Kingsborough Community college of The City University of New York

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS RECOGNITION CEREMONY 2011

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5TH, 2011 AT 3PM IN THE ROTUNDA
4th Annual Faculty Achievements Recognition Ceremony  
Monday, December 5, 2011  
3:00 PM  
MAC Rotunda  

PROGRAM  

Reception and Refreshments  
MAC Rotunda West  

Opening Remarks  
President Regina Peruggi  

Presentation of Faculty Achievement Certificates  
Dean Elizabeth Basile  
Associate Provost Reza Fakhari  

Closing Remarks  
Provost Stuart Suss  

Group Picture
Anthony Alessandrini
Department of English

Grant:
PSC-CUNY Research Award Program: “We must Find Something Different: Frantz Fanon and the Future of Cultural Politics”

Homar Barcena
Department of Physical Sciences

Grant:
President’s Faculty Innovation Award: “A Colorful Approach to Heterocyclic Chemistry”

Anthony Borgese
Department of Tourism and Hospitality

Grants:
PSC-CUNY Research Award Program: “Developing a Sports Management Major at CUNY”

New York State Department of Education Perkins Grant: “To Expand Student Career Opportunities in Tourism and Hospitality through Updated Technology Applications and Instructional Strategies.”

Publications:


Presentation:

Marie Beavers-Mandara
COPE Office/Office of Student Affairs

Grant:
New York City Human Resources Administration: “College Opportunity to Prepare for Employment”
Anna Becker  
Performing Arts Center

Grants:
Mid-Atlantic Arts Foundation: “Presentation of Paul Taylor's Taylor 2”

New England Foundation for the Arts: “Presentation of La Strada by Noche Flamenca”

New York City Department of Cultural Affairs: “Performing Arts Center”

The New York Community Trust: “Kingsborough Performing Arts Center”

Carla Beeber  
Department of Biological Sciences

Presentation:

Jay Bernstein  
Library and Media Services

Presentation

Publication

Carol Biermann  
Department of Biological Sciences

Presentation:

Mikela Brathwaite  
Office of the Dean of Continuing Education

Grant:
Assurant Foundation: “KCC/Women in Need GED Program”
Natalia Bredikhina  
Office of the Dean of Continuing Education

Grant:  
New York State Office of Temporary & Disability Assistance: “Venture to Success”

Lesley Broder  
Department of English

Grant:  
PSC-CUNY Research Award Program: “Lesley Rachel Crothers, Media Manipulation, and Broadway Success”

Heather Brown  
Child Care Center

Grants:  
New York City Community Bank Foundation: “Toddler Playground: Kingsborough Community College Child Development Center”

New York State Office of Child & Family Services: “Kingsborough Community College Child Development Center”

Target Foundation: “KCCCDC Lending Library”

United States Department of Education: “Expanding Ages Served and Hours Open at Kingsborough Community College's Child Development Center”

Scott Cally  
Department of Communications and Performing Arts

Grant:  
PSC-CUNY Research Award Program: “Theatrical Lighting Visualization”

Harold Connolly  
Department of Physical Sciences

Grants:  
NASA: “OSIRIS Rex”

George Conteras  
Department of Nursing

Grant:  
President’s Faculty Innovation Award: “A Trans-Cultural Nursing Experience”

Robert Cowan  
Department of English

Grant:  

Presentations:  

Marc DaCosta  
Office of Information Technology

Award:  
CUNY Productivity Award: “Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) System”

Ann Del Principe  
Department of English

Grant:  
President’s Faculty Innovation Award: “The Kingsborough Study of Community College Literacy”

Jonathan Deutsch  
Department of Tourism and Hospitality

Grant:  
Pfizer Animal Health/Ball State University: “New Uses for Pork By-Products”

Publications:  


MaryAnn Edelman
Department of Nursing

Grants:

Publication:

Dmitriy Faybyshenko
Office of Information Technology

Award:
CUNY Productivity Award: “Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) System”

Faith Fogelman
TRiO Student Support Services

Grants:
United States Department of Education: “TRiO Student Support Services”

2011 Presidential Grants Fellow Program, CUNY Kingsborough Community College
Lourdes Follins
Department of Behavioral Sciences and Human Services

Presentations:
"Preliminary Findings from the Decisions, Decisions Study". The NYC LGBT Community Center, December 2011.


