

2016-2017 Competition for the President's Student Employee of the Year Award



For the seventh annual UT Austin Student Employee of the Year Competition, 64 eligible students were nominated by their supervisors. Each of these students is an outstanding employee and a shining example of the valuable contributions students make as employees of the university. Congratulations to all the nominees!

Winner

Raul Pineda Office of Strategy and Policy

Finalists

Kendall Anderson Intercollegiate Athletics
Brian Castelli Division of Recreational Sports
Cindy Chen Working Professional/Executive MBA Program, McCombs School of Business
Alexa Gonzaga University Unions
Silin "Leo" Huang Center for Petroleum & Geosystems Engineering, Cockrell School of Engineering
Gustavo Molinar Counseling & Mental Health Center; Division of Housing & Food Services
Max Scoggins Division of Recreational Sports; College of Natural Sciences
Ally Smith Texas Performing Arts
Justin Thamsorn Texas Interdisciplinary Plan, College of Natural Sciences
Amie Tran Health Professions Office, College of Natural Sciences

Nominees

Jose Acosta Division of Recreational Sports; Intercollegiate Athletics
Denis Agbor Butler School of Music
Ayomide Akinsooto Center for Learning & Memory
Natalie Atkinson McCombs School of Business
Patricia Awino College of Pharmacy; University Unions
Nicholas Baquera Charles A Dana Center for Science & Mathematics Education
Logan Bartlett University of Texas Libraries
Joally Canales Facilities Services
Rosaline Chen Office of the Vice President for Research
George Chidiac University Communications
Vaidehi Desai Thompson Conference Center
Daniel Earney Moody College of Communication
Samantha Finkenstaedt Division of Recreational Sports

Fatima Frausto	School of Law
Eva Frederick	Department of Integrative Biology, College of Natural Sciences
Jordan Galloso	Dept. of Civil, Architectural & Environmental Engineering, Cockrell School of Engineering
Victoria Garabedian	Division of Recreational Sports; College of Liberal Arts
Vanessa Garcia	Department of Chemical Engineering, Cockrell School of Engineering
John Giacona	Biology Instructional Office, College of Natural Sciences
Joshua Gonzalez	Department of African and African Diaspora Studies, College of Liberal Arts
Celeste Guajardo	Office of Accounting
Lily Guevara	Division of Housing & Food Service
Andrew Hedges	Intercollegiate Athletics
Jacqueline Hernandez	Center for Women's and Gender Studies, College of Liberal Arts
Jasper Howard	Office of Admissions
Silin (Leo) Huang	Center for Petroleum & Geosystems Engineering, Cockrell School of Engineering
Ha Jung (Joyce) Kim	College of Pharmacy
Courtney Land	Division of Housing & Food Service
Cameron Lang	Annette Strauss Institute for Civic Life, Moody College of Communication
Zane Lewin	Cockrell School of Engineering
Estela Lopez	Division of Diversity & Community Engagement
Cameron Lyons	Department of Surgery and Perioperative Care, Dell Medical School
Alejandra Martinez	Humanities Institute, College of Liberal Arts
Angel Martinez	Division of Recreational Sports
Manisha Mathews	MBA Admissions, McCombs School of Business
Jihan Maya	Division of Housing & Food Service
Isaac McQuiston	International Office
Matthew Murphy	Dept. of Civil, Architectural & Environmental Engineering, Cockrell School of Engineering
Giaochau Nguyen	Department of Molecular Biosciences, College of Natural Sciences
Hillel Ofek	Department of Government, College of Liberal Arts; Division of Housing & Food Service
Vivian Olabamiji	School of Human Ecology, College of Natural Sciences
Megan Ha Pho	Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs
Sanjani Prodduturu	IC2 Institute, Office of the Vice-President for Research
Cole Reihel	Department of Marketing Administration, McCombs School of Business
Passion Ruben	University Interscholastic League
Daniel Santos	Center for Petroleum & Geosystems Engineering, Cockrell School of Engineering
Yesica Segura	Division of Recreational Sports
Sadie Smiles	Lyndon B Johnson School of Public Affairs
Michael Tang	Department of Chemistry, College of Natural Sciences
Eric Wang	Department of Electrical & Computer Engineering, Cockrell School of Engineering
Irielle Wesley	University Unions
Kate Whitsitt	Division of Housing and Food Service
Brooke Willis	Meadows Center and Vaughn Gross Center, College of Education
Ann Wingard	Department of Medical Education, Dell Medical School

Selection Committee

Sarah Bubolz	Senior Human Resources Coordinator, Division of Recreational Sports
Dr. Susan Harkins	Assistant Dean, College of Natural Sciences
Luis J. Hernandez	Student Representative
Kathi Kaderka	Assistant Director, Human Resources & Public Relations, Applied Research Laboratories
Robert J. Lawrence	Director, Business & Support Services, University Unions
Lauren Lichterman	Guest Services & Sustainability Coordinator, Intercollegiate Athletics
Veronica Salazar	Complex Coordinator, Division of Housing and Food Service
Warren Whitaker	Human Resources Manager, Texas Performing Arts