

# College of Business Administration

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### **Accounting Award**

Presented to a graduating senior in recognition of outstanding academic achievement in Accounting.

**Mark A. Formosa – Undergraduate**

### **Beta Alpha Psi Award**

Given by the Alpha Xi Chapter to its graduating member who has earned the highest scholastic average in his or her total undergraduate program.

**Brendan A. Wallace – Undergraduate**

### **Alpha Iota Delta Award**

Given by the Delta Mu Chapter to a graduating senior and a graduate student in Decision Sciences and Information Systems in recognition of academic achievement, commitment to service and ethical and moral standards.

**Gage A. Glassnor – Undergraduate**

**Caleb E. Dupuy – Graduate**

### **Decision Sciences Award**

Presented to a graduating senior and a graduate student who demonstrated outstanding scholastic achievement in Decision Sciences and show exceptional promise as scholars in this field.

**Danica N. Paesano – Undergraduate**

**Dennys Garcia-Bastida – Graduate**

### **Global Jesuit Business Student Association Achievement Award**

Given to an undergraduate student and a graduate student in recognition of their academic achievements and community involvement through personal and professional ventures that demonstrate a commitment to enriching their communities and promoting socially responsible organizations.

**Joshua P. Hoenscheid – Undergraduate**

**Bianca M. Candela – Graduate**

### **Finance Award**

Presented to a graduating senior and a graduate student who demonstrated outstanding scholastic achievement in Finance and show exceptional promise as scholars in this field.

**Louie A. Klinger – Undergraduate**

**Ryan Sullivan – Graduate**

### **Financial Executives International Award**

Presented to an undergraduate and a graduate student in Accounting or Finance. The awardees will have their names inscribed on a plaque and receive recognition at a meeting sponsored by the Detroit chapter of Financial Executives International.

**Mark A. Formosa – Undergraduate**

**Noah T. Mulligan – Graduate**

### **Business Law Award**

Presented to a Business Law graduating senior who demonstrates outstanding scholastic achievement and shows exceptional promise as a scholar in this field.

**Alexa Prenkocevic**

### **Management Award**

Presented to a graduating senior and to a graduate student who demonstrate outstanding scholastic achievement in Management and show exceptional promise as scholars in this field.

**Gage A. Glassnor – Undergraduate**

**Anna Mooi – Graduate**

### **Marketing Award**

Presented to a graduating senior and to a graduate student in Marketing who have demonstrated outstanding scholastic achievement and show exceptional promise as scholars in this field.

**Luke W. Tomaszek – Undergraduate**

**Ameur Dhaimini – Graduate**

### **Beta Gamma Sigma Award**

Presented by the Beta of Michigan Chapter to a graduating member in recognition of outstanding academic achievement.

**Joshua P. Hoenscheid**

### **Business Administration Award**

Presented by the Dean of the College of Business Administration to graduating students in recognition of outstanding academic achievement in the College.

**Macy N. Colucci**

**Alexandru M. Diac**

**Danica N. Paesano**

**Brendan A. Wallace**

### **Dean's Leadership Key**

Given to a graduating senior who has demonstrated outstanding qualities of leadership and involvement in University-approved co-curricular activities and, at the same time, has maintained overall academic excellence.

**Justin Paolo V. Segovia**

### **Dean's Award**

Given to graduating seniors having an exemplary record of student leadership and service to the College of Business Administration.

**Megan R. Finazzo**

**Louie A. Klinger**

**Meleah C. Newhouse**

**Luke W. Tomaszek**

### **Fitzgerald Award**

Given in the name of Lloyd E. Fitzgerald, Dean of the College of Commerce & Finance from 1935-63, to the graduating senior designated as having the optimum record of scholarship, student leadership and service to the University.

**Mark A. Formosa**

### **Dr. Lloyd E. Fitzgerald Scholarship**

Presented to non-traditional U.S. citizen undergraduate students who demonstrated academic excellence in the College of Business Administration. This scholarship is made possible through the generosity and support of the Fitzgerald family.

