Awards and Honors
Annual Report
College of Allied Health
2020-2021

Provost’s Research Award for Junior Faculty
Michal Stout

Midwest Association of Allied Health Deans of Academic Health Centers Legacy Scholarship
Ruth Rasmussen

Southern Association of Allied Health Deans Student Leadership, Diversity, Inclusion, and Equity Award
Gustavo Martinez

Alpha Eta Society
Katherine Riedstra, Sydney D. Rodenberg Award for Outstanding Undergraduate Student

Student Association Officer Service Awards
Jayden Sarabia, President
Emily Carter, Vice President-Oklahoma City
Kelsi Clawson, Vice President-Tulsa
Mackenzie Davis, Secretary
Beau Cobb, Treasurer

Student Association Scholarship
Brett Chase, Doctor of Physical Therapy program
Casey Crane, Doctor of Audiology program
Emily Crews, Master of Occupational Therapy program
Mackenzie Davis, Bachelor of Science in Communication Sciences & Disorders program
Melissa Henniger, Master of Arts in Dietetics program
Gustavo Martinez, Doctor of Physical Therapy program
Jayden Sarabia, Doctor of Audiology program

Teacher of the Year
Sarah Buckingham

Dean's Award for Academic Excellence (4.0 Medallion)
McKenzie Kalsu, Communication Sciences
Megan Milligan, Communication Sciences
Ally Parham, Communication Sciences
Katherine Riedstra, Communication Sciences
Amanda Walker, Communication Sciences
Tiffany West, Sonography
Dean's Award for Academic Excellence in a Professional Program (4.0 CAH Medallion)
   Jessica Dennis, Speech-Language Pathology
   Shelby Dickerson, Occupational Therapy
   Chaydee Lawless, Speech-Language Pathology
   Hannalore Stanton, Dietetics

   *= 4.0 entire academic career

Dean's Award for Excellence in Clinical Practice
   Sara Maali, Audiology
   McKenzie Goff, Clinical Dietetics
   Jeralyn Magno, Nuclear Medicine
   Holland Carson, Occupational Therapy
   Zachary King, Physical Therapy
   Brandon Draper, Radiation Therapy
   Chesney Fouts, Radiography
   Laura Griffin, Sonography
   Chaydee Lawless, Speech-Language Pathology

Graduate Research Education and Technology (GREAT) Symposium
   2021 Graduate Paper of the Year: Shivani Mann
   Graduate Student Association Award for Scientific Achievement: Ruth Rasmussen

Rudeen Research Enhancement Award for Excellence in Research
   Raghuveer Chandrashekhar
   Libby Parker
   Melissa Sheffield

Research and Creativity Grants
   Tier I: none
   Tier II: Hartley Bowman & Reagan Collins
   Tier III: Carolyn Cheema
   Tier IV: none

Alumni Leadership Award for the Outstanding First Year Student
   Jeremiah McGuire

Robert M. Bird Society Award
   Holland Carson

College of Allied Health Bill Elam Graduate Student Scholarship
   Raghuveer Chandrashekhar

Brett and Mindy Lee Endowed Scholarship
   Gustavo Martinez
Health Care Employers’ Scholarship
Shelby Dickerson
Jayden Sarabia
Melissa Sheffield
Hannalore Stanton
Tiffany West

Crimson Club
Haley Kuck
Brooke Nguyen
Reilly Nowland
Josiah Rippetoe
Jayden Sarabia
Annie Stallings
Nathan Wibisono

HSC Sooner Standard
Jacobi Clark Davis
Janelle Newman

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Awards
Faculty Excellence Award: Thubi Kolobe, Ph.D.
Student Advocacy Award: Taylor Forman

Graduate College Outstanding Master’s Thesis Award
Melissa Henniger

Graduate College Outstanding Senior Leadership Award
Bethany Williams

Allied Health Ambassadors 2020-2021
Bayan Abdallat
Alexis Andrews
Angelina Curiel
Mackenzie Davis
Jacie Harris
Kael Harrison
Whitney Haughey
Haylee Hoock
Maddie Jacobs
Kelsey Jarolim
Caili Jester
Haley Kuck
Sara Maali
Gustavo Martinez
Shi Qing Ong
Alexis Petty
Brooke Pylant
Jayden Sarabia
Analee Stallings
Alexis Vanepps

Allied Health Ambassador 2021 Graduates
Bayan Abdallat
Angelina Curiel
Mackenzie Davis
Whitney Haughey
Haylee Hoock
Maddie Jacobs
Kelsey Jarolim
Sara Maali
Gustavo Martinez
Alexis Petty
Brooke Pylant

Health Sciences Center Willie V. Bryan Multicultural Achievement Award
Gustavo Martinez

Health Sciences Center Outstanding First Year Student Leadership Award
Jayden Sarabia

Regents’ Award for Outstanding Junior
Karlee Doak

Walter Mason Scholarship
Taylor Forman
Quena Johnson

Health Sciences Center College of Allied Health Outstanding Student Leader
Gustavo Martinez

OU Parents’ Association Outstanding Senior in the College of Allied Health
Mackenzie Davis

Alpha Eta
Student Initiates
Communication Sciences & Disorders: Jacobi Clark, Jessica Dennis, Carol Johnson, McKenzie Kalsu, Chaydee Lawless, Ally Parham, Katherine Riedstra, Sarah Thompson, Amanda Walker

Medical Imaging & Radiation Sciences: Laura Bridges, Paige Gentling, Libby Parker, Morgan Shirk, Mallory Smith, Megan Sylestine, Julia Tong, Melanie Ward, Tiffany West
**Nutritional Sciences:** Nicole Bulman, Hope Hetrick, Ezekiel Kresie, Hannalore Stanton, Meghan Tizzano, Olivia Weaver, Bethany Williams

