

## 2017 IMPACT AWARD

University College has named Dr. Jon Friesen, Dr. Steve Peters and Ms. Elisha Swanson recipients of the 2017 Impact Award. This award recognizes the positive influence individual members of the Illinois State University community have on new students and student retention. Congratulations, Jon, Steve and Elisha!

## DATES AND DEADLINES

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| May 16         | -Fall 2017 Registration & Program Change reopens at 8 a.m. Ends on September 1 <sup>st</sup> .<br>-Spring final grades are due on My.IllinoisState.edu by noon.   |
| May 18         | -Spring grades available to students on My.IllinoisState.edu after 2 p.m.<br>-Begin Final Audit of May 2017 Bachelor Degree candidates. (If same deficiencies remain from preliminary audit, neither the student nor the department will be contacted. If deficiencies have changed, new deficiency statements will be sent to the student and the dept/school).                  |
| May 19         | -Deadline for August 2017 Graduate Degree candidates seeking continuous registration (i.e., thesis/dissertation) to notify the graduate programs evaluator to initiate registration.<br>-Deadline to file Thesis/Dissertation Proposal Approval Form for August 2016 graduation.  |
| May 22         | -Summer Session begins.   |
| May 25         | -Course purge for all students not reinstated and academically dismissed for summer.<br>-Course purge for all students whose appeal of the 75-hour policy was denied for summer.  |
| <b>May 29</b>  | <b>Memorial Day – University Closed</b>   |
| May 30         | -Deadline to file Right to Defend Dissertation materials with the Graduate School for August 2017 graduates.  |
| May 31         | -Course purge for all students not reinstated and academically dismissed for fall.<br>-Course purge for all students whose appeal of the 75-hour policy was denied for fall.  |
| June 2         | Interim Summer Session ends.  |
| June 5         | -Transfer Day<br>-Deadline to file Right to Defend Thesis materials with the Graduate School for August 2017 graduates.   |
| June 9         | -Last day for undergraduate students planning on receiving a degree in August 2017 to apply and pay the fee for graduation. Applications may be submitted online through My.IllinoisState.edu.<br>-Deadline for submission of materials (late grades, grade changes, transcripts, test scores, petitions for graduation exception, etc.) for May 2017 Bachelor Degree candidates. |
| <b>June 14</b> | <b>Flag Day</b>   |



## STUDENT, FACULTY and STAFF ACTIVITIES

### *Student Presentations*

1. <sup>(G)</sup>Erasmus Jugovic, **Christopher G. Hamaker**, "Synthesis of Novel Mixed O, N, S Donor Ligands," INOR-323, 253<sup>rd</sup> ACS National Meeting, San Francisco, CA, April 2-6, 2017.
2. <sup>(G)</sup>Austin S. Penn, **Christopher G. Hamaker**, "Synthesis and Characterization of Novel Sulfonamide Ligands," INOR-337, 253<sup>rd</sup> ACS National Meeting, San Francisco, CA, April 2-6, 2017.

### *Honors*

#### *Senior Banquet & Awards Ceremony on May 5, 2017*

##### *National Awards*

ACS Commendable Chapter Award – Chem Club

##### *University & Regional Awards*

MAGS Distinguished Thesis Award - <sup>(G)</sup>George Van Den Driessche

James L. Fisher Graduate Thesis Award – <sup>(G)</sup>James Brault

Graduate Student Teaching Award – <sup>(G)</sup>Stacie Cler

ACS Illinois Heartland Collegiate Scholars – <sup>(UG)</sup>William Darrow, <sup>(UG)</sup>Nora Fredstrom

##### *Department Divisional Awards*

ACS Division of Inorganic Chemistry Research Award – <sup>(UG)</sup>Nora Fredstrom

ACS Undergraduate Award in Organic Chemistry – <sup>(UG)</sup>William Darrow

ACS Undergraduate Award in Physical Chemistry – <sup>(UG)</sup>William Darrow

CRC General Chemistry Achievement Award – <sup>(UG)</sup>Justin Chhoeun

Outstanding Analytical Chemistry Student – <sup>(UG)</sup>Chase Deberry

Outstanding Biochemistry Student – <sup>(G)</sup>Jade Katinas

Outstanding Chemical Education Student – <sup>(UG)</sup>Anna Stamer

Outstanding Inorganic Chemistry Student – <sup>(UG)</sup>Tyler Smolczyk

Outstanding Physical Chemistry Student – <sup>(UG)</sup>Sara Bell

POLYED Award in Organic Chemistry – <sup>(UG)</sup>Jacob Grabowski

##### *Department Undergraduate Awards*

Sol Shulman Scholarship – <sup>(UG)</sup>Sara Bell, <sup>(UG)</sup>Jasmine Chanthaboury, <sup>(UG)</sup>William Darrow, <sup>(UG)</sup>Johanna Ehlbeck, <sup>(UG)</sup>Emma Hartness, <sup>(UG)</sup>Ryan Quinlivan, <sup>(UG)</sup>Alyssa Rainey

##### *Department Graduate Awards*

Outstanding Graduate Teaching Assistant – <sup>(G)</sup>Jade Katinas

James B. "Ben" Sedgwick Scholarship – <sup>(G)</sup>Taylor Arledge

##### *Chemistry Club Officers*

President: <sup>(UG)</sup>Alessandra Bruno

Vice President: <sup>(UG)</sup>Tyler Smolczyk

Secretary: <sup>(UG)</sup>Jacob Walker

Treasurer: <sup>(UG)</sup>Alissa Latham

Co-Fundraising: <sup>(G)</sup>Raz Jugovic, <sup>(UG)</sup>William Darrow

Public Relations: <sup>(G)</sup>Jade Katinas