**Jacquelyn G. Cowell**

**Louis Walters**

### **Michael G. Baumann Memorial Endowed Scholarship**

Named in honor of the late Michael G. Baumann, a noted sommelier and voiceover artist, this scholarship supports business students who demonstrate dedication to the University mission and who have the potential to be advocates for the University upon graduation. The scholarship may be awarded to the same student in two consecutive years.

**Louie A. Klinger**

**Christopher Usiondek**

### **Robert B. Jones Memorial Endowed Scholarship**

Robert Jones was a firm believer in higher education. A graduate of the College, he served as an engineer and director of the Chrysler Corporation for many years. This scholarship is awarded annually in his honor.

**Fatheha Khan**

### **Edward and Christine Sprock Endowed Scholarship**

Endowed by alumnus and former Executive-in-Residence Edward Sprock and his wife, Christine, this scholarship supports the integration of academic pursuits with extracurricular activities. Special consideration is given to full-time undergraduate students who completed internships and participated in University extracurricular activities. Preference is given for a concentration in Accounting or Finance.

**Alice D. Zagrean**

### **Dr. Leonard E. Plachta Endowed Scholarship**

Named in honor of a former Chair of Accounting, the primary focus of this scholarship is to encourage qualified junior, senior or master's degree Accounting students who aspire to teach Accounting at the collegiate level, and/or to earn Ph.Ds.

**Mary H. Sankarathil**

**Gabriel T. Sucevic**

### **Gary T. MacLean Endowed Scholarship**

Established by tax attorney Gary T. MacLean '65, this scholarship provides support for business students, with a preference given to those in the Accounting Program. Subsequent scholarships are awarded to students who remain in good academic standing and remain enrolled in the College of Business Administration beyond their freshman year

**Cristian A. Lugo**

### **Phyllis E. Peters Look Scholarship**

Firmly believing that education is the key to success, Phyllis E. Peters Look '51 established this scholarship to provide financial assistance for undergraduate or graduate business students, with preference given to students enrolled in the Accounting Program.

**Victoria M. King**

**Matthew M. Konja**

**Asia S. Smith**

**Luke W. Tomaszek**

### **Kathleen Dul Aznavorian Scholarship**

Established by alumna Kathleen Dul Aznavorian, former owner of Fox Hills Golf Club and Clips & Clamps Industries, this scholarship is awarded to two female Accounting students.

**Macy N. Colucci**

**Brooklyn C. Hess**

### **Dennis C. and Eileen Drenikowski Endowed Scholarship**

Presented to a student enrolled at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration. This scholarship provides financial assistance for a student to study business based on Jesuit and Mercy values.

**Ayva D. Schmalz**

### **Edward T. Boutrous Endowed Scholarship**

Awarded to graduate or undergraduate male business students who maintain a GPA of 3.25 or higher. Preference will be given to a student with a concentration in Social Entrepreneurship.

**Gage Glassnor**

### **Joyce Hayes Giles Endowed Scholarship**

The recipient must be a resident of Detroit and enrolled full-time in Business and must maintain a GPA of 3.0 or better; preference given to an African-American student.

**Fatima Orozco**

### **Robert W. Redlin Endowed Memorial Scholarship**

This scholarship honors the memory of Robert W. Redlin, who contributed to the academic excellence of the University as a professor of Accounting from 1970-89. It was established by Redlin's family in his honor and in the spirit of assisting students toward the high standard of education he fostered as a professor.

**Justin Paolo V. Segovia**

### **Rev. Gerald F. Cavanagh, S.J. Endowed Scholarship**

Established by Detroit Mercy alumni, faculty and friends to honor this world-renown scholar of business ethics, the Cavanagh Scholarship provides support for an undergraduate business major who engages in the most meaningful service-learning experiences.

**Sean M. Henige**

**Karla A. Ochoa-Ramirez**

**Sarah M. Tenes**

### **Joseph and Margaret Kloka Endowed Scholarship**

Appreciating the practical application of education, Joe and Margie Kloka established this scholarship to provide financial assistance to students studying Business, because these disciplines embody this idea. Preference given to graduate students.

