

ANNUAL WILLIAM PATERSON SERVICE AWARDS 2024 HELD ON NOVEMBER 4, 2024



In celebration of the dedication, hard work, and years of service, we honor the invaluable contributions of our employees towards William Paterson University's success. Congratulations to this year's honorees for achieving this distinguished recognition!

Service Awards are given in recognition of length of service, skills and dedication that our employees bring to William Paterson University. Awards are presented upon completion of each five years of employment.

This year, employees achieving a milestone of 10 years or more of service (in increments of 5), were honored at a breakfast presided over by our President.

We hope you enjoy the photos of the event and the complete list of honorees below!

A FEW GLIMPSES FROM THE EVENT







A LETTER TO THE HONOREES



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... from the desk of Allison Boucher-Jarvis

I hope this message finds you well. Attached, you will find your photograph with President Helldobler and your cabinet member or designee, taken during the recent Service Awards ceremony.

On behalf of the University, I would like to sincerely thank you for all that you do for William Paterson University and the students we serve. It is truly a privilege to work alongside individuals like you, as we strive every day to improve the social mobility of those who attend our institution. The work we do here has a profound impact on the lives of our students, their families, and the communities in which they live.

*As I reflect on our mission, and on my own experience as a first-generation college student who grew up 20 minutes away from William Paterson, I am so proud to be a part of an organization that works tirelessly to level the playing field, especially here in New Jersey, one of the most diverse states in the country. The work **you** do is essential to ensuring that all students can succeed and to make a lasting impact on their communities.*

Once again, thank you for your commitment to our mission and for your dedication to our students. We are fortunate to have you as part of the William Paterson University family.

2024 Service Award Recipients

5 years of service:

Academic Affairs

Anna Baiata, Sponsored Programs

May Chabayta, Music

Tia Cherry, College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences

Neil Grimes, Access and Information Services

Anita Kumar, Teacher Ed: PreK-12

Kiho Lim, Computer Science

Gigi Mohamad, Ed Leadership and Prof Studies

Joshua Powers, Provost

Linda Salvesen, David and Lorraine Cheng Library

Jason Silva, Sociology and Criminal Justice

Demetri Tsanacas, Econ, Fin & Global Business

David Williams, David and Lorraine Cheng Library

Jungyun Won, Communication

Wendy Wright, Politics, Legal & Urban Sciences

Enrollment Management

Joshua Buland, Enrollment Management

Finance & Administration

Rosaria Guagliardi, Custodial

Human Resources

Regina Tindall, Human Resources

Information Technology

Andres Charria Garcia, Print Shop

Institutional Advancement

Roy Garcia, Institutional Advancement

President Office

Gregory Cannon, President's Office

Sherry Washington, President's Office

Student Development

Deborah Feingold, Career Development Center

Kaitlyn Howarth, University Commons Operations

Donald Keane, Public Safety and University Police

10 years of service:

Academic Affairs

Brian Grzymkowski, College of Business
Cara Berg, Access and Information Services
Cindy McCann, Transfer Programs and Special Sessions
Dawn Decker, WP Online Student Support
James Alford, Ed Leadership and Prof Studies
Lawrence Verzani, Econ, Fin & Global Business
Liz Victor, History, Liberal Studies & Philosophy
Naa-Solo Tettey, Public Health
Rahi Abouk, Econ, Fin & Global Business
Richard Huizar, Politics, Legal & Urban Sciences
Sharon Puchalski, Nursing
Siamack Shojai, Econ, Fin & Global Business

Enrollment Management

Melissa Petrosi, University Admissions

Equity and Inclusion

Denise Ginyard-Potts, Center for Diversity & Inclusion

Finance & Administration

Albert Fitzpatrick, Custodial Management
Clint Voltman, Hospitality Services
Jacqueline Bunch, Purchasing
Marvin Brown, Custodial Management
Stephen Sondey, Facilities

Marketing & Public Relations

Cornelia Costa, Public Relations

Student Development

Alma Diaz-Muhammad, Career Development Center
Angel Perez, Public Safety and University Police
Elizabeth De Santis, Public Safety and University Police
Louis Hildevert, Public Safety and University Police
Miki Cammarata, Student Development
Rosemary Walker, Educational Opportunity Fund
Theresa Bivaletz, Dean of Students

