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The Committee to Advance Our Common Purposes (CACP)

2018 Leaders in Faculty Diversity Award Citations

Rosa Chaviano-Moran, Assistant Dean of Student Admissions and Recruitment, Rutgers School of Dental Medicine, Rutgers Biomedical and Health Sciences

In recognition for advancing awareness in academic dentistry for URM students and distinguished leadership as Director of the Summer Health Professions Program.

Jerome Langer, Associate Professor, Department of Pharmacology, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Rutgers Biomedical and Health Sciences

In recognition for distinguished leadership and commitment to mentoring URM students and initiating Ph.D. programs that is impacting the lives of students.

Richard V. Simmons, Director, Confucius Institute of Rutgers University, Professor of Chinese, School of Arts and Sciences, Rutgers University-New Brunswick

In recognition for distinguished leadership in advancing the instruction of Chinese language and culture, initiating partnerships with public schools, and cultural exchanges between the U.S. and China.

2018 CACP Special Achievement Award Citations

International Leadership Exchange, We Care/Share Solar Program, Malcolm X. Shabazz High School

Clayton Walton, Assistant Professor of Professional Practice and Executive Director of Globally Engaged Experiential Learning, School of Public Affairs and Administration, Rutgers University-Newark

In recognition for exceptional achievement in addressing sustainable living and public health inequities in Africa, Central America, and India.



2018 Clement A. Price Human Dignity Award Citations

Gloria Bachmann, Professor, Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Rutgers Biomedical and Health Sciences

In recognition for distinguished leadership in advancing the boundaries of safe transgender healthcare and medical efforts for diverse minority populations.

DuWayne Battle, Associate Professor of Teaching and Director of the BASW Program, Rutgers University-Camden and New Brunswick

In recognition for distinguished leadership and commitment to mentoring students and raising awareness of domestic violence and access needs for people with disabilities.

The Corella & Bertram F. Bonner Foundation, Robert Hackett, President, Princeton NJ

In recognition for distinguished leadership of The Bonner Foundation and cultivating in Rutgers students a spirit of community service and collaboration.

Evelyn Erenrich, Associate Dean for Recruitment and Retention, School of Graduate Studies, Rutgers University-New Brunswick

In recognition for outstanding leadership of the GR2aD Center and RiSE Program and for inspiring, mentoring, and educating diverse students to succeed in STEM fields.

Keith Green, Associate Professor, English Department, Rutgers University-Camden

In recognition for cultivating a spirit of collaboration and respect for diversity through community engagement programs.

Peter Kahn, Professor, Biochemistry and Microbiology, School of Environmental and Biological Sciences, Rutgers University-New Brunswick

In recognition for distinguished leadership for over 40 years advancing social responsibility and forging intercultural collaborations leading to the global Bosnian Student Project.

Kamal Khan, Director, Office for Diversity and Academic Success in the Sciences, School of Arts and Sciences, Rutgers University-New Brunswick

In recognition for visionary leadership as director of the ODASIS Program and inspiring, mentoring, and educating underrepresented students to succeed in STEM fields.

Roshni Rides, Najeeha Farooqi (CEO), Hanaa Lakhani (CMO), Moneeb Mian (CFO), and Hasan Usmani (COO), Rutgers Business School- Newark and New Brunswick

In recognition for exceptional achievement in addressing global economic injustice and equity by building affordable transportation to serve refugees.

Deborah Spitalnik, Professor of Pediatrics and Director of The Boggs Center, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Rutgers Biomedical and Health Sciences

In recognition for distinguished leadership as executive director of The Boggs Center on Developmental Disabilities and commitment to service and research influencing public policy.