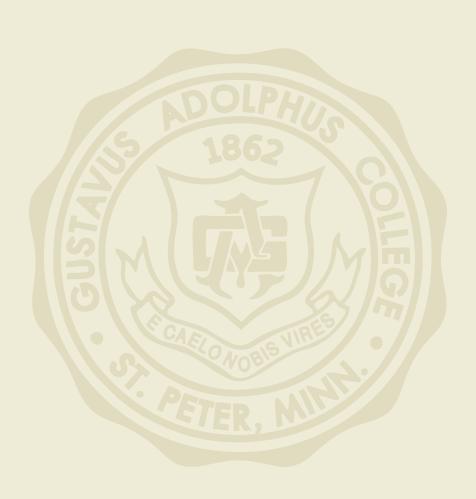


a celebration of ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Honors Day 2024 | Saturday, May 4



GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS COLLEGE

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HONORS DAY 2024 CONVOCATION

Prelude Chad Winterfeldt, DMA
Cantor of Christ Chapel

Praeludium in C Major

Georg Böhm (1661–1733)

Processional (Please stand as you are able.)

March in A Major

Margaret Sandresky (b. 1921)

Welcome Rebecca Bergman

President of the College

Invocation The Rev. Betsy Hoium

Chaplain of the College

Address Martin Lang

What Am I Doing Here?

How I Learned to Stop Worrying and Love Being an Imposter

Associate Professor of Communication Studies 2023 Recipient, Edgar M. Carlson Award for Distinguished Teaching

Announcement of Honors

Brenda Kelly, PhD
Provost and Dean of the College
and
Charlie Potts, EdD
Dean of Students

Presentation of the 2024 Gustavus Faculty Scholarly Accomplishment Award

Presentation of the 2024 Swenson-Bunn Memorial Award for Teaching Excellence

Alli Joerger '24 and Gabe Maurer '25
Student Senate Co-Presidents

Benediction Chaplain Hoium

Recessional Dr. Winterfeldt

*Tuba Tune in D major*C. S. Lang (1891–1971)



Martin Lang

The 2024 Honors Convocation speaker is Martin Lang, associate professor in Communication Studies; Film and Media Studies; and Gender, Women and Sexuality Studies. Lang is the winner of the 2023 Edgar M. Carlson Award for Distinguished Teaching, the Gustavus faculty's highest accolade for teaching excellence.

Lang graduated from Gustavus in 1995 with a double major in English and Speech Communication, and he earned a Masters in Rhetorical Studies and a Ph.D. in Media Studies from the University of Minnesota. He returned to Gustavus to start teaching in 2005. His scholarly work and courses focus on the ways that media contribute to our individual and collective senses of identity, including characteristics like gender, race, socioeconomic class, and sexuality. Many of his courses and research projects are grounded in community-engaged learning and action, including his collaboration with students to create the documentaries *Farming Forward* and *(Mid) West of Somalia*. He is a proud first-generation college graduate.

NATIONAL AND STATEWIDE SCHOLARSHIPS AND PRIZES

Phi Beta Kappa, Eta Chapter of Minnesota (elected Spring 2024)

McKenzie Alders

Erin Coleman

Ainsley Cox Riley Erb

Andrea Cruz Bracamontes

Kathleen Grube Abby Housker Teegan Jass Sara Kugler Torii Nienow Rylea Patterson Kieran Ripken Annabel Smith Elliot Steeves

Emma Erickson Erika Henrichs Lindsay James Sydney Koppelman Gabriel Maurer Olivia Norquist Anna Marie Riner Chloe Smallfield Caroline Southworth Macie Stevermer Halley Thornburg

Chasey Wedge

Bailey Wagner Daniel Williams

Tyler Teichmiller

Phi Beta Kappa is the nation's oldest and most prestigious academic honor society. Students who have excelled in the study of liberal arts are elected each year by a faculty committee of local chapter members. Election criteria include a record of high achievement in liberal arts courses and majors, competency in math and foreign language, and demonstration of a love of learning as evidenced by the depth and breadth of a student's college career. The Gustavus chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, the Eta chapter of Minnesota, was approved in 1982 and formally chartered in April 1983.

Fulbright Scholarship

Alexis Lin - Awardee Kade Copple - Alternate Emily Carlson - Semi-Finalist Olivia Falk - Awardee Aiya Jorde - Semi-Finalist Tania Perez Barrios - Semi-Finalist Isabella Robertson - Semi-Finalist

The Fulbright Fellowship Program is the largest U.S. exchange program that offers research, study, and teaching opportunities in over 140 countries for students and recent graduates. Fulbright aims to increase mutual understanding between people from the U.S. and other countries. English Teaching Assistant (ETA) awardees teach English in K-12 and college institutions and serve as cultural ambassadors. Applicants submit personal essays and explain their goals in teaching abroad and serving as a cultural ambassador. Final awards are made by embassies in the host country and the Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board after an interview.

Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship

Erin Coleman - Awardee Madeline Chaplin - Nominee Sophia Smith - Nominee Rachel Trebesch - Nominee

The Barry Goldwater Scholarship and Excellence in Education is a prestigious national scholarship for natural science, engineering and mathematics majors. The Congressional Award is named in honor of Senator Barry Goldwater, who served as a U.S. soldier and politician for 56 years. The scholarship supports college sophomores and juniors who show exceptional promise of becoming this nation's next generation of research leaders. Nominees emerge from a larger pool of candidates in the Gustavus Math and Science Division; a national committee awards scholarships based on an applicant's statements about their commitment and contributions to scientific research. Goldwater alumni can be found conducting research that is helping defend the U.S., finding cures for diseases, and teaching future generations of scientists, mathematicians, and engineers.

Critical Language Award

Caroline Southworth - Awardee, Persian

The Critical Language Scholarship (CLS) Program is a U.S. government effort to expand the number of Americans studying and mastering critical foreign languages. A scholarship fully funds intensive language instruction and structured cultural enrichment experiences in countries essential to America's engagement with the world. Applicants must explain their interest in and future application of the critical language. The selected critical languages are: Arabic, Azerbaijani, Bangla, Chinese, Hindi, Indonesian, Japanese, Korean, Persian, Portuguese, Punjabi, Russian, Swahili, Turkish, and Urdu.

Rossing Physics Scholarship

Erin Coleman - Semi-Finalist

Dr. Thomas Rossing established The Rossing Fund for Physics Education Endowment, which is administered by the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) for students at ELCA-related colleges or universities. The scholarship awards outstanding sophomore or junior physics students who are nominated by the Gustavus Physics Department. Selection is made by a national committee based on the applicants' personal and research statements.

Donald G. Paterson Award

Anna Marie Riner - Nominee

The Paterson Award is presented to the outstanding psychology major in Minnesota as determined by a research paper competition at the Minnesota Undergraduate Psychology Conference. Annually, each of the state's colleges and universities nominates one outstanding major for the competition, and this year the Gustavus nominee earned the honor.

National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship Program

Trevor Kempen - Honorable Mention

The National Science Foundation "seeks to ensure the vitality of the human resource base of science, mathematics, and engineering in the United States and to reinforce its diversity" by awarding graduate fellowships for research-based PhD programs.

Project Global Officer (GO!)

Ethan Moudry - Awardee, Russian

Project Global Officer (GO) is a Department of Defense initiative aimed at improving the language skills, regional expertise, and intercultural communication skills of future military officers. The Scholarship funds critical language education, study abroad, and intercultural dialogue for Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC) students. Project GO programs focus on the languages and countries of the Middle east, Asia, Central Asia, Africa, and South America.

Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute Internship Program

Andrea Cruz Bracamontes -Semi-Finalist

The U.S. Congressional Hispanic Caucus Internship Program provides participants with legislative knowledge, an extensive network and professional leadership skills. Interns help congressional representatives interact and serve their home constituencies as well as understanding or promoting policies of interest to Latino communities.

Minnesota Campus Compact Presidents' Award for Civic Engagement

Emma Shumaker

This award is given to an individual student or a student organization that models a deep commitment to civic responsibility and leadership as evidenced by initiative, innovative, and collaborative approaches to addressing public issues, effective community building, and integration of civic engagement into the college experience.