Publication:

Libby Garland
Department of History, Philosophy and Political Science

Grant:
PSC-CUNY Research Award Program: “After the Closing of the Gates: Jewish Illegal Immigration to the United States, 1921-1965”

Kate Garretson
Department of English

Grant:
CUNY Community College Collaborative Awards: “Improving Teaching/Learning of ELLs: The Aural and Oral Method”

Denise Giachetta-Ryan
Department of Nursing

Grants:
New York State Department of Education Perkins Grant: “Enhance Nursing and Allied Health Careers Program Instruction with Technical and Support Resources”

New York State Department of Education Perkins Grant: “Improve Student Skills Development and Achievement Rates on Certification Examinations in Healthcare, New Media, and Computer Program Degree Areas”
Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA): “New York Nursing Education Consortium in Education”

Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA): “Scholarships for Disadvantaged Nursing Students”

**Michael Geller**  
Lighthouse/Office of Student Affairs

Grant:  
New York City Council: “Lighthouse Alcohol and Substance Abuse Program”

**Thomas Greene**  
Department of Physical Sciences

Grant:  
Mertz Gilmore Foundation: “Ocean Science”

Presentation:  

**Asif Hussain**  
Office of Information Technology

Awards:  
Center for Digital Education: “#1 Large Digital Community College”

CUNY Productivity Award: “Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) System”

**Rachel Ihara**  
Department of English

Grants:  
PSC-CUNY Research Award Program: “Revisiting Literacy Narratives: Questions of Pedagogy and Methodology”

President’s Faculty Innovation Award: “The Kingsborough Study of Community College Literacy”

**Anthony Imperato**  
Business Manager Office

Award:  
CUNY Productivity Award: “Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) System”
Maya Jimenez
Department of Art

Presentations:


Amanda Kalin
Health Careers and Retention Center/Office of Student Affairs

Grant:

Seth Kaye
Office of Information Technology

Award:
CUNY Productivity Award: “Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) System”

Reabeka King
Department of Library and Media Services

Publication:

Presentation:

Coleen Kumar
Department of Nursing

Grant:
New York State Department of Education Perkins Grant: “Enhance Nursing and Allied Health Careers Program Instruction with Technical and Support Resources”
Mohamed Lakrim
Department of Biological Sciences

Publication:

Presentation:

Jeffrey Lax
Department of Business

Grant:
New York State Department of Education Perkins Grant: “Expand Supplemental Instruction Support & Career Advisement in Healthcare, Business, and Computer Science Degree Areas.”

Frantz-Antoine Leconte
Department of Foreign Languages

Presentations:


American Association of Teachers of French 84e Congrès annuel. President of the session: Teaching French in the Americas.


Publications:


Jason Leggett
Department of History, Philosophy and Political Sciences

Grant:
President’s Faculty Innovation Award: “Hybrid American Government Course and Linked Criminal Justice Course”

Nancy Leggio
Department of Behavioral Sciences and Human Services

Grant:
President’s Faculty Innovation Award: “Creating a Children’s Garden: Making Connections between the KCC Urban Farm, Pre-Service Early Childhood Teachers, and Community Schools”

Georgia Lind
Department of Biological Sciences

Grant:
New York State Education Department: “Science and Technology Entry Program”

Stephen Majewicz
Department of Mathematics and Computer Sciences

Publications:


Theresa Mastrianni
Department of Business

Publication:

Maxine McGarvey
Department of Business

Grants:

Publication:

Brian Mitra
Office of Career Development Transfer and Scholarship Opportunities/Office of Student Affairs

Grant:
New York State Department of Education Perkins Grant: “To Enhance Career Development Center Technical Resources, Professional Development and Outreach to Special Populations”

Juan Morales-Flores
Department of Behavioral Sciences and Human Services

Grants:
President's Faculty Innovation Award: “The Effects of Electronic Portfolios in the Teacher Training Programs: Early Childhood/Childcare and Education Studies”
New York State Department of Education Perkins Grant: “To Enhance Early Childhood Education Programs Through ePortfolio Technology and Student Outreach Initiatives.”
Presentation:

Josephine Murphy
Library and Media Services

Grant:
New York State Education Department: “Library Collection Grant”

José Nanín
Department of Health, Physical Education, and Recreation

Grant:

Mary Lynn Navarro
Department of English

Grant:
President’s Faculty Innovation Award: “From Self to Social Action: A Hybrid Action Research Class Explores Civility in the Global Community”

Katherine Opello
Department of History, Philosophy and Political Science

Grant:
PSC-CUNY Research Award Program: “It Takes More Than A Region: The Impact of Multi-Level Governance on the Substantive Representation of Women in France”

Lawrence Pero
Office of the Dean of Instructional Services

Grant:
New York State Education Department: “Perkins”

Caterina Pierre
Department of Art

Grant:
2011 Presidential Grants Fellows Program, CUNY Kingsborough Community College (2011-2012)
Presentations:


Publications:


Varattur Reddy
Department of Physical Sciences

Patent:
Varattur D. Reddy, Organometallic Anti-cancer Complexes, 2011.

Presentation:
“Discovery and Synthesis of Novel Organometallic Ruthenium-Carbohydrate Complexes as Anticancer Agents” - Anticancer Drugs 2011, Stockholm, Sweden, October 2011

Darry Romano
Department of Business

Grant:
New York State Department of Education Perkins Grant: Upgrade the Fashion Design Career Program with Technical Resources and Skill-Building Experiences.

Frances Ruoff
Department of English

Presentation:
Performance:

**Gary Sarinsky**  
**Department of Biological Sciences**

Grant:
New York State Education Department: “Collegiate Science & Technology Entry Program”

**Rachel Singer**  
**Office of Academic Affairs**

Grant:
Robin Hood Foundation: “Opening Doors Learning Communities”

**Steven Skinner**  
**Department of Biological Sciences**

Grant:
New York State Department of Education Perkins Grant: “Improve Student Skills Development and Achievement Rates on Certification Examinations in Healthcare, New Media, and Computer Program Degree Areas.”