**Rehabilitation Sciences:** Bayan Abdallat, Shelby Dickerson, Chelsea Dyer, Grace Eckstrom, Ashlyn Gardner, Taylor Lee, Darshit Patel, Sarah Smith, Jarren Thomas

**Faculty Initiates**
Norm Hord, Michael Stout

**Department of Allied Health Sciences**
None

**Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders**

**Shelley Campbell Beall Scholarship**
Kylee Armstrong

**Will Rogers Foundation Scholarship**
Adrianna Acebo
Piper Allred
Logan Bidack
Jacobi Clark Davis
Jessica Dennis
Chance Hammack
Gabrielle Hocson
Jessica Huddleston
Daniel Johnston
Haley Kuck
Kathryn Lewis
Jordan Liddell
Ketevan Mdzinarishvili
Janelle Newman
Jayden Sarabia
Bailey Simon
Annie Stallings
Alexis Vanepps
Bailey Vogt
Edward Wren

**United Way Hearing Aid Bank Scholarship**
Natalie Emmons
Bailey Simon

**John W. Keys Speech & Hearing Foundation Scholarship**
Casey Crane
Kasey Whitaker-Solomon
Student Academy of Audiology Ambassador to the State of Oklahoma
Jessica Huddleston

Oklahoma Speech-Language-Hearing Association Donald T. Counihan Award
Bailey Simon

OKLEND Interns
Haley Kuck
Kairo’ Nichols

Association of University Centers on Disabilities Emerging Leaders Internship
Jessica Huddleston

Department of Medical Imaging & Radiation Sciences

Professor Jeffery L. Berry Memorial Scholarship
Chesney Fouts

Jerry Jeskey Scholarship in Radiography
Chesney Fouts
Eva Longoria

Carol A. Sullivan Scholarship
Morganne Browning

Doris Hayes/Hazzard Family Scholarship
Allie Dugger

Medical Imaging & Radiation Sciences Outstanding Senior Award
Nuclear Medicine: Libby Parker
Radiation Therapy: Mallory Smith
Radiography: Melanie Ward
Sonography: Tiffany West

Department of Nutritional Sciences

Evrytanian Association of America “Velouchi” Scholarship
Alexandra Politis

LEND Leadership Program Scholars
Suzy Morris

Oklahoma Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics Scholarship
Blair Hayes
Oklahoma City District Dietetic Association Scholarship  
Angelina Curiel

Frances O. Hazzard Dietetic Scholarship in the Department of Nutritional Science  
Jeremiah McGuire

Mary Green Lovelace Scholarship in the Department of Nutritional Sciences  
Jentri Sinor

Shirley Enders Smith Scholarship in Nutrition  
Marissa Gregurek

Marinell Friday Guild Clinical Dietetics Scholarship  
Madeline VanCuren

Department of Rehabilitation Sciences

Excellence in Anatomy Award  
Piper Rinehart  
Nathan Wibisono

Albert Schweitzer Fellows, Tulsa Chapter  
Hartley Bowman  
Reagan Collins

LEND Leadership Program Scholars  
Grace Eckstrom  
Taylor Forman  
Lacey Lewis  
Mary Schwager

Martha J. Ferretti Scholarship in Rehabilitation Sciences  
Audrey Estes  
Mary Hart  
Haylee Hoock  
Katherine Wilburn

Ronnie K. Irani Center for the Creation of Economic Wealth Internship  
Madelyn Black

OUHSC Interprofessional Education (IPE) Clinical Scholars  
Stillman Brown  
Jenni Burzycki  
Reagan Collins  
Grace Eckstrom
Hailey Feland
Madeleine Foote
Bethanie Head
Kristin Henson
Juanita Hinckley
Briana Kuestersteffen
Gabriela Lopez
Amanda McCollum
Katherine Wilburn

Assembly of Student Delegates for the American Occupational Therapy Association Leadership Award
Beth Ann Wallace

Student Occupational Therapy Association Leadership Recognition
Briana Kuestersteffen

US Department of Education, OSEP Grant Scholar - Expanding Beyond Inclusion: Participation Project
Holland Carson
Catherine Conover
Abigail Hammons
Haylee Hoock
Cody Humes
Taber Kaspereit
Lacey Lewis
Mary Schwager
Melissa Sheffield

Occupational Therapy Scholarship for Excellence in Academics and Service
Alexis Blasi
Sarah Smith

Nancy L. Olsmith Endowed Scholarship
Brooke Nguyen
Bethany Randel
Kambri Wheeler

Friends of Toby Hamilton Scholarship
Lizzy Bromlow

Alice Sowers Scholarship
Bayan Abdallat
Landon Prather

Jill Pitman Jones Scholarship
   Academic Excellence: Bayan Abdallat, Alex Hackerott, Connor Marth
   Leadership: Brett Chase, Melissa Sheffield
   Contributions as a Future Professional: Carly Gillman
   Community Engagement: Kristin Henson, Landon Prather

Mark Acker Memorial Scholarship
   Jessica Garner
   Zachary King

Bruce Hawkins Scholarship
   Whitney Haughey

Elam-Plowman Physical Therapy Scholarship
   Taylor Lee

Jeannette Gimenez Holmes Scholarship
   Rachel Gering

Susan and Greg Krall Physical Therapy Scholarship
   Austin Smith

Thelma Pedersen Physical Therapy Scholarship
   Brett Chase
   Kelsi Clawson
   Kynsie Goggans

Mark Anderson Scholarship
   Zachary King

Physical Therapy Alumni Scholarship
   Jacie Harris
   Kaitlyn Schiffman

Graham and Kelly Reeve Endowed Scholarship
   Melissa Sheffield

Physical Therapy Class of 2020 Scholarship
   Alicia Blaylock