Alpha Alpha Honor Society

Zoe Carik Paige Danforth
Zoe Jesh Chloe Keller
Chance Korpela Grace Lawbeerjour
Emily McKay Najaira Solis
Brandon Steinhaus Laura Thalhuber

Angelina Yang

Tri-Alpha is a national honor society for first-generation college students that was founded in 2018. The Gustavus chapter of Epsilon Xi was chartered in 2022. Students are invited to join based on a minimum overall GPA and if neither the student's parents, step-parents, nor legal guardians has completed a bachelor's degree.

COLLEGE-SPONSORED SCHOLARSHIPS AND PRIZES

Guild of St. Ansgar

McKenzie Alders Mikayla Bohner Cody Bonk Ainsley Cox Ionas Doerr Andrea Cruz Bracamontes Iacob Duncan Abigail Eaton Olivia Falk Sydney Hauger Teegan Jass Lindsay James Alli Joerger Sara Kugler Allison Laux Kathryn Lillemon Claire Lind Gabriel Maurer Henry Noma Sophie Norman Adelyn Oberg Jordan Olds Kiana Pitsch Brooke Power

Anna Marie Riner Kristin Simphoukham
Kendra Smaby Caroline Southworth
Patrick Stonecipher Tyler Teichmiller
Lauren Tillman Evelyn Villalobos

The Guild of St. Ansgar, which is named for the first Christian missionary to the Scandinavians (and in honor of St. Ansgar's Academy, the name by which the College was known in the first decade following its founding), is an honorary society for seniors at the College. It was established in the spring of 1952 in response to a desire to recognize the overall achievements—scholarship, leadership, and participation in extracurricular activities—of graduating seniors.

Guild of St. Lucia

Mumtaaz Ali Elaina Ballard Harper Daire Elizabeth Fischer Lily Goloh Allison Held Erika Henrichs Lily Horsch Morgan Kelly Rachel Lester Megan Lipke Abigail McCready Addison Schloo Cristina Sirbu Rachel Trebesch Abigail Vizenor

The Guild of St. Lucia was established in 1957 and named for a saint revered by the Swedish people, celebrating the College's Swedish heritage. It honors women who have achieved academic success, displayed leadership qualities, and provided service to the College. Fifteen juniors are elected in the spring of each year.

Paul Magnuson Student Leadership and Service Award

Cody Bonk Andrea Cruz Bracamontes

Emma Ericson Sydney Hauger Nhu Nguyen Henry Noma Tyler Teichmiller Lauren Williams

Established in 1991 in recognition of the Honorable Paul Magnuson '59, chief judge of the U.S. Federal District Court in St. Paul and former trustee of the College, to recognize the significant contributions that individual students and student groups make to campus life. Each year, outstanding students and student organizations are nominated by fellow students, faculty, administrators, or staff for recognition, and a selection committee assembled by the dean of students reviews nominations and determines honorees in three categories: individual student leaders, campus organizations, and student-initiated events.

MOMENTS

Payton Ross Emma Shumaker

Peaceful Perspectives

Suban Abdullahi Anab Abdurahman Adna Ali Isabella Colmenares

Be the Match Bone Marrow Drive

Anders Coltvet Carter Henning

E. Terry Skone Investment Club

Carsten Bentley Anders Coltvet
Landon Lantz Olin Mattson
Thomas McDermott Levi Schmidt

Schwalm-Brostrom Leadership Award

Allison Held - Service Claire Lind - Faith

Established in 2000 by Ann Schwalm Schwanke '69 and her husband, Dr. Arlyn Schwanke, with gratitude for the example of her parents, Mark and Helen Schwalm, and for the encouragement of Gustavus mentors Milton Brostrom '49, professor emeritus of mathematics and computer science, and his wife, Elaine, retired director of public affairs. The award recognizes a current Gustavus sophomore, junior, or senior who, in their voluntary and community service for the benefit of those outside the Gustavus campus, "models an understanding of vocation and leadership embodied in creative, innovative, and extraordinary efforts or new initiatives that respond to the needs of society."

Ovanlig Award

Carter Learned

Established in 1999 by Tim Flatt '91 and Tracie Kurth '94 and are awarded to a junior or senior who has demonstrated leadership in raising campus awareness of gay, lesbian, bisexual, or transgender rights and concerns.

Bruce A. Gray Diversity Honors Award

Guadalupe Olague Vatuazenj Vang Emelia Laryea

Recognizes the ongoing efforts and accomplishments of up to three students who embody and exemplify the values of diversity, inclusion, and principles of social justice at Gustavus.

Gerhard T. Alexis Scholars

Ellen Becken Erin Coleman Harper Daire Isabella Delaney Emma Forsyth Cecilia Gerlach Lydia Gillis Makenna Huetten Marit Isaacson Sara Kugler Rachel Lester Julia Peterson Jessica Ruud Claire Schoonmaker Chloe Smallfield Tyler Smith

Endowed by a gift from Jane and H. Bradford Thompson and presented annually, beginning in 1983–84, to the junior student or students (as determined by credits) with the highest cumulative GPA following the previous spring semester. It is named for the distinguished English professor (taught 1947–1983).

Albert G. Swanson Scholars

Alexandra Combs Emma Erickson
Kimberly Hareland Trevor Kempen
Sydney Koppelman Jorrun Kuehn
Sophie Norman Adelyn Oberg
Christina Schmidt Maria Sylvester
Tyler Teichmiller Camille Will

Endowed by a gift from Jane and H. Bradford Thompson and presented annually, beginning in 1983–84, to the senior student or students (as determined by credits) with the highest cumulative GPA following the previous spring semester. It is named for the distinguished academic dean and mathematics professor who also served as acting president of the College (1968–69).

DEPARTMENTAL ACADEMIC ASSISTANTS

Academic Assistants work under the supervision of the chairpersons of their respective departments. They serve as student resources for departmental decisions, assist in the teaching of certain courses and in the development of specific departmental projects, and may conduct personal research projects. A stipend accompanies each appointment. Below are departments with academic assistants.

African and African Diaspora Studies

Tegan Hirman

Art and Art History

Megan Lipke Jada Zevenbergen

Arts Entrepreneurship

Marta Sikora

Athletic Training

Andrew Engebretson

Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

Sarah Carr Maria Sylvester

Biology

Quinn Ailabouni Kaden Erkkila Olivia Falk Adelyn Oberg

Business and Economics

Chloe Smallfield - Accounting Macie Stevermer - Accounting Jacob Breitbach - Economics Turner McDonald - Economics Jessica Ruud - Management

Chemistry

Kathryn Cash Ryan Schimek

Communication Studies

Iordan Oelkers Celeste Thalhammer Alexandra Combs

Comparative Literatures

Leah Thompson

Education

Aubrey Kosters

English

Alexandra Combs Riley Erb

Environment, Georgraphy, and **Earth Sciences**

Kathleen Grube - Environmental Studies Gabriela Rodriguez - Environmental Studies Isabella Delaney - Geography Amad Jalloh - Geography Torii Nienow – Geology Kaisa Whittaker - Geology

Film and Media Studies

Isabela Larsen Will Sorg

First Term Seminar

Emma Forsyth Clare Koll

Gender, Women, and Sexuality Studies

Mallory Daniels Hailey Vader

Greek, Latin, and Classical Studies

Bailey Wagner

Health and Exercise Science

Braden Black Ohnica Melenich

History

Emily Carlson Chasey Wedge

Japanese Studies

Jonathan Cordano

Latin American, Latinx, and Caribbean Studies

Ashley Toledano Palacios

Library

Alivia Rohda McKenna Rooney

Mathematics, Computer Science, and Statistics

Sydney Koppelman Tyler Teichmiller

Modern Languages, Literatures, and Cultures

Carter Learned - German Sylvie Chaput – French Kailyn Walukas – French Itzell Martinez - Spanish

Music

Emily Giannotta

Nursing

Yuleima Aguilar Garcia Payton Belt Ella Carlson Madeleine Johnson Lezly Rosas Marcial

Peace, Justice, and Conflict Studies

Ellen Callender Madison Fleming

Philosophy

Jocelyn Morningstar

Physics

Andrew Jensen Landon Johnson Amanda Larson Mitchell Leschensky

Political Science

Claire Lind Ivan Scarpino Korb

Psychological Science

Jordan Gunderson Mikayla Witte

Public Health

Quinn Ailabouni

Religion

Benji Huff Jonah Johnson Lachen Reid Victoria Zachman

Russian and Eastern European Studies

Cristina Sirbu

Scandinavian Studies

Cerise Metz

Sociology and Anthropology

Angelina Yang

Sport Management

Lauren MacLean

Theatre and Dance

Emma Forsyth Elise Gahart Mary Juelich Gabriella Schwakopf

Three Crowns Curriculum

Rilev Erb

Writing Across the Curriculum

Program

Isabela Larsen

PRESIDENT'S HONOR LIST

The President's Honor List comprises those students who have a cumulative grade point average of 3.7 or better (on a 4.0 scale) through January of the academic year.