**Cheryl H. Smith**  
**Department of English**

Publications:

“Dreaming with Shakespeare,” *Midsummer Magazine*, Utah Shakespeare Festival, Summer/Fall, 2011

“A Student’s Story Teaching a Teacher,” *California English*, 16.5, June 2011


Presentations:


“Using Technology to Engage Students and Improve Results”/“Integrating Technology in the Writing and Reading Classroom,” Strategies for Success, Pearson English Workshop, Jersey City, March 2011.


Bailin Song
Department of English

Grant:
President’s Faculty Innovation Award: “An Assessment Study on the Effectiveness of a Supplemental Language Course”

Michael Spear
Department of History, Philosophy, and Political Science

Grant:
President’s Faculty Innovation Award: “The Right to the City: Expanding the Civic Engagement Component to the History of New York City Course (History 62)”

Susan Spivack
Department of Art

Grant:
New York State Department of Education Perkins Grant: “To Enhance the Graphic Design and Illustration Degree Program Using Technology Applications.”

Tziporah Stern
Department of Mathematics and Computer Science

Grant:
PSC-CUNY Research Award Program: “Information Sharing on Online Social Networks”

Rachel Sturm-Beiss
Department of Mathematics and Computer Science

Grant:
President’s Faculty Innovation Award: “A Hybrid Math 9, College Algebra, Course”
Petra Symister  
Department of Behavioral Sciences and Human Services

Publication:  

Presentation:  
“Blogging and Community Building” Presentation given at Berkeley College, February 2011.

Kenneth Thompson  
Office of Information Technology

Award:  
CUNY Productivity Award: “Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) System”

Edgar Troudt  
Department of Tourism and Hospitality

Grant:  
President's Faculty Innovation Award: “Poking” Tourism: Facebook as a College and Discipline Information Clearinghouse”

PSC-CUNY Faculty Research Award: Automated Assessment of Sketch Integrity through Interface Event Stream and Summary Statistic Analysis.

National Science Foundation (NSF) Advanced Technological Education (ATE): “Planning Grant for the Center for Technological Entrepreneurship: Entrepreneurial- and Soft-Skills across theSTEM Spectrum”, 08/2011

Presentations:  


“QR Are You: Marketing for Non-Profits” The Brooklyn Referral Network. Brooklyn, NY

Media Interviews:

Jason VanOra
Department of Behavioral Sciences and Human Services

Presentations:

“Teaching Psychology to at-risk Development Community College Students.” Presentation given at the CUNY Graduate Center’s Teaching Psychology colloquium series. 2001.

Todd Vilkov
Office of Information Technology

Award:
CUNY Productivity Award: “Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) System”

Michael K. Weisberg
Department of Physical Sciences

Grant:
NASA: “Petrologic-Geochemical Studies of Reduced Mineral Assemblages in Primitive Meteorites”

Publications:


Presentations:
Connolly H. C. Jr., G. R. Huss, A. Shahar, K. Nagashima, E. D. Young, D. S. Ebel, M. K. Weisberg, J. R. Beckett6 J. M. Paque, C. Ma, G. R. Rossman (2011) Diffusion within the CAI Bocce Ball 1: The redistribution of 26Mg* correlated with variations in Al/Mg within a type B2
inclusion from Allende. 42nd Lunar and Planetary Science Conference, Abstract # 1858.


Christoph Winkler  
Center for Economic and Workforce Development/CUNY Institute for Virtual Enterprise

Grants:  
National Science Foundation (NSF) Advanced Technological Education (ATE): “Planning Grant for the Center for Technological Entrepreneurship: Entrepreneurial- and Soft-Skills across the STEM Spectrum”, 08/2011

President’s Faculty Innovation Award: Fostering Student Leadership and Civic Engagement through Social Networking and Online Mentorship.

Presentations:  


Publications:


Awards:
2011 IBM Faculty Award for applying social networking within an educational setting as part of CUNY IVE’s Leadership and Social Entrepreneurship Program.

2011 NACCE’s Impact Award (National Association of Community College Entrepreneurship), NACCE 9th Annual Conference, Portland, OR, October, 2011.

Bill Winter
Department of Behavioral Sciences and Human Services

Publications:

Let the Avatars Speak: Active learning of course content through student-authored web-based animations. Community College Enterprise. In press.
Reviewed *An Episode of Transient Global Amnesia in Bilateral Paramedian Thalamic Infarction* (Authors: Kim, Sook Hui; Han, Seol-Heui; Jung, Illeok; Kim, Hee Jin; Moon, YeonSil) for the peer reviewed journal *Neurocase*.

**Gordon Young**
*Department of Communications and Performing Arts*

Presentations:


Publication:

**Arthur Zeitlin**
*Department of Biological Sciences*

Grant:
National Institute of Health & General Medical Sciences: “Bridges to the Baccalaureate”
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