15 years of service:

Academic Affairs

Avinash Arya, Accounting & Law

David Ferrier, College of Education

Jim Tsiamtsiouris, Speech Language Pathology

Johanna Prado, College of Adult and Professional Studies

John Malindretos, Econ, Fin & Global Business

Nancy Elshahawi, College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences

Enrollment Management

Maral Achian, Admissions Data Management

Marija Goldner, Registrar

Olga Ricaldi, Financial Aid

Stella James, Financial Aid

Finance & Administration

Safet Mustafoski, Residence Life Maintenance

Human Resources

Allison Boucher-Jarvis, Human Resources

Information Technology

Damon Weber, Instruction & Research Technology

President's Office

Loretta McLaughlin Vignier, President's Office

Student Development

Laura Graf, Athletics

Steven Bonagura, Public Safety and University Police

Vickie Jengo, Campus Activities

20 years of service:

Academic Affairs

Aaron Tesfaye, Politics, Legal & Urban Sciences
Amanda Vasquez, College of Adult and Professional Studies
Arnold Lewis, Politics, Legal & Urban Sciences
Carey Waldburger, Biologys
Claudia Chavez, Provost
Gladys Vega, Language Literature Culture and Writing
Jane Austin, Psychology
Jason Ambroise, History, Liberal Studies & Philosophy
Justina Ekeocha, Psychology
Lucia McMahon, History, Liberal Studies & Philosophy
Michael Gatlin, College of Business
Michael Peek, Biology
Michael Wyrwa, Biology
Payton MacDonald, Music
Robb Rehberg, Kinesiology
Timothy Newman, Music

Finance & Administration

Espedy Montesino, Facilities Repair and Operations
Josue Chary, Electric
Miguel DeJesus, Electric

Human Resources

Myrna Torres, Human Resources Operations

Information Technology

Cristopher Alaya, User Services
Housen Maratouk, Instructional Design
Laurie Nyulassy, User Services

Institutional Advancement

Meredith Makkai, Institutional Advancement

Student Development

Michael Arp, Public Safety and University Police

25 years of service:

Academic Affairs

Alene Ortiz, College of Adult and Professional Studies

Bruce Diamond, Psychology

Christopher Weaver, Language Literature Culture and Writing

Elizabeth Ekmekjian, Accounting & Law

Jean Strone, Art

Madhuri Mukherjee, Language Literature Culture and Writing

Thomas Owusu, Politics, Legal & Urban Sciences

Wooi Lim, Mathematics Sciences

Enrollment Management

Cynthia Brown, Student Enrollment Services

Kimberly Demore, Admissions Data Management

Maria Santiago, Admissions Data Management

Finance & Administration

Abie Jallah, Custodial Management

Amadu Sesay, Custodial Management

Andrew Burgoyne, Fire and Safety

Joe Price, Custodial Management

Rugiatu Sesay, Custodial Management

Sulaiman Sesay, Custodial Management

Trulya Readus, Student Accounts

Marketing & Public Relations

Stuart Goldstein, Marketing and Public Relations

30 years of service:

Academic Affairs

Judy Matthew, David and Lorraine Cheng Library

Peter Chen, Mathematics Sciences

SP Ferris, Communication

Zhiyuan Cong, Art

Finance & Administration

Michele Morabito, Facilities

Paul Pasichnyk, Custodial Management

35 years of service:

Enrollment Management

Kathy Kroh, Office of the Registrar

Finance & Administration

Rich Kopack, Facilities Operations

President's Office

Al Schaefer, President's Office

40 years of service:

Academic Affairs

Miryam Wahrman, Biology

Neil Kressel, Psychology

Susan Sgro, Biology

Congratulations once again to all the honorees. We deeply appreciate your dedication, service, and the positive impact you have made on the William Paterson University community. Your contributions are the foundation of our success, and we are grateful for your unwavering support. We hope this recognition inspires you to continue striving for excellence and shaping the future of our university.