Isabella Aase Lindsay Bangs Adam Boyens Alex Cherry Ella De Young Betsabe Aguilar Pineda Kylie Baranick Avery Braunshausen Joshua Christensen Isaac Dearborn Cassidy Ahlgrim Xander Barnd Iacob Breitbach Audrev Christiansen Clark Decaire Emily Ahrens Kaylee Bauder Isabel Breitkreutz Ella Chuinard Emily Dehn Hannah Ahrens Sara Baxter Kelley Brennan Darren Chukel Carson DeKam Truman Ahrens Camden Cilek Ellen Becken Margo Brettin Isabella Delaney Quinn Ailabouni Linnea Beckstrom Triston Clark Isabella Delwiche Claire Brings Aubrey Akervik Eaan Bedwell Abigail Clasemann Hailey Dettmer Ally Brodin Zoya Akhtar Evan Bennerotte Tatum Brostrom Mia Clausen-Whitley Amelia Dewberry McKenzie Alders Miika Benning Brian Brown Nathan Cole-Dai Kendall Diehl Ashton Dingmann Rose Aldridge Katelyn Benschoter Claire Brown Erin Coleman Akwasi Amoah Kamryn Benusa Sophia Brown Brendan Collins Grace Dlouby Benjamin Anderson Rebecca Beranek Willa Brown Megan Collins Ava Dobratz Isabella Colmenares Betsy Anderson Arianna Bergeron Bobbie Bruns Ionas Doerr Fletcher Anderson Sophia Coltvet Ellen Dow Elizabeth Bergquist Hannah Bump Harriet Anderson Margot Bettman Madison Burman Alexandra Combs Caitlyn Dresselhaus Julia Anderson Rachel Bickman Karina Burns Laurel Connett Jacob Duncan Lauren Buss Maggie Anderson Brady Biehn Kieran Connolly Olivia Duraine Abigail Eaton Martin Anderson Adam Biewen Amelia Butler Kade Copple Samantha Anderson Nora Birkholz Emma Bygd Jonathan Cordano Nicholas Ebert Javier Cordova Addison Andrix Rachel Black Ellen Callender Nolan Eckmann Elizabeth Blair William Eikens Iade Anstine Julia Canty Ainsley Cox Kendra Blaschko Aiden Carlson Grant Ellings Lily-Marie Antoine Rebecca Craig Bryn Archambault Alex Blegen Dallas Carlson Elizabeth Crane Tyler Elliott Madeleine Archer Reese Blondin Ella Carlson Declan Crumlev Jillian Elton Cullen Arneson Parker Bluhm Andrea Cruz Emily Carlson Kazimir Emery Ella Arvidson Nana Akua Boakye Matthew Carlson Bracamontes Claire Emmons Sarah Carr Audrey Atkins Lydia Curtler Elsie Engman Agyemang Lauren Carrier Joseph Auge Ella Bobrowski Adison Dack Heidi Engman Payton Auseth Hunter Bockoven Heidi Carstensen Rowan Dahlseid Riley Erb Gabriella Bacigalupo Amelia Boerger Luke Casey Harper Daire Olivia Erhardt Stanislav Danaev Emma Erickson Marisa Bacon Mikayla Bohner Kathryn Cash Ursula Bader Mallory Daniels Emma Ericson Cody Bonk Owen Casteel Arwen Baer Kristen Bonneville Mariel Castillo Mary Davenport Griffin Erkkila Grant Baker Sara Borchard Ella Castleman Paige Davidson Kaden Erkkila Jay Baldus Abigail Borene Thomas Chalupnik Kaya De Bruijn William Esparza Iulia Baldus Kaylee Bosma Grant Fackler Madeline Chaplin Rafael De Camargo Elaina Ballard Creton Bourne Costa Hannah Faeth McKinlee Cherp

