

Leadership Award Opportunities

for 28th Annual Leadership Awards Gala on May 18th 2011

www.ohio.edu/leadership

Awards open February 16th

Awards close March 18th

* All nominations or applications must be electronically submitted by **11:59 PM, March 18, 2011**. (except those few awards that indicate otherwise, i.e. Blackburn Spencer or Charles J. Ping Awards)

In selecting recipients, the screening committees will consider (in order of importance):

- Quality and quantity of leadership contributions to the University community
- Quality of academic performance
- Evidence of success in balancing academic achievement with out of classroom involvement

The awards screening committee will consist of members of the University community appointed by the Assistant Director of the Campus Involvement Center for Leadership & Community Service. The screening committee will review applications and recommend award recipients to the Vice President for Student Affairs.

Individuals may be nominated by others or may apply for the award themselves.

For questions, e-mail: leadership@ohio.edu

Outstanding Senior Leader Awards

Nomination/Application Form and Guidelines
2010-2011

The thirty-third annual Outstanding Senior Leader Awards will be presented to Ohio University seniors for outstanding leadership during their collegiate careers. One award is designated as the John Newton Templeton Outstanding Senior Leader Award, in honor of the first African-American student to graduate from Ohio University in 1828. This award will be presented to a senior student who has made significant contributions to the life of African-American students on campus.

The Outstanding Senior Leader Awards are cumulative awards and are meant to recognize a collegiate record of leadership and service to the University and/or Athens communities. All full-time undergraduate students with 135 or more completed credit hours and a 2.5 or higher cumulative GPA are eligible. A student may be the recipient of the Outstanding Senior Leader Award once during his/her tenure at Ohio University.

PEPSI Ohio University Campus Leadership Scholarships

All nominations/applications will be considered utilizing the following criteria. In order to be considered, students must demonstrate:

- Successful completion of at least two consecutive quarters of coursework on the Athens campus; those selected must be enrolled as full-time students on the Athens campus during the academic year following selection
- Evidence of meaningful leadership in the university community for at least two consecutive quarters
- Good standing with the University judicial system at the time of application; those selected must remain in good standing during their tenure as a Pepsi Leadership Scholar
- A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 at the time of application; those selected must maintain a cumulative 2.5 GPA during their tenure as a Scholar

The Rudy Award

for Outstanding Undergraduate Student Leadership

Nomination/Application Form and Guidelines

2010 - 2011

This award, instituted in 1986, is the result of the contribution of Joel S. and Marlene Rudy. The proceeds of their contribution are used to reward and recognize the exceptional leadership contributions, ability, and potential of a currently enrolled undergraduate student who plans to be in attendance at Ohio University during the 2011 - 2012 academic year. All undergraduate students on the Athens campus who have a 2.5 or higher cumulative GPA and who will have completed three years of academic work (by the end of spring quarter 2011) at Ohio University are eligible.

One monetary award is made annually and is to be used to further the recipient's leadership development.

Masters & Doctoral

The sixteenth annual Outstanding Graduate Student Leader Award will be awarded to a Masters graduate student for outstanding leadership in extracurricular activities and/or community service. All Masters graduate students with a 3.0 or higher cumulative GPA are eligible. The nominee/applicant need not be graduating this year. A student may be the recipient of this award once during his/her tenure at Ohio University.

King/Chavez/Parks Leadership Award will be presented to an undergraduate minority student for his/her outstanding leadership. Created in honor of Dr. Martin Luther King,

Jr., Caesar Chavez, and Rosa Parks, the award celebrates the leadership of minority students at Ohio University on the Athens campus. All full-time undergraduate students with 25 or more completed credit hours and a minimum 2.5 or above cumulative GPA are eligible.

Edwin L. Kennedy Leadership Award for Outstanding Community Service:

Presented to an undergraduate student and a student organization (separately) who has performed or organized exemplary works of service and transformational leadership to the Athens community.

Blackburn/Spencer Leadership Award.

Named after and were established to honor the first African-American female graduate of Ohio University – Martha Jane Hunley Blackburn, and the first African-American chairman of Ohio University’s Board of Trustees – Donald A. Spencer. First-year students, sophomores, juniors and continuing seniors who have achieved a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA are eligible for the Blackburn/Spencer Scholarship. At least three scholarships will be awarded for a minimum of \$1,500 each. Payments of the scholarship will be divided equally over the three quarters and will be applied directly to the student’s account to cover tuition and fees for the 2011-2012 academic year.

Blackburn/Spencer Achievement Awards: This award is designed to recognize outstanding and significant performance of students both inside and outside the classroom. All achievement award recipients will be presented with a minimum financial award of \$250. Students currently enrolled on the Athens campus and who have completed 36 quarter hours are eligible for this award.

The award selection committee is comprised of the president, vice president, and advisor of the Black Student Cultural Programming Board, two administrators and two faculty members. The selection committee is responsible for reviewing the applications and selecting the award recipients.

Outstanding Student Organization Advisor Awards will be presented to advisors of Ohio University registered student organizations for their contributions and commitment to the organizations they advise.

Charles J. Ping International Student Leadership Award

This award is presented by the Office of International Student & Faculty Services, is designed to recognize outstanding leadership by an international student enrolled in Ohio University. This award is named for President Emeritus Charles J. Ping, president of Ohio University from 1975-1994, to honor his support for international education and exchange. President Emeritus Ping’s leadership resulted in the expansion of international education at Ohio University including the creation of the Ohio Valley International Council (OVIC), which promotes the involvement of international students

in local schools through class presentations and other activities.

General Criteria

- Successful completion of at least two quarters of coursework on the Athens campus
- Evidence of meaningful leadership in the university and/or Athens community
- Good standing with the university judicial system at the time of application
- Good academic standing with the university at the time of application
- Valid F-1 or J-1 nonimmigrant student status

The nomination/application form for this award is available at: <http://www.ohio.edu/isfs>. Nominations/Applications must be submitted to the **Office of International Student & Faculty Services, 348 Baker Center by 5:00 PM, Wednesday, April 6, 2011.**

The Stonewall Leadership Award

This award, instituted in 2000, is designed to recognize outstanding student leadership that improves the lives of the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender student community. The award was named to recognize the 1969 gay rights riot at the Stonewall Inn in New York City.

One monetary award is made annually and is to be used to further the recipient's leadership development

Women's Issues Leadership Award

Presented by the Women's Center, recognizes a student who has shown outstanding leadership and/or community involvement on women's issues or has raised consciousness about those issues. This award seeks to recognize students who create a climate in which women and girls can be full and equal participants in institutions of higher learning, in society at large, and promote issues that are related to gender equity and feminism.

All full-time students of junior and senior standing are eligible for the award. Students can be nominated or apply themselves. In either case, questions 1 and 2 must be answered by both applicants and nominees.