**Dennys Garcia-Bastida**

### **Catherine D. Schmitt '71 '76 and Norman L. Schmitt, Jr. '70 '75 Scholarship**

Preference is given to business students with a concentration in Social Entrepreneurship or who participated in the Business Leaders' Accelerated Start program.

**Leonora Daka**

### **The Bruce M. Brorby Expendable Scholarship**

Honoring longtime Associate Dean Bruce Brorby, this scholarship was created by his former student, Suzanne L. Hudson '74. The scholarship is awarded to first-generation female students in business who have attained at least sophomore status.

**Julia Will**

### **The Briggs-Fisher Foundation Scholarship**

Awarded to full-time Detroit Mercy students with a preference given to those enrolled in the College of Business Administration. Each recipient must represent a minority group, be a resident of metropolitan Detroit and be a graduate of a metropolitan Detroit high school.

**Jada C. Clark**

**Iman Fareed**

**Kyla N. Matthews**

**Arizahy G. Vazquez Perez**

### **George R. Bodurow Endowed Memorial Scholarship**

Awarded to students pursuing a law degree or MBA.

**Marlena R. Jackson**

### **Patrick J. Freeman Memorial Scholarship**

Established in memory of Patrick J. Freeman '67 by his company, Deloitte & Touche. Presented to a student enrolled at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration.

**Allen Anesh Mathew**

### **Thomas F. Russell Endowed Scholarship**

This scholarship was established with an estate gift from Thomas F. Russell '48, former Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Federal-Mogul Corporation. After retiring from Federal Mogul, Russell served as Chairman of Cross & Trecker and St. John Hospital & Medical Center. Presented to students enrolled at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration and a graduate of a Michigan high school.

**Rigoberto Morales**

### **Craig Holt '19 Scholarship**

A scholarship awarded to a student enrolled at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration. Preference is given to a business student with a concentration in Social Entrepreneurship.

**Bianca M. Candela**

### **Crystal L. Windham Scholarship for Business Students**

A scholarship awarded to a full-time or part-time African-American student enrolled at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration. This scholarship may be awarded to either an undergraduate or graduate student and is renewable as long as the student meets the criteria.

**Kayla Wize**

### **College of Business Administration Scholarship**

A scholarship awarded to a student in the College of Business Administration. The scholarship is funded by individuals who contribute to the CBA General Scholarship Fund.

**Joseph A. Mansour**

**George P. Barnes Jr., Heritage Vision Plans  
& Heritage Optical Center Endowed Scholarship**

Established by George P. Barnes Jr., a pioneering entrepreneur and distinguished civic leader, this scholarship provides assistance to African-American students enrolled full-time in the College of Business Administration, who might not otherwise be able to attend Detroit Mercy. The recipient must be a resident of the City of Detroit with preference given to an African-American male, then female graduate of University of Detroit Jesuit High School, Cass Technical High School or Renaissance High School;

**Zoey S. McClanahan**

**Mary L. Dupuis Endowed Scholarship for Women**

The recipients will be female undergraduate or graduate students enrolled in the College of Business Administration at University of Detroit Mercy. Preference is given to students who are non-traditional students, that is, returning to school to complete a degree or while working. The scholarship may be awarded to the same student in two consecutive years.

**Christina M. Campbell**

**Jacquelyn G. Cowell**

**Suk Hi Kim International Business Scholarship**

Presented to an undergraduate and a graduate student who are concentrating in International Business or who have completed at least one international business course at Detroit Mercy. The scholarship was established in 2022 by Professor Suk Hi Kim and the College of Business Administration in honor of Kim's 45 years of service to the University.

**Victoria M. King – Undergraduate**

**Angela F. Yuhana – Graduate**

**Charles F. Leichtweis Sr. Memorial Endowed Scholarship**

Presented to a student enrolled at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration. Scholarships are awarded to a deserving student from an underserved community, dedicated to personal development through learning skills to help themselves and others be successful through business enterprise.

**Fatima Orozco**

**Barbara Evans Tierney Endowed Scholarship**

Presented to female U.S. citizen students studying at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration. The recipient has attained at least Junior standing and has a grade point average of 3.25 or better with preference given to students who maintain an average of 3.5 or better.

**Youla B. Nassif**

**Emily A. Mason Regnier**

**Alexandra E. Rihacek**

**Sarah M. Tenes**

### **Bill '72 and Sue Hermann Expendable Scholarship**

Presented to a student enrolled at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration with preference for students in the accounting program.

**Auliana D. Yousif**

### **Bousquette Family Expendable Scholarship**

Presented to students each year enrolled full time at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration.

**Emma K. Boucher**

### **Daniel J. Wright Memorial Endowed Scholarship in Child Advocacy**

Presented to full-time or, at least, half-time students enrolled at University of Detroit Mercy in Detroit Mercy Law, the College of Business Administration MBA program, and/or the College of Humanities, Arts & Social Sciences' Social Work program. The scholarship will be awarded on an annual rotating basis between Detroit Mercy Law, the College of Business Administration, and the College of Humanities, Arts & Social Sciences. Students must be interested in pursuing careers in Family Law with a focus on child welfare issues (School of Law), careers in non-profit management (College of Business Administration), and/or social work (College of Humanities, Arts & Social Sciences).

**Holly R. Misiakowski**

### **Dillon Family Endowed Scholarship**

Presented to students each year enrolled at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration. Scholarships are awarded with a preference for students who are working at least part time while attending the University.

**Zoey S. McClanahan**

### **Jane Kay Nugent Endowed Scholarship**

Presented to students enrolled at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration with preference given to women.

**Shantisha J. Griffin-Lloyd**

**Alexa Prenkocevic**

**Serena S. Macany**

### **Jim and Diane Policelli Expendable Scholarship**

Presented to students enrolled full-time at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration. The recipient must have attained the level of Sophomore or above.

**Timothy Allos**

### **John Benedict Byrne Endowed Scholarship for Excellence in Business**

Presented to students enrolled at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration.

**Tamisha S. Smith**



**Richard G. and Loraine E. Perkins Scholarship**

Presented to students enrolled at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration.

**Brenda N. Bravo-Villarruel  
Nicholas Johnson**

**Richard M. Tanghe '68 and Margaret I. Tanghe Expendable Scholarship**

Presented to students enrolled at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration. Preference for a student studying

**Emilio Avina**

**Roslyn and S. Allen Feld Endowed Scholarship**

Presented to undergraduate students enrolled at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration. The recipient must have attained the level of Sophomore or above.

**Isabela Granillo-Ibarra**

**David R. Fitch '79 '83 Expendable Scholarship**

Presented with preference to undergraduate students enrolled at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration, but open to MBA students. The recipient must be a student-athlete with preference for students who have lived or are living in University housing, preference for students involved in extracurricular organizations on campus, and preference for family legacy students.

**Duane M. Rogers**

**William Stanczyk Endowed Scholarship**

Presented to under-graduate students enrolled at University of Detroit Mercy in the College of Business Administration.

**Sarah M. Tenes**

# University Recognition

## **2025 Valedictorian**

The Valedictorian is the student who has demonstrated academic excellence by achieving a 3.8 or higher GPA, University involvement, service and leadership. The awardee has the honor of delivering the valedictory address at the University commencement ceremony on May 10.

**The valedictorian will be announced at a future date.**

## **The University Honors Program at Detroit Mercy**

The University Honors Program at University of Detroit Mercy serves the Colleges of Business Administration, Engineering & Science, Liberal Arts & Education and the School of Architecture. The program strives to integrate the intellectual, spiritual, ethical and social development of its members by fostering a community of scholarly excellence, encouraging exploration of the larger world beyond the classroom and promoting compassionate service to society at large and to persons in need. Students graduating from the Honors Program may graduate as Presidential Scholars, Honors Scholars Cum Laude or Honors Scholars.