Benjamin Fahrenz	Allison Graff	Nyden Hill	Alexander Johnson	Drew Kretlow
Olivia Falk	Soren Grant	Taryn Hillerud	Brynn Johnson	Abby Krueger
Ava Farrell	Hannah Gray	Hannah Hilyar	Chelsy Johnson	Jack Kubitz
Corinne Fastrup	Manny Green	Henry Hinchcliffe	Elsa Johnson	Christopher Kuehn
Chase Fellrath	Lauren Gregersen	Sydne Hintermeister	Kennedy Johnson	Jorrun Kuehn
William Fenton	Lillian Grim	Kate Hinz	Landon Johnson	Abigail Kugler
Whitney Fink	Cami Grinde	Tegan Hirman	Madeleine Johnson	Sara Kugler
Taylor Finney	MacKenzie Groth	Jackson Hjelle	Owen Johnson	Becky LaCanne
Elizabeth Fischer	Kathleen Grube	Lilly Hockersmith	Taylor Johnson	Anna Lacy
Madison Fleming	Eleanor Guanella	Rebecca Hoffman	Conor Jolly	Madeline LaJoy
Kendall Flesch	Elise Gunderson	Bode Hogan	Jaxon Jones	Nina Lam Pak Ng
Joseph Flory	Jordan Gunderson	Jenna Hogstad	Jennifer Jones	Lauren Lambert
Brooke Foley	Agro Gushwa	Benjamin Holden	Emily Jono	Callista Lamott
Blake Forrest	Eleanor Habben	Mara Holland	Aiya Jorde	Alexis Lane
Emma Forsyth	Brooke Haddorff	Rae Holwerda	Charlie Juaire	Isabela Larsen
Gaylen Frazier	Elsey Hagen	Elizabeth Horton	Mary Juelich	Annika Larson
Dylan Fredrickson	Sydney Hagen	Abby Housker	Max Just	Grace LaTourelle
Caleb Fridinger	Erin Hall	Jaden Houston	Sam Just	Allison Laux
Ashley Friedman	Dylan Halom	Brooke Howell	Ethan Kalla	Salina Le
Alexys Fuerstenberg	Gabriella Hamvas	Dana Howell	Emma Karbowski	Ellen Leach
Monarch Fuhrman	Rose Han	Reilly Hubin	Alexander Keasler	Lily Leahy
Isabel Fynboh	Mya Hanson	Wyatt Hudspith	Mikyas Kebede	Chloe Lee
Erica Gaebe	Rachel Harding	Makenna Huetten	Morgan Kelly	Erika Lee
Elise Gahart	Kimberly Hareland	Amanda Hukee	Emma Kelsey	Hanna Lee
Danny Gavin	Logann Harkness	Synnove Hunnes	Trevor Kempen	Maddox Lee
Calvin Gehring	Alec Harris	Kennedy Hurd	Kaylene Kerber	Austin Legatt
Megan Geraets	Sydney Hauger	Marit Isaacson	Grace Kinkeade	Raiey Legesse
Cecilia Gerlach	Alaina Hearne	Kimika Ishikawa-Temple	Chelsea Klaphake	Lukas Lennartson
Emma Gesch	Ross Hebel	Emily Jacobs	Annie Klemmensen	Bennett Lepel
Claire Ghantous	Wren Heiman	Olivia Jahnke	Kelsie Knaggs	Hope Lesher
Emily Giannotta	Allison Held	Alexander Jahnsen	Anna Kneeskern	Rachel Lester
George Giannou	Samuel Helgerson	Natalie Jahnsen	Emma Kniefel	Brian Li
Grant Gibson	Trygg Hemstad	Lindsay James	Chloe Knuteson	Kathryn Lillemon
Emelia Gifford	Claire Hemstock	Macy Janssen	Jaden Knutson	Alexis Lin
Alison Gilles	Paige Hendricks	Will Janzen	Carson Koch	Claire Lind
Mason Gilliand	Carter Henning	Teegan Jass	Emily Kolb	Frances Lindgren
Lydia Gillis	Lucie Henrich	Makayla Javers	Clare Koll	Sarrah Lindner
Nolan Glander	Erika Henrichs	Diego Jennings	Sydney Koppelman	Megan Lipke
Gage Gohl	Eleanor Henson	Jensi Jensen	Chance Korpela	Yunfan Liu
Lily Goloh	Adriana Her	Moriah Jensen	Aubrey Kosters	Ester Ljunggren
Samara Goltz	Anthony Hernandez	Alli Joerger	Taylor Kothenbeutel	Kaelyn Lobalbo
Hubert Gonsorowski	Emma Heyer	Ellen Joesting	Ava Kraemer	Gabriel Loberg
Lilyanne Goulette	Ellison Heyerdahl	Aidra Johnson	Morgan Krakowski	Colton Loeschke
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Anna Lothrop	Kaia Meyer	Delaney Nordos	Kendall Petersen	Kaiani Roberts Engman
Natalie Luc	Marlys Michaud	Nina Nordstrom	Kendra Petersohn	Katey Robertson
Jake Lucas	Danielle Miller	Jenna Norgaard	Adrienne Peterson	Lauren Rocheford
McKenzie Luetmer	Grace Miller	Sophie Norman	Julia Peterson	Matthew Rockwell
Peighton Lynskey	Lauren Miller	Olivia Norquist	Lucy Peterson	Gabriela Rodriguez
Bella Macemon	Emily Mills	Isabella Nowak	Taylor Pfeifer	Sigrid Rohrer
Eliana Maciej	Kyoka Miyake	Cyemone Nusser	Quoc Cuong Pham	Adyson Roman
Paige Madson	Ayan Mohamed	Richard Nyankson	Kiana Pitsch	Whitley Ronn
Payton Mahady	Diana Moir	Greta Nyberg	Tobias Polley	Kathryn Rooker
Connor Mahony	Rebekah Moll	Emily Oberdeck	Kirstin Poppen	Luke Rooker
Mackenzie Maki	Brianna Monahan	Adelyn Oberg	Griffin Post	Chloe Rossow
Kayla Malmgren	Frances Monroe	Eric Oberstar	Evan Pouliot	Avery Rowan
Sydney Mancini	Elizabeth Moore	Angel Obiorah	Brooke Power	Anna Rudolf
Ryan Manly	Josephine Moore	Corina Occhiato	Audrey Power Theisen	Markus Rupnow
Katherine Markert	Matthew Moorse	Jordan Oelkers	Amara Prochaska	Jessica Ruud
Major Martin	John Moran	Alex Ogle	Sydney Prowse	Benjamin Ryan
Jayden Martinez	McKenna Moran	Caitlin Olafsson	Cooper Ptacek	Jonathan Ryan
Princess Martinez	Simon Morgan	Jordan Olds	Amelia Qualey	Kelsi Rygg
Barajas	Jocelyn Morningstar	Emily Olson	Riley Queensland	Jacqueline Rynda
Julia Mateski	Todd Morrow	Forrest Olson	Lola Randolph	Soren Sackreiter
Olin Mattson	Ethan Moudry	Max Olson	Zoe Rasmussen	Jack Saetveit
Gabriel Maurer	Madelyn Mueller	Junior Opoku-Ansah	Jacob Rathke	Emily Sagstetter
Annie Maxwell	Carson Muench	Bryan Orcutt	Jack Raway	Katie Samek
Ivy Mayaka	Graham Muench	Elizabeth Orton	Aliyah Regenold	Jenna Sargent
Madeline McCleary	Em Murphey	Kofi Osei	Aaron Reichard	Caroline Sauer
Anna McClelland	Mackenzie Murphy	Joshua Otchere	Lachen Reid	Owen Schauss
Eva McClelland	Maria Myhre	Piper Otto	Annika Reierson	Aurora Borealis
Kathryn McCoy	Carly Nelson	Ronard Pabi	Ava Reierson	Schelmeske
Abigail McCready	Julia Nelson	Madison Packer	Frija Reinert	Lexie Schettler
Thomas McDermott	Leah Nelson	Jessica Pagelkopf	Nicholas Reisig	Ryan Schimek
Turner McDonald	Nicole Nelson	Kaitlyn Palmer	Brooke Remington	Logan Schindler
Destiny McDowell	Tomas Nelson	Angelina Palmiotto	Madison Reyes	Addison Schloo
Grace McFarlane	Abby Joy Neptun	Lauren Pankow	Ally Reynolds	Allison Schmidt
Molly McHugh	Parker Newell	Elinor Parry	Tiegen Richards	Breeana Schmidt
Ava McKinley	Joshua Newman	Jacob Partington	Peyton Richardson	Christina Schmidt
Houston McLaury	Chavy Ngov	Callie Patraw	Joseph Ricker	Cole Schmidt
Noah Meffert	Marcus Nguyen	Thomas Patterer	Gerrit Riekels	Levi Schmidt
Melissa Meinhardt	Nhu Nguyen	Nicholas Patterson	Gabrielle Rignell	Logan Schmidt
Ohnica Melenich	Trang Nguyen	Rylea Patterson	William Riitters	Marisa Schmidt
Arya Menk	Paige Nickelson	Annabel Pautsch	Anna Marie Riner	Megan Schmiechen
Joseph Merrigan	Torii Nienow	Ahnalee Pedersen	Braden Ripken	Jake Schmitt
Cerise Metz	Cole Nolte	Ella Peters	Kieran Ripken	Noelle Schmitt
Isaac Meyer	Bradyn Nordeen	Jordan Petersen	Freya Rising	Brady Schmitz

Chelsea Stahl Sam Schneider Leah Thompson Ava White Claire Schoenfield Alexis Stapelman Megan Thomson Sophia White Claire Schoonmaker Brenna Thordson Nicholas Whiteman Elliot Steeves Zethan Schultz Halley Thornburg Kaisa Whittaker Mary Steffen Nikolas Schweizer Maria Widen Molly Stein Adeline Tiggelaar Kylie Scott Dane Stensland Lauren Tillman Grayson Wieczorek Ezedin Seid Macie Stevermer Evan Wieker Sydney Timm Ashley Sendzik Emma Stock Gabrielle Tompkins Oscar Wikstrom Joseph Setterlund Olivia Stockham Rachel Trebesch Brandon Wilcek Ellie Stodden Olivia Treichel Madeline Wilker Isak Sevig Patrick Stonecipher Camille Will Aiden Shermak Sophia Trenary Megan Sherwood Taylor Storlien Caitlin Trobec Daniel Williams Daria Shyroka Gabriella Stoudt Maria Trochez Lauren Williams Ashley Stroebel Brenden Troiden Brooklyn Williamson Luke Siegle Matthew Strom Elizabeth Tschida Megan Siewert Abigail Willis Amber Simon Michaela Strom Kasie Tweet Sofia Wilson Elijah Simon Tyler Stursa Mayssa Tweet Hannah Wirth Annabella Simonson Lindsay Sundby Jaime Ulloa Madison Wishart Mikayla Witte Kristin Simphoukham Laura Sunnarborg Hailey Vader Aidan Sindelir Beau Supan Bella Van Den Heuvel Jordan Wold Cristina Sirbu Nathan Swanson Benjamin VandeBerg Simon Woods Marco Antonio Siviero Jennifer Swearingen Oscar Vargo Kayla Woytcke Sidney Wright Spencer Skeldestad Emily Swenson Raquel Vaughn Kendra Smaby Rakiah Swenson Landon Vaupel Bao Xiona Robert Swenson Chloe Smallfield Olivia Vieths Aika Yamaguchi Annabel Smith Bryn Swiston Evelyn Villalobos Tessa Yeager Blair Smith Zainab Syed Abigail Vizenor Roselyn Yeboah Brita Smith Janelle Sylvester Miranda Vizoso-Marino Geoffrey Youngs Maria Sylvester Victoria Zachman Brynn Smith Karlie Vrieze Zoe Zarth Hogan Smith Allison Szalay Bailey Wagner Lauren Smith Gracelyn Szynal Veronica Wahman Laura Zehell Sophia Smith Eliana Tade Cambelle Waldspurger Adria Zermeño Rocha Hexa Zheng Anders Taylor Andrew Wallen Tyler Smith Cade Wallin Taryn Snetsinger Samuel Teff Jaina Zillinger Tyler Teichmiller Kailyn Walukas Peter Snyder Sara Teigland Zoe Wambeke Timothy Snyder Parker Tewes Luke Wangsness Victor Solano Celeste Thalhammer Colin Ward Jonathan Solhjem Annika Weber Ella Sontowski Yee Choua Thao Elise Thelen Karly Sorensen Chasey Wedge Will Sorg Ellie Thiegs Makaila Weingart Caroline Southworth Ainsley Thode Calvin Weis Caitlynne Springhorn Mariah Thomas-Mccarty Ingrid Welna Elise St. John Avery Thompson Ryan Wersal

