ACADEMIC CONVOCATION AND AWARDS DAY
October 3, 2012

William R. Willard Dean’s Recognition Award
Carl G. Leukefeld, D.S.W., Behavioral Science

Abraham Flexner Master Educator Award
Cletus Carvalho, M.D., Psychiatry
Curtis Cary, M.D., Internal Medicine
Destiny Chau, M.D., Anesthesiology
Andrew Deane, Ph.D., Anatomy & Neurobiology
Amy DiLorenzo, M.A., Anesthesiology
Sam Franklin, Ph.D., Anatomy & Neurobiology
Oksana Klimkina, M.D., Anesthesiology
Mahesh Kudrimoti, M.D., Radiation Medicine
Erich Maul, D.O., Pediatrics
Irene Hong-McAtee, M.D., Pediatrics
L. Creed Pettigrew, M.D., M.P.H., Neurology
Annette Rebel, M.D., Anesthesiology
April Richardson-Hatcher, Ph.D., Anatomy & Neurobiology
Jenna Ross, M.D., Pediatrics
Kathryn Saatman, Ph.D., Physiology & Neurosurgery
Sibu Saha, M.D., M.B.A., Surgery
Jamie Studts, Ph.D., Behavioral Science
Melinda Wilson, Ph.D., Physiology

FACULTY AWARDS (voted by the students)
Silver Podium Award
for the outstanding first-year course
Human Function/Physiology

Silver Pointer Award
for the outstanding instructor in a first-year course
Sam Franklin, Ph.D., Anatomy
Sam Turco, Ph.D., Biochemistry

Golden Podium Award
for the outstanding second-year course
Pathology
Psychiatry

Pre-Clinical Golden Apple Award
for the outstanding instructor in a second-year course
Paul Murphy, M.D., Pathology
Clinical Clerkship Teaching Awards
for outstanding teaching in third-year clerkships
David Turley, M.D., Emergency Medicine
Archana Kudrimoti, M.D., Family Medicine
Chris Feddock, M.D., Internal Medicine
William Robertson, M.D., Neurology
Fred Zachman, M.D., Obstetrics and Gynecology
Erich Maul, D.O., Pediatrics
Anthony Siegel, M.D., Psychiatry
Paul Kearney, M.D., Surgery

Clinical Housestaff Teaching Awards
for outstanding teaching in third-year clerkships
Philip Overall, M.D., Emergency Medicine
Chris Shaw, M.D., Emergency Medicine
Bruce Durham, M.D., Family and Community Medicine
Carrie Gaby, M.D., Internal Medicine
Gauhar Chaudhary, M.D., Neurology
John Harris, M.D., Obstetrics and Gynecology
John Romond, M.D., Pediatrics
Kelli Trent, M.D., Pediatrics
Brooke Beehler, D.O., Psychiatry
Megan White, M.D., Psychiatry
Melissa Newcomb, M.D., Surgery

Intern’s Teaching Award
Jeremy Burnham, M.D., Orthopaedics

Resident’s Teaching Award
Catherine Schuller, M.D., Obstetrics/Gynecology

Clerkship of Excellence Award
for the outstanding third-year clerkship
Department of Surgery

STUDENTS AWARDS
William H. Knisely for Exceptional Achievement in Anatomy
Eric Schmidt – Class of 2015

Molecular and Cellular Biochemistry Award
Andrew Brown and Eric Schmidt – Class of 2015

Introduction to Clinical Medicine I Portfolio Award – Class of 2015
Katrina Bidwell, Caitlin Briggs, Jennifer Brooks,
Andrew Brown, Taylor Collins, Aaron Jenkins, Eric Schmidt
Carson Van Sanford, Peter Wallenhorst, Kate Wimberly
Excellence in Pathology and Laboratory Medicine
Laura Cleary – Class of 2014
Keri Borden – Class of 2014

William R. Martin Excellence in Pharmacology Award
Laura Cleary – Class of 2014

Pharmacology Student Achievement Award
Anne Sloan – Class of 2014

Coburn E. Ott Award for Excellence in Physiology
Jonathan Walter – Class of 2014

Recognition of Student Anatomy Mentor Program
David Alexander, Keri Borden, Willis Bowman, Joey Calder, Laura Cleary, Jessica Cox, Campbell Grant, Brad Griffitts, Nyrene Haque, Patrick Hensley, Tim Horrell, Edita Klymite, Chase Kluemper, Winston Li, Jerome Manson, Laura McGill, Jessica Mullins, Megan O’Conner, Mariel Osetinsky, Chinedu Otu, Leslie Robin, Linda Schutzman, Fara Shikoh, Jessica Siu, Logan Skelley, Derek Stitt, Sean Stokes, Collin Trover, Zack Unger, Aaron Williams, Alex Williams, Jessica Wilson

Recognition of 2012-2013 Academic Tutors
Laura Cleary, Christine Dao, Brittney Dudley, Brad Griffitts, Hilda Guerra, Qiong Han, Zach Harris, David Kline, Chase Kluemper, Winston Li, Ashleigh Long, Ashley Loan, Josh NeCamp, Anne Sloan, Tess Smallwood, Collin Trover, Krishna Vyas, Aaron Williams, Alex Whitehead, Rob West, Peng Zhang

Community Service Award
for outstanding contributions in community service
Aun Munis – Class of 2013
Jessica Neely – Class of 2013
Patrick Hensley – Class of 2014
Leslie Robin – Class of 2014
George Goshua – Class of 2015
Peter Wallenhorst – Class of 2015

Gold Humanism Honor Society - Class of 2013
Sam Carmichael, Ryan Cleary, Danielle Connor, Ima Ebong, Kristen Fletcher, Matt Hensley, Ines Kevric, Sakib Motalib, Aun Munis, Jessica Neely, Crystal Norgren, Ayodele Osasona, Elaine Patterson, Olivia Ringo, Thad Salmon, Sarah Schaefer, Kate Smiley, Fiyin Sokoya, Nicole Wendschlag
The Irving and Esther Kanner Memorial Award
for outstanding performance in basic sciences and physical diