Gerhardt

Leah Greinke

Natalie Harris

Ki Dae Kim

Nicholas Limon

Paris Little

Christian Luda

Nimia Maya

Dana Mercado

Rania Mohsin

Jessica Osborn

Sarah Rehman

Brianna Smith

Sarah Sneed

Samantha Sprang

Brittany Stento

Sarah Verhoff

Alyssa Wright



**Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry**  
**2019 Awards Day**

ACS Division of Analytical Chemistry  
Undergraduate Award

**Scott Richardson**

*Presented by Dr. Marina Koether*

ACS Division of Inorganic Chemistry  
Undergraduate Award

**Kristi Moncja**

*Presented by Dr. Altug Poyraz*

ACS Division of Organic Chemistry  
Undergraduate Award

**Braden Clinebell**

*Presented by Dr. Daniela Tapu*

ACS Division of Physical Chemistry  
Undergraduate Award

**Brianna Smith**

*Presented by Dr. Heather Abbott-Lyon*

ACS POLYED Undergraduate Award in  
Organic Chemistry

**Sarah Fraser**

*Presented by Dr. Daniela Tapu*

American Institute of Chemists Student Award  
in Biochemistry

**Brady Wells**

*Presented by Dr. Carol Chrestensen*





**Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry  
2019 Awards Day**

American Institute of Chemists Student Award  
in Chemistry

**Anna-Marie Plaviak**

*Presented by Dr. Heather Abbott-Lyon*

American Institute of Chemists Student Award  
in the Chemical Sciences

**Diane Diatta**

*Presented by Dr. Thomas C. Leeper*

CRC Press Freshman Chemistry Achievement  
Award

**Lyndsay Price**

*Presented by Dr. Meredith Baker*

Merck Index Award

**Zeljka Zec**

*Presented by Dr. Altug Poyraz*

Departmental Award in Forensic Chemistry

**Robbie Cronin**

*Presented by Dr. Chris Dockery*

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant Award

**Logan Smith**

*Presented by Mr. Ben Huck*

Graduate Teaching Assistant Award

**Zane Bertoli**

*Presented by Ms. Kimberly Kammerdiener*





## SUMMER 2018

### Biochemistry

Orrion Kuykendall  
Kevin Patel

### Chemistry

Sarah Ake  
Brandon Dockery  
Destin Thomas

### M.S. in Chemical Sciences

Kimberly Kammerdiener



## FALL 2018

### Biochemistry

Kenneth-John Bell      Ki Dae Kim  
Ashley McDonald

### Chemistry

Timothy Alcorn  
Dalton Boutwell  
Alvaro Calderon  
Andre Duenas  
Leijah Foxworth  
Garret Garner  
Evan Hardbeck  
Daniel Herfurth  
Katie Jenkins  
Noah Lakeman  
Jade Long

Steffanny Marcellina  
Austin Murray  
Nimol Muth  
Honore Mylar  
Connor O'Dea  
Anna-Marie Plaviak  
Scott Richardson  
Samuel Romious  
Eric Seymour  
Francisca Small  
Brianna Woolery





## SPRING 2019

### Biochemistry

Markell Adams  
Shawn Allison  
Brandon Bell  
Olivia Godwin  
Natalie Harris  
Paris Little  
Dana Mercado

Hayley Milner  
Kristi Moncja  
Bao Nguyen  
Ifeoluwani Oyeleye  
Ramsey Padilla  
Thomas Potts

Sarah Sneed  
Samantha Sprang  
Katherine Thornburgh  
Sarah Verhoff  
Connie Wei  
Brady Wells  
Megan Whitlow

### Chemistry

Joann Brewer  
Jonathan Chaney  
Savannah Clonts  
Kersten Forsberg  
Elijah George  
Patrick Glenn  
Ernest Gyasi  
Christianne Hoggs  
Daniel Inglese

Victoria Jarrell  
Taylor Jones  
Ji Hun Jung  
Miranda Lazdans  
Rania Mohsin  
Quang Nguyen  
Joon Mo Park  
Jonathan Pierre

Joel Reed  
George Reid  
Katie Schoen  
Brianna Smith  
Joshua Sukumar  
Breyonna Vick  
Jeresa Watson  
Matthew Watson  
Matthew Worley



### M.S. in Chemical Sciences

Jenifer Calvert  
Diane Diatta

Latanya Downer  
Oluwatobi Fabunmi

Nimia Maya  
Ethan Miller



## Chemistry and Biochemistry Student Presenters at State, Regional, and National Conferences, 2018-2019

Camille Atlan  
Dalton Boutwell  
Alvaro Calderon  
Jenifer Calvert  
Braden Clinebell  
Robbie Cronin  
Erin Cureau  
Diane Diatta  
Latanya Downer  
Andrew Duenas  
Ethan Ertell  
Oluwatobi Fabunmi

Kersten Forsberg  
Sienna Freeman  
Ryan Gaynor  
Liana Gerhardt  
Olivia Godwin  
Noah Lakeman  
Josh Laughlin  
Nimia Maya  
Stephen McKenney  
Kimberly Meyberg  
Ethan Miller

Julian Mory  
Connor O'Dea  
Kevin Patel  
Anna-Marie Plaviak  
Aaron Schultz  
Ian Sellars  
Sarah Sneed  
William Turner  
Kyle Vuong  
Brady Wells  
Brianna Woolery  
Zeljka Zec

### Herty Medal Undergraduate Research Symposium 2018



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Georgia

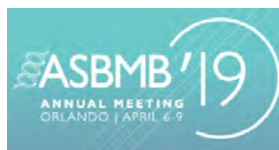


### American Chemical Society Georgia Section Research Symposium

Kennesaw State University  
1000 Chastain Road Kennesaw  
October 27, 2018, Saturday, 11:00 am - 3:00 pm



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