DEPARTMENTAL HONOR SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

Recipients of these scholarships and awards are selected by the faculty of the individual departments on the basis of merit.

ART AND ART HISTORY

President's Art Award

Mya Hanson

Established in 2017, the President's Art Prize is awarded to a student whose work demonstrates exceptional merit, formally and conceptually, as selected by the Studio Art and Art History faculty.

ATHLETIC TRAINING

Gary Reinholtz Outstanding Athletic Training Student Award

Isabel Reuvers

Honoring Gustavus's first athletic training coordinator and certified athletic trainer (taught 1976–2004), who created the College's first classes in Athletic Training in 1977 and was also instrumental in developing an AT major in 1986 and gaining national accreditation; since 2011 this award has been selected by faculty and staff annually to recognize the most exceptional student in the program.

BIOLOGY

Rubert Anderson Award in Systematics

Emily Fletcher Monarch Fuhrman

Established by the Department of Biology in 2008 to engage students in collections-based systematics work in one of the Department's permanent resource collections of plants or animals. Named in honor of the late Rubert S. Anderson, a biochemist affiliated with Princeton University, the Marine Biological Institute at Woods Hole, and the University of South Dakota, for his donations to the Gustavus Biology program, this award annually recognizes student contributions to systematics work.

Rubert Anderson Research Award

Kade Copple

Kristin Simphoukham

Established by the Department of Biology in 1985 to honor the late biochemist Rubert S. Anderson for his philanthropy to the Department, it recognizes outstanding academic achievement in biology.

Beta Beta Beta National Biology Honors Society

(inducted 2024)

Isabella Aase

Kade Copple

Ari DeVries

Mary Juelich

Sara Kugler

Samuel Lohn

Henry Noma

Peyton Richardson

Sarah Carr

Ari DeVries

Kati Julien

Katera Lampert

Lucas Mueller

Madison Olson

Kristin Simphoukham

Bailey Wagner

Founded at Oklahoma City University in 1922 and chartered as a national honor society in 1925; the Gustavus chapter, Iota Rho, was established April 15, 1977.

J.A. Edquist Award

Julia Baldus Adelyn Oberg

Named after an early professor of Biology and Botany at Gustavus (1889–1930), the award recognizes outstanding academic achievement in biology.

Charles L. Hamrum Award

Mia Clausen-Whitley Olivia Falk

Established in 1982 by a group of graduates who had entered the field of entomology, this award is given annually in honor of the late Biology professor, a member of the Class of 1947 (taught 1949–1988), for his contributions to and influence on their careers. The group also set up a scholarship endowment fund in Hamrum's name. The award was first presented in 1984 and recognizes the achievements of an upperclass student majoring in Biology.

Outstanding Service Award

Ari DeVries Kathryn Lillemon

Presented annually to recognize a student or students for outstanding service to the Biology Department.

BUSINESS & ECONOMICS

Logan Scholarship in Economics & Management Nyden Hill

Established in 1984 by the Logans and first awarded in 1986 to an outstanding junior Economics and Management major or majors as nominated by the faculty.

Minnesota Society of CPAs

Chloe Smallfield

The Minnesota Society of Certified Public Accountants (MNCPA), a professional association for CPAs, was established in 1904, and the society's Education Fund has a long history of providing scholarships to accounting students at Gustavus. In 2014 the board of directors of the Education Fund decided to establish a named endowment for accounting scholarships at the College that will generate one scholarship per year of at least \$1,000, to be awarded according to the following criteria (in descending order of importance): an Accounting major, 3.24+ GPA, documented financial need, intent to sit for the CPA exam, and junior or senior standing.

Minnesota Society of CPAs - Southern Chapter Tyler Smith

Annually sustained scholarship first awarded in 1986 to high-achieving sophomore or junior Accounting students.

Terry & Lois Skone Investment Club Scholarship Levi Schmidt

In 1997, Terry Skone '62 and his wife, Lois, mother of Sarah Lange '00, established the Student Investment Club at Gustavus to give students a "hands-on" opportunity to learn about and invest in the stock market. When the portfolio of the club exceeds a given level, the earnings are used as student scholarships, according to the College's established policies. Priority is given to students intending to major in the Economics and Management Department, or who are planning careers in banking, finance, or entrepreneurship.

CHEMISTRY

American Chemical Society Division of Analytical Chemistry Award

Ryan Schimek

The ACS's Division of Analytical Chemistry sponsors annual awards to undergraduate students enrolled in programs emphasizing analytical chemistry who have completed at least one full year of study. The faculty determines other criteria and selects one outstanding student, who receives a complimentary one-year division membership.

The American Chemical Society Division of Physical Chemistry Undergraduate Award

Kathryn Cash

The ACS's Division of Physical Chemistry sponsors annual awards to undergraduate students demonstrating excellence in physical chemistry and related fields based on research, coursework, and/or dedication to the field. The faculty determines other criteria and selects one outstanding student each year.

American Chemical Society Division of Organic Chemistry Undergraduate Award

Kimberly Hareland

The ACS's Division of Organic Chemistry sponsors annual awards to undergraduate students enrolled in programs emphasizing organic chemistry who have completed at least one full year of study. The faculty determines other criteria and selects one outstanding student, who receives a complimentary one-year division membership.

American Chemical Society Division of Inorganic Chemistry Undergraduate Student Award

Bailey Wagner

The ACS's Division in Inorganic Chemistry sponsors annual awards to undergraduate students enrolled in Chemistry, Environmental Engineering, or other programs emphasizing inorganic chemistry who have completed at least one full year of study. The faculty determines other criteria and selects one outstanding student, who receives a complimentary one-year division membership.

American Chemical Society Division of Polymer Chemistry Award

Allison Szalay

Presented by the faculty to recognize outstanding achievement by a Chemistry major during the first two semesters of Organic Chemistry.

American Chemical Society Division of Environmental Chemistry Undergraduate Award

Mariel Castillo

The ACS's Division of Environmental Chemistry sponsors annual awards to undergraduate students enrolled in programs emphasizing environmental chemistry who have completed at least one full year of study. The faculty determines other criteria and selects one outstanding student, who receives a complimentary one-year division membership.

American Institute of Chemists Award

Trevor Kempen

Presented by the faculty to an outstanding Chemistry major who plans to pursue graduate study in the field.

Freshman Chemistry Award

Molly Stein

Hexa Zheng

Presented to the top first-year Chemistry student or students at the completion of the general Chemistry course.

Frances Engelmann Knock Scholarship

Mariel Castillo Kimberly Hareland Ryan Schimek Maria Sylvester

Endowed scholarship established in 1984 by Theodore Knock '37 in memory of his wife, Dr. Frances Engelmann Knock, a surgeon, chemist, and cancer researcher. The scholarship, first awarded in 1986, is designated for Chemistry majors.

COMMUNICATION STUDIES

John E. Braun Award for Outstanding Achievement in Communication Studies

Elizabeth Orton

Named for Professor Emeritus John Braun (taught 1971–2001) and awarded to a junior or senior Communication Studies major who demonstrates outstanding service and/or exceptional dedication to the study of the major; recipients are chosen by vote of Department faculty.

William G. Robertz Award for Outstanding Scholarship in Communication Studies

Jonas Doerr

Named for Professor Emeritus William Robertz '51 (taught 1957–1995) and awarded to a graduating senior Communication Studies major who demonstrates academic excellence in the major and outstanding potential for success in graduate school; recipients are selected by the Department faculty.

Lambda Pi Eta National Honor Society in Communication Studies (inducted Spring 2024)

Triston Clark Jillian Elton

Morgan Kelly Jorrun Kuehn

Elizabeth Orton Luke Siegle

Elijah Simon Abigail Vizenor

Annika Weber

Established in 1985 at the University of Arkansas, Lambda Pi Eta became part of the National Communication Association (NCA) in 1988 and the NCA's official national undergraduate honor society in 1995. The Gustavus chapter, Psi, is a charter member.

EDUCATION

Kappa Delta Pi International Honor Society in Education (inducted Fall 2023)

Hannah Bump Nina Nordstrom Kendall Petersen Madison Reyes Allison Schmidt Karlie Vrieze Makaila Weingart

ENGLISH

Sigma Tau Delta National English Honor Society, Pi Rho Chapter (inducted Spring 2024)

Ellison Heyerdahl Patrick Stonecipher Taylor Storlien Sara Teigland

Founded as the English Club at Dakota Wesleyan in Mitchell, S.D., in 1922 and chartered as a national honor society in 1924; the Gustavus chapter, Pi Rho, was established in 1982.

Florence Amamoto Prize in Academic Excellence

Houston McLaury

The Florence Amamoto Prize for Academic Excellence honors outstanding student academic writing in the English major. The award is named for Professor Florence Amamoto to celebrate her contributions to the English Department and Gustavus Adolphus College.

Lawrence S. Owen Prize in Creative Writing

Non-Fiction

Mia Eisenbacher – 1st Place Patrick Stonecipher – 2nd Place Ingrid Duncan – 3rd Place

Fiction

Josh Hake – 1st Place Julia Anderson – Shared 2nd Place Madeleine Archer – Shared 2nd Place Jocelynne Woldemar – Shared 2nd Place

Poetry

Zainab Syed – 1st Place Madeleine Archer – 2nd Place Jocelynne Woldemar – 3rd Place

Named in honor of the distinguished professor (taught 1963–1996) and awarded annually, beginning in 1998, for excellence in creative writing.

Ann Brady Scholars

Willa Brown Lillian Grim

The Ann Brady Scholars honors a former faculty member in the English Department, who was a trailblazer and tireless advocate for her students in general, particularly women scholars. This award recognizes student excellence as an integral part of Dr. Brady's continuing legacy at Gustavus Adolphus College.

ENVIRONMENT, GEOGRAPHY AND EARTH SCIENCES

Robert Moline Environmental Studies Program "Cherish the Earth" Award

Tessa Yeager

Established in 1998 to honor Professor Emeritus Robert Moline (taught 1961–1998), the founder and longtime director of the Environmental Studies Program at Gustavus. Awarded annually for excellence in environmental studies and for awareness of and commitment to environmental issues.

Aaron Insley Award for Excellence in Cartography and Geographic Information Science

Lauren Tillman

The Aaron Insley prize honors the groundbreaking work of former Geography student Aaron Insley '08, who was the first Gustavus GIS student to create animated maps for his final project. During Aaron's senior year at Gustavus in November 2007, he was involved in a car accident and suffered a severe brain injury. Aaron survived with care for 15 years and passed away in February 2023.

National Council for Geographic Education Award Lindsay James

Presented to those senior Geography majors who have demonstrated excellence in scholarship and service.

Gamma Theta Upsilon International Geographical Honor Society (inducted spring of 2023)

Lydia Gillis Emma Kelsey Gabriella Schwakopf

Founded in 1928 at Illinois State University and chartered as a national honor society in 1931; the Gustavus chapter, Lambda Iota, was established in 2003.

MN GIS/LIS Outstanding Student Representative Addison Schloo

Minnesota post-secondary colleges and universities that have a recognized GIS program each select a student to be recognized as their GIS/LIS Outstanding Student Representative. All outstanding students so honored are given free registration for the annual state geography conference.

FIRST TERM SEMINAR

The First Term Seminar Excellence in Writing Award (Fall 2023)

Mackenzie Murphy

Honorable Mention

Isabella Colmenares

The First Term Seminar Excellence in Writing Award reconizes excellence in written communication by a first-year student in a First Term Seminar (FTS) course. Professors of each FTS section may nominate one paper for the award, and winning papers are selected in a blind review by a panel of faculty and senior students.

GREEK, LATIN AND CLASSICAL STUDIES

Eta Sigma Phi National Classics Honor Society, Epsilon Xi Chapter (inducted 2024)

Lindsay Bangs Claire Brings Tanner Hopkins Jaden Knutson Ava Kraemer Taylor Storlien

Founded at the University of Chicago in 1914 and chartered as a national honor society in 1924; a local chapter, Epsilon Xi, was established in 1981.

Kehm Smith Research Award

Taylor Storlien

The award includes the cost of tuition for a Gustavus classics major to participate in the Santa Susana Excavation Project in Redondo, Portugal, during the coming summer. It was made possible through the generosity of Gustavus alumna and classics major Emily Kehm Smith '06 and her husband, Austin.

Marleen B. Flory Award

Bailey Wagner

Established by the Department of Classics and former students, under the leadership of Mary Jaeger '82, and first awarded in the spring of 2002 in memory of Marleen Flory, who taught in the Department of Classics from 1978 to 2001; it serves as a living reminder of the legacy of her teaching, her influence on students, and her contributions to the academic life of the College. The award is given every other year to a student deemed by the classics faculty to have contributed most to the advancement of Classics, as demonstrated by proficiency in ancient languages, promise in scholarship and research, and leadership and service within the Department, to Eta Sigma Phi, and to the field of classics.

Professor J.A. and Hilda Youngquist Adeline Andreen and Ruth Youngquist Memorial Scholarship

Jaden Knutson

Taylor Storlien

Endowed scholarship established in 1948 in memory of the late Classics professor (taught 1892–1942) and his wife by their three daughters: Ruth Youngquist, attended 1914–1916; Adeline Andreen, Class of 1917; and Marion Logan, Class of 1924. Augmented in 1984 by Rufus and Marion Youngquist Logan and awarded to an outstanding major in Classics, as nominated by the faculty.

J.A. Youngquist Award in Classics

Tack Saetveit

Homini summe omnium doctrinarum studioso. Awarded to the senior student in the Department with the top academic record. It was established in 1984 by Professor Emeritus Rufus Logan (taught 1939–1974) and his wife, Marion Youngquist Logan, a 1924 graduate, to honor the memory of her father, Professor J.A. Youngquist, a member of Gustavus's first graduating class in 1890 and a longtime professor of Classics (taught 1892–1942).

INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS Sponberg Memorial Basketball Trophy

Adam Biewen

Established by the Sponberg family in 1951 to honor the basketball player with the highest grade point scholastic average.

Evelyn Sponberg Young Award

Kendra Smaby

Abigail Willis

Named in honor of the late Evelyn Sponberg Young, 1933 graduate, athlete, and longtime Dining Service director, and presented annually since 1977 to the senior woman athlete who has maintained the highest scholastic grade point average and has received at least four varsity awards.

LIBRARY

Patricia Lindell Scholarship Project

Ainsley Langerud

The Patricia Lindell Research Prize/Paper is awarded by the Library faculty for a Gustavus academic course paper that demonstrates excellent use of source material.

MATHEMATICS, COMPUTER SCIENCE, AND STATISTICS

John Borneman Prize Par Excellence in Mathematics Scholarship

Erin Coleman

Named in memory of the 1955 graduate by his family and presented annually to an outstanding student in Physics and/or Mathematics and Computer Science, as nominated by the faculties of these departments.

Corey Ervin Prize for Outstanding Contribution to the Department

Jack Meyer Garvey

Tyler Teichmiller

Established in 1999 through a memorial gift to the MCS and IT departments of the College from Ann and David Hovda, mother and stepfather of Corey Ervin, a Mathematics major whose degree was awarded posthumously in 1999 after he was killed in an automobile accident in November 1998. The award, first presented in 2000, goes to a Department major judged by the faculty to have provided outstanding leadership and service in the Department during their college career.

Lester Lundberg Prize in Mathematics

Grace Kearney

Established in 1999 by Jocie Lundberg, widow of Lester Lundberg '28, to honor a student in Mathematics preparing for a teaching career in mathematics. It was first awarded in 2015.

MODERN LANGUAGES, LITERATURES, AND CULTURES

Dobro Slovo National Slavic Honor Society in Russian (inducted Spring 2024)

Cristina Sirbu

Dobro Slovo was originally founded as a local Slavic honorary society on the campus of the University of California, Berkeley, in 1926. In 1963, with the help and encouragement of the American Association of Teachers of Slavic and East European Languages, Dobro Slovo became the National Slavic Honor Society. The Gustavus chapter was chartered in 2005.

Pi Delta Phi National Honor Society in French (inducted 2024)

Sylvie Chaput

Pi Delta Phi was founded as a departmental honor society at the University of California, Berkeley, in 1906. After nearly 20 years as a local chapter, the society declared itself the National French Honor Society and chartered the Beta Chapter at the University of Southern California in 1925. The Gustavus chapter, Iota Upsilon, was established in 1986.

Sigma Delta Pi National Honor Society in Spanish

(inducted 2024)

Cassidy Ahlgrim Luke Casey
Paige Danforth Charlie Juaire
Lauren Lambert Annika Larson
Greta Nyberg Nicholas Reisig

Established in 1919 as La Sociedad Nacional Honoraria Hispánica at the University of California, Berkeley; the Gustavus chapter, Nu Upsilon, was chartered in 1979.

MUSIC

Pi Kappa Lambda National Honor Society in Music, Zeta Chi Chapter (inducted spring 2024)

Mikayla Bohner Emily Giannotta

Sophie Norman

Founded at the University of Illinois in 1918; the Gustavus chapter, Zeta Chi, was established in 1989.

Senior Honors Recital Winners

Elizabeth Bergquist Mikayla Bohner Zoe Carik Emily Giannotta Alexander MacLean Kaylynn Weltzien

It is with great pleasure that the Music Department presents its Annual Senior Honors Recital. These students are chosen by the Music faculty in a special audition. An appearance on the Senior Honors Recital is a tribute to the recitalist's dedication to the art of music and achievement as a performer. It is indeed an honor to have these fine young musicians represent the Department of Music and the College on this special occasion.

NURSING

Faye M. Hershey Prize in Nursing

Emily Ahrens Lakesha Carter

Established in 1992 by Mathematics professor Barbara Knight Kaiser to honor the memory of her grandmother, Faye M. Hershey, a dedicated volunteer worker in nursing throughout her lifetime. This is an annual award made just prior to the senior year of a Gustavus Adolphus College student who shows promise as a prospective nurse and whose activities include volunteer work.

Senior Nursing Award for Academic Excellence

Trang Nguyen

Awarded to the senior Nursing student who has achieved the highest academic record; the award was established in 1985 and first presented in 1986.

Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing (inducted 2023)

Madeline McCleary Nicole Nelson

Founded in 1922 at the Indiana University Training School for Nurses in Indianapolis; a local chapter, Chi-atlarge, was established in 1990.

PHYSICS

Julian A. Crawford Memorial Physics Award

Iris Youngdahl

Named in memory of the former chair of the Physics Department (1967–1969) and awarded to the student with "the greatest potential for contributing to physics and society."

Harold Q. Fuller and Richard M. Fuller Physics Achievement Award

Allison Szalay

Established in 1997 by Emeritus Professor Richard Fuller (taught 1968–1999) and his wife, Judith, to honor his late father, a Physics professor and dean at the University of Missouri, for his lifetime commitment to the teaching of young people, and also to mark his own 30+ year career at Gustavus. The awards are designated to encourage first-year Physics students.

Milward T. Rodine Memorial Physics Award

Emma Erickson

Named for the longtime professor of Physics (taught 1933–1969) and awarded to a junior major on the basis of interests and scholarly achievements.

Sigma Pi Sigma National Physics Honor Society (inducted 2024)

Levi Cox Emma Erickson

Andrew Jensen Mitchell Leschensky
Jose Martin Iris Youngdahl

Founded in 1921 at Davidson College in North Carolina and chartered as a national honor society in 1925; the Gustavus chapter was established in 2004.

John Chindvall Scholarship

Levi Cox

This endowed scholarship was established in memory of 1970 Gustavus graduate John Chindvall by his parents and friends. It is awarded annually to encourage Physics students who demonstrate character and scholastic promise.

Gerald and Julia Swanson Scholarship

Jose Martin

Awarded annually to a Physics student of high promise. This scholarship was established to honor the work of the Physics Department faculty who provided Gerald Swanson with a background that prepared him for graduate study in physics and for a career with the Bendix Corporation.

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Pi Sigma Alpha National Honor Society in Political Science (inducted 2023)

Elisabeth Artley Brady Biehn Marcus Hansen Kyoka Miyake Greta Nyberg Kendra Smaby

Tessa Yeager

Founded in 1920 at the University of Texas, the national political science honor society now has more than 425 chapters nationwide; the Gustavus chapter, Pi Gamma, was established in 1986.

Political Science Writing Award

Andrew Mendez Alaynna Suchy

Honoring the students whose papers written for Political Science classes are judged by Department faculty to be exemplary in their written expression, imaginative ideas, and depth of research. This award continues a Department tradition initiated in 1987.

Ronald S. and Rolf S. Christenson Scholarship

Bryn Swiston

Mikayla Witte

Awarded to a junior Political Science major judged exemplary in the excellence, depth, and imagination of their academic performance in Political Science and who has a demonstrated interest in public service.

PSYCHOLOGICAL SCIENCE

Psi Chi National Honor Society in Psychological Science (inducted Spring 2024)

Harriet Anderson Marisa Bacon Ursula Bader Elaina Ballard Ellen Becken Heidi Carstensen Kieran Connolly Brooke Foley Emelia Gifford Lucie Henrich Benjamin Holden Emma Kniefel Cosette Melton Hanily Jocelyn Morningstar Caitlin Olafsson Elinor Parry Tobias Polley Joseph Ricker Emily Sagstetter Megan Schmiechen Blair Smith Brita Smith Adeline Tiggelaar Sophia Trenary Bella Van Den Heuvel Ava White Maria Widen Daniel Williams

Founded in 1929 at the Ninth International Congress of Psychology held at Yale University; a Gustavus chapter was established in 1988.

RELIGION

George Hall Prize for Scholarship in Religion Lachen Reid

Named for the longtime Religion professor (taught 1938–1956) and awarded annually in May, beginning in 1980, to a senior majoring or minoring in Religion who exhibits excellence in research, writing, and class participation. (The student listed above is the previous year's recipient, as the award for the current year is announced after Honors Day.)

Theta Alpha Kappa Religion Honor Society

Kathryn Cash Wren Heiman Noah Meffert Victoria Zachman

Founded in 1976 at Manhattan College, Riverdale, N.Y.; a Gustavus chapter was established in 2002.

Apologetics Award

Madeline Himmer

The Apologetics Award is to encourage student interest and participation in Apologetics, the discipline of defending the historic Christian faith, with the hope that the writers of the papers seek to defend the truth of the historic Christian faith and recognize the vital link between Scripture and this faith.