## **Presidential Scholar**

Students who have completed the Honors Program curriculum, volunteered a minimum of 100 hours of community service and achieved a minimum GPA of 3.75.

**Mark A. Formosa**  
**Joshua P. Hoenscheid**

## **Honors Scholar Cum Laude**

Students who have completed the Honors Program curriculum, volunteered a minimum of 100 hours of community service and achieved a minimum GPA of 3.5.

**Kyla N. Matthews**

## **Kappa Gamma Pi**

Membership in Kappa Gamma Pi, the national Catholic college graduate honor society, is awarded to students who exemplify excellence in leadership, scholarship, faith and service.

## **College of Business Administration**

**Praise N. Ihunwo**

## **College of Business Administration Honor Societies**

The College of Business Administration will induct honorees into Alpha Iota Delta, Beta Alpha Psi, Beta Gamma Sigma and the Global Jesuit Business Student Association on Sunday, March 30, 2025

### **Alpha Iota Delta**

The purposes of Alpha Iota Delta are to confer distinction for academic excellence in the decision sciences and computer information systems; promote the infusion of the functional and behavioral areas of administration with the tools, concepts and methodologies of the decision sciences and computer information systems; and promote professional fellowship among students, faculty and administrators who share a common interest in the development of decision sciences and computer information systems.

### **Beta Alpha Psi**

Beta Alpha Psi is a scholastic and professional society dedicated to the advancement of the financial information professions. The purposes of Beta Alpha Psi and the Alpha Xi Chapter at University of Detroit Mercy are to instill a desire for self-improvement, to foster high moral and ethical standards, to encourage and give recognition to scholastic and professional excellence, to cultivate a sense of responsibility and service, to promote the collegiate study of financial information and to provide for its members opportunities to associate with practicing professionals.

### **Beta Gamma Sigma**

Beta Gamma Sigma – the International Scholastic Honor Society for Business – was founded in 1913. Membership in Beta Gamma Sigma, which is based on competitive academic standards, represents the highest international recognition that a student in the field of Business can achieve. The mission of Beta Gamma Sigma is to encourage and honor high academic achievement and personal excellence in the study and practice of business.

### **Global Jesuit Business Student Association**

The mission of GJBSA is to recognize the academic achievements and community involvement of students attending Jesuit business schools worldwide. Through their personal and professional ventures, our members are committed to enriching the communities in which they live and work as well as establishing the benchmark for socially responsible organizations. The purposes of the St. Ignatius Chapter of the GJBSA are to confer distinction for academic excellence upon students attending Jesuit business schools and to encourage their pursuit of lifelong education, to acknowledge and promote a spirit of community involvement among its members, to promote and encourage ethical and socially responsible business practices among its members and in the global business community and to act as a catalyst for the advancement of business thought and theory.

## Dean's Honor Certificate

Presented annually by the Dean of the College of Business Administration to undergraduate students who have earned at least a 3.5 cumulative grade-point-average for all previous work taken at Detroit Mercy.

### *Senior*

**Aidan P. Bishop  
Emma K. Boucher  
Samantha C. Ceballos  
Macy N. Colucci  
Alexandru M. Diac  
Bryan M. Donahue  
Megan R. Finazzo  
Mark A. Formosa  
Gage A. Glassnor  
Nolan J. Graalman  
Sean M. Henige  
Joshua P. Hoenscheid  
Praise N. Ihunwo  
Connor J. Joyce  
Victoria M. King  
Louie A. Klinger  
Serena S. Macany  
Lina Y. Mahmoud  
Kyla N. Matthews  
Casey C. McCarthy  
Ivy Miah  
Raed S. Monnan  
Yara J. Mourani  
John M. Nino  
Danica N. Paesano  
Theodore J. Pispidikis  
Alexa Prenkocevic  
Tobin M. Schwannecke  
Justin Paolo V. Segovia  
Louis Simon  
Shayley R. Soave  
Gabriel T. Sucevic  
Sarah M. Tenes  
Luke W. Tomaszek**

