

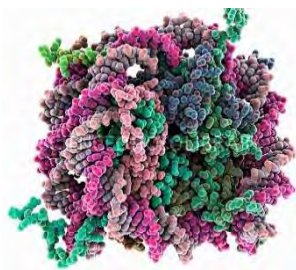
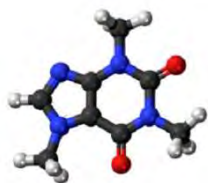


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COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS
Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

2024

Awards Day



April 25, 2024

Hosted by Dr. Marina Koether



A Welcome from the Department Chair

Welcome to the 2023-2024 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 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. Chris Dockery, Interim Chair
Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry
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February 21 at 11:11 PM
Congratulations to biochemistry major Blake Williams for representing KSU, CSM, and the Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry at the Georgia State Capitol yesterday! Blake was one of five KSU students selected to share their research with state representatives and legislators at the Peltier in the Georgia Capitol.





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ACS Division of Analytical Chemistry Undergraduate Award

Faith Spratt

Presented by Dr. Wei Zhou

ACS Division of Inorganic Chemistry Undergraduate Award

Matt Moore

Presented by Dr. Madalynn Marshall

ACS Undergraduate Achievement in Biochemistry

Aamna Aijaz

Presented by Dr. Thomas C. Leeper

ACS Undergraduate Award in Physical Chemistry

Matt Moore

Presented by Dr. Mark Mitchell

CRC Press Freshman Chemistry Achievement Award

Griffin Kitchens

Presented by Dr. Chris Sumner

Merck Index Award

Matt Moore

Presented by Dr. Daniela Tapu

Departmental Award in Pharmaceutical Chemistry

Matthew Pasierb

Presented by Dr. Marina Koether

Undergraduate Research Award in Analytical Chemistry

Matt Mineo

Presented by Dr. Mohammad Halim

Undergraduate Research Award in Biochemistry

Irina Padilla

Presented by Dr. Thomas C. Leeper

Undergraduate Research Award in Inorganic Chemistry

Matt Moore

Presented by Dr. Madalynn Marshall

Undergraduate Research Award in Organic Chemistry

Ra'Nya Malone

Presented by Dr. Carl Saint-Louis





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Undergraduate Research Award in Physical Chemistry

Ben Gibbas

Presented by Dr. Martina Kaledin

Freshman Undergraduate Research Award

Iona Alatar

Presented by Dr. Mohammad Halim

Sophomore Undergraduate Research Award

Ra'Nya Malone

Presented by Dr. Carl Saint-Louis

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant Award

Ciara Bell

Presented by Mr. Ben Huck

Graduate Teaching Assistant Award

Aleksandra Hilliard

Presented by Dr. Ana West

Valor Award

Ophelia Adjei-Sah

Presented by Dr. Carl Saint-Louis



Outstanding Graduate, Bachelor of Science in
Biochemistry

Blaise Williams

Presented by Dr. Mohammad Halim

Outstanding Graduate, Bachelor of Science in Chemistry

Faith Spratt

Presented by Dr. Marina Koether

Outstanding Graduate, Master of Science in Chemical
Sciences

Md Ackas Ali

Presented by Dr. Mohammad Halim





Congratulations to Our Graduates

SUMMER 2023

Chemistry

Axle Garcia
Katherine Lui-Golian
Monica Vu

M.S. in Chemical Sciences

Keri Dowling
Katelyn Hambrick
Honour Williams



FALL 2023

Chemistry

William Bryant
Ariane Charland-Martin
Courtney Coffee
Michael Dodson
Katherine Gormally

Sarah Krummert
Nykolas Mackevicius
Shyanne Mincey
Connor Welch
Sasha Williams

Biochemistry

Aamna Aijaz
Adyia Collier
Ami Eho

Liliana Ortiz
Irina Padilla
Maria Snyder
Anthony Stefanie





GRADUATE PETITIONS FOR SPRING 2024

Chemistry

Sameeh Abdul-Rahman	Shannon Hipp	Minh Bao Phung
Nicole Barkley	Anna James	Sara Rahimpour
Robert Bollin	Candy Kelly	Arthur Ray
Jordan Brannam	Andrew Kokinda	Gracie Smith
Danielle Brown	Jennifer Marquez-Vasquez	Kelley Smith
Clara D'Amour	Caroline McClure	Faith Spratt
Peter Edwards	Yessenia Mendoza	Kelsey Starkey
Joshuah Griggs, Jr.	Joshua Nooks	Azhanae Williams
Juelian Harrell	Kailen Parks	Nada Zemmouri
	Matthew Pasierb	

Biochemistry

Trinity Alamutu	Michael Landers	Kelechi Okere
Karen Anisha	Ryan McCall	Vy Phan
Bracey Dallas	Walter McReady	Kacy Smith
Vy Dao	Suzane Nguyen	Blaise Williams

M.S. in Chemical Sciences

Ophelia Adjei-Sah	Lillian Daniel
Md Ackas Ali	Ian Danquah
Anusha Bhattarai	Tyler Davis
Albert Campbell	Mubassarah Munjirin Sazmi
	Dhimani Still





2023-2024 Symposium of Student Scholars

Presenters



Ophelia Adjei-Sah

Airin Akhter

Iona Alatar

Md Ackas Ali

Layth Alsibai

Christina Ambat

Karen Anisha

Prioska Baruah

Trinity Bell-Atkinson

Rohan Bhatia

Robert Bollin

Ellie Boyle

Douglas Brooke Dickson

Albert D. Campbell

Sarah Chang

Ariane Charland-Martin

Shanza Choudhary

Imran Dabdoub

Bracey Dallas

Lillian Daniel

Nathaniel Davis

Samantha Deniz Gonzalez

Inaara Dinani

Abigail Dingess

Kaia Ellis

Jacob Erasmus

Julia Franz

Matthew Frias

Aidan Gerdis

Mahdi Ghasemi

Benjamin Gibbas

Victoria Gonzales

Lyric Gordon

Jose Gutierrez-Cardenas

Abdul Hannan

Aniyah Harris

Younos Hashem

Aleksandra Hilliard

Davis Kammerdiener

Shayla Kelley

Lilianna Kocai

Jaina Kothari

Grace Kurniawan

Donovan Landers

Journey Lark

Rosa Leap

Thomas Leyden

Kayla Maeger

Ra'Nya Malone

Farah Mashal

Walter McReady

Matthew Mineo

Abby Moen

Matthew Moore

Emma Murphy

Suzane Nguyen

Kelechi Okere

Miriam Raggs

Ayaan Rana

Ridham Raval

Kayla Roper

Amal Samih

Mia Santillan

Md Taimuzzaman Sharif

Reagan Shumpert

Gracie Smith

Dhimani Still

Jhonatan Stincer

Kaylee Stone

Mya Stubbs

Edward George Tapu

Lexie Thrasher

Alexander Van Dyke

Alaina Westee

Kyle Whitaker

Blaise Williams

Ashley Zamora

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