SOCIOLOGY AND ANTHROPOLOGY

Alpha Kappa Delta International Honor Society in Sociology (inducted Spring 2024)

Carter Bach
Isaac Coen-Pesch
Harper Daire
Amanda Hukee
Ryan Lester

Eva McClelland Jocelyn Morningstar

Kayla Reid Payton Ross

Jacqueline Rynda Gabrielle Tompkins
Olivia Treichel Brooklyn Williamson

Angelina Yang Victoria Zachman

National society founded in 1920 at the University of Southern California; the Gustavus chapter, Kappa of Minnesota, was reactivated in 2002.

Lambda Alpha National Collegiate Honors Society for Anthropology (inducted Spring 2024)

Isaac Coen-Pesch Harper Daire
Elise Gahart Jocelyn Morningstar
Jenna Norgaard Ryan Schimek

Gabrielle Tompkins

Founded in 1968 at Wichita State University; the Gustavus chapter, Alpha of Minnesota, was chartered in 2004.

Floyd M. Martinson Award

Isaac Coen-Pesch Harper Daire Kayla Reid Gabrielle Tompkins

Angelina Yang

Endowment established by the late research professor Floyd Martinson (taught 1945–1982) and his wife, Beatrice, in 1986 to fund an annual award beginning in the 1986–87 school year. The award is designed to recognize an outstanding student as selected by the Department faculty.

Justice, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (JEDI)

Carter Bach – Winner Harper Daire – Honorable Mention Kayla Reid – Honorable Mention

The award goes to a major who encapsulates these values.

THEATRE AND DANCE

Arthur Lundgren Theatre Award

Myra Nelson

Presented annually to a student who has made the greatest contribution to excellence in the Department of Theatre and Dance. Recipients' names are recorded on a plaque displayed in the Anderson Theatre lobby.

Distinguished Dance Student Award

Mary Juelich

Awarded annually to a student participating in the Dance program who has made the greatest contribution to dance as a leader and artist while demonstrating excellence and distinction in their work. Each recipient's name will appear on the Distinguished Dance Student plaque displayed in the Anderson Theatre lobby.

Elco Corporation Award

Emma Forsyth

Presented annually to a student who has made the greatest contribution to excellence in the Department of Theatre and Dance. Recipients' names are recorded on a plaque displayed in the Anderson Theatre lobby.

Outstanding Student in Design, Technology, or Production

Wren Heiman

Awarded annually to the junior or senior who has demonstrated exceptional leadership, sustained commitment, and artistic excellence as a performance designer, technician, or stage manager. Recipients are chosen by the faculty of the Department of Theatre and Dance.

ADDITIONAL ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AWARDS

Holly M. Bunn and Gregory D. Swenson Scholarship

Nabin Shahi

Endowed scholarship established in 1989 as a permanent expression of the affection of family and friends for Gustavus students Holly and Greg, whose lives were taken during their respective freshman and sophomore years when their automobile was struck by a drunk driver. The recipient is selected by the Bunn and Swenson families upon the recommendation of the dean of students on the basis of scholarship, significant activities, and service to the College.

Edward and Patty Lindell Scholarship

Andrea Cruz Bracamontes

Endowment established in 1980 by members of the Class of 1980 in honor of the 11th president of the College (served 1975–1980) and his wife. The scholarship is designated for a senior student to be selected by the Office of the Dean of Students in the spring prior to their senior year on the basis of "academic achievement, service and leadership to the Gustavus Adolphus community, and participation in its livelihood."

Alfhild and Carl Maedl Presidential Scholarships

Humanities/Fine Arts: Julia Peterson Sciences/Mathematics: Erin Coleman

Endowed scholarships originally established in 1999 with gifts from the Maedls and awarded annually (1999–2005) to two outstanding students—one in the sciences or mathematics and one in the humanities or fine arts. A revised agreement taking effect in 2008–09 established awards for the top Presidential Scholarship recipients from each area, as determined by GPA, for use in the students' senior year.

Swanson Holcomb Undergraduate Research Fellows

Akwasi Amoah Kade Copple Amber Simon Zachary Stordahl

Rachel Trebesch

Swanson Holcomb research grants are awarded annually to students submitting proposals for independent study in the natural or behavioral sciences. Funds come in part from a bequest by Dr. O.W. Holcomb, former chief of staff at Bethesda Lutheran Medical Center in St. Paul. Additional funds are provided by the Sigma Xi-Albert G. Swanson Fund, which was established as the seed for an undergraduate research fund in 1971 by Martha M. Swanson to honor her husband, the longtime Mathematics professor and academic dean at the College (taught 1947–1969). In 1998, members of the Swanson family made additional contributions to recognize their mother and to encourage quality student research in the natural and behavioral sciences.

Elizabeth A Coco Award

Cristina Sirbu

Recognizes a student who has shown an aptitude for intersectional commitment, exhibiting devotion and engagement in multiple avenues on campus. These "avenues are cultural and ethnic understanding, gender and sexuality advocacy, interfaith understanding, and political and social dialogue."

The Eddie Phillips Scholarship (MPCC Black Men's Success Initiative)

Hamza MalimHerve MatabaroTaona MhwandagaraFatih Shigidy

Created and coordinated by the Minnesota Private College Fund, the Eddie Phillips Scholarship for African-American Men is funded by The Jay & Rose Phillips Family Foundation of Minnesota. Awardees participate in leadership development opportunities and mentoring to gain experiences and support for completing their degree and preparing to launch post-baccalaureate careers.

HONORS WEEKEND EVENTS

Events are open to all students and families unless otherwise noted.

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SATURDAY, I		
11:45 a.m.– 12:30 p.m.	Convocation Reception (For students, families, faculty, and staff)	Eckman Mall (Rain site, Jackson Campus Center 2nd Floor)
11:45 a.m.	Greek, Latin, and Classical Studies Department and Philosophy Department Reception	First Floor, Old Main
11:45 a.m.	Alpha Alpha Induction Reception (for inductees and their families)	Cec Eckhoff Alumni Hall OJ Johnson Student Union
12:15 p.m.	Magnuson Awards Luncheon (invitation required)	Heritage Banquet Room, Jackson Campus Center
1–3 p.m.	Spring Swing Come listen to the Echoes Big Band, who have Gustavus ale Members of the Swing Club will be present to teach you so if you'd like, or you can sit and listen to the live performance	me dance moves
1:30–3 p.m.	Honors Day Music Recital	Jussi Björling Recital Hall, Schaefer Fine Arts Center
1:30–2:30 p.m.	Political Science Senior Research Symposium and Student Recognition Political Science majors publicly share their research and cre	Second Floor, Old Main ative work.
2 p.m.	Psi Chi National Honors Society in Psychological Scien	ce Induction Torrey Atrium, Beck Hall
2–4 p.m.	Scandinavian Studies Colloquium Scadinavian Studies majors publicly present theses and proje	Room 127, Confer Hall ects.
3:30 p.m.	Guild of St. Lucia Reception (for Guild members and their families)	Saint Peter Banquet Room, Jackson Campus Center
4 p.m.	Sigma Tau Delta Induction for English Honor Society (for honorees and their families)	Heritage Banquet Room, Johnson Student Union
4–6 p.m.	Senior Art Majors Exhibition Opening Reception	Hillstrom Museum of Art, Jackson Campus Center
7:30 p.m.	Choral Showcase	Christ Chapel

SUNDAY, MAY 5

1:30–3 p.m.	Spring Jazz Showcase	Jussi Björling Recital Hall,
	Featuring the Gustavus Jazz Ensemble	Schaefer Fine Arts Center
4:30–6 p.m.	Spring Jazz Showcase	Jussi Björling Recital Hall,
	Featuring Jazz Combos, Vocal Jazz Ensemble, and Vocal Jazz Soloists	Schaefer Fine Arts Center

Schaefer Art Gallery

Juniors Studio Arts Majors Exhibition Open Saturday 9 a.m.–6 p.m., Open Sunday 1–5 p.m. Hillstrom Museum of Art Senior Art Majors Exhibition Open Saturday from 1 – 6 p.m.

Books in Bloom

Folke Bernadotte Memorial Library Open Saturday from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m., Open Sunday 11 a.m. – 3 p.m.