**Christopher Usiondek  
Brendan A. Wallace**

### *Junior*

**Timothy Allos  
Domenick A. Arapi  
Kyah Benn  
Octavio Celestino  
Jada C. Clark  
Zander E. Crooks  
Iman Fareed  
Isabela Granillo-Ibarra  
Shantisha J.  
Griffin-Lloyd  
Brooklyn C. Hess  
Matthew M. Konja  
Clayton L. Lafayette  
Garrett G. Landry  
Emily A. Mason  
Regnier  
Nathan Mysiorek  
Joshua Neary  
Raneen N. Odeesh  
Avery C. Paul  
Mateo S. Phillips  
Alexandra E. Rihacek  
Vittorio E. Samayoa  
Alessandra C. Senatore  
Connor S. Shina  
Marino T. Solaka  
Vincent W. Stockton  
Connor J. Wandzel  
Jason J. Zanchetta**

### *Sophomore*

**Angelina K. Aliahmad  
Bennett D. Arakelian  
Claire E. Borg  
Anxhela Corri  
Sean W. Donahue  
Natalie G. Dye  
Logan T. Flaherty  
Robert J. Galan  
Salvador Garcia  
Nicholas Johnson  
Santino N. Karaqi  
Michael E. Laabs  
Leila Lanier  
Cristian A. Lugo  
Addisen M. Mastriano  
Prince-Louis C. Ndupu  
Ethan T. Oblak  
Drew M. Pierson  
Michele S. Pizzo  
Brandon G. Quintanilla  
Jowan F. Saco  
Veronika Semyhen  
Parker A. Smerek  
Elliott J. Smith  
Mason A. Sokolowski  
Samuel C. Speen  
David A. Swab  
Julia Will  
Kayla Wize  
Travis M. Zeleji**

### *Freshman*

**Miray S. Alkatib**  
**John L. Almeda**  
**Destiney B. Amr**  
**Andrea F. Andrade**  
**Rishab Ashok**  
**Addison R. Ayris**  
**Natalie G. Babcock**  
**Maksym Bahriy**  
**Angel J. Ballo**  
**Ryan J. Belanger**  
**Natalia Bermudez**  
**Tanner A. Diaz**  
**Allison K. Fluker**  
**Justina Gojani**

**Jack H. Gonzalez**  
**Jack R. Gryebet**  
**Ethan J. Irimescu**  
**Emiliano Jaramillo**  
**Alyanna S. Kouzy**  
**Mary P. Kunnumyalil**  
**Daniel P. Kuzniar**  
**Jason G. Marogi**  
**Leonard G. McCoy**  
**Rafael Moro**  
**Katelyn M. Muhlenkamp**  
**Estrella A.**  
**Munoz Carranco**  
**Andrew E. Parker**

**Gregory M. Sader**  
**Yousif H. Salim**  
**Bethany A. Sanders**  
**Diana M. Segura**  
**Amelia M. Streberger**  
**Cayla T. Tisevski**  
**Victoria Togmajyan**  
**Jack E. Tracy**  
**Audrey L. Williams**  
**Caleb E. Wynn**  
**Emily J. Yagley**  
**Jacob J. Yonan**

## **Institute for Leadership & Service**

**1995**

### **Emerging Leaders Program (ELP)**

#### **Leadership Pin and Leadership Medallion**

The ELP is designed to educate, engage, and empower all Detroit Mercy students. Using the Social Change model, the ELP offers the opportunity to explore student leadership potential and abilities through involvement in programs, events, and activities that include learning, leadership, spirituality, mentoring, and service on and off campus. An asterisk indicates the student is earning a Minor in Leadership

#### **Leadership Pin Award Candidates**

Ongoing involvement in student organizations, spirituality workshops, leadership workshops, mentoring and 100 hours of community service.

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**Mark A. Formosa** – Honors Business\*

**Yara J. Mourani** – Business\*

#### **Leadership Medallion Award Candidates**

These students have met the requirements of the Leadership Pin and have additional involvement in student organizations, spirituality retreats, completed leadership coursework, mentoring and 200 hours of community service.

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**Yara J. Mourani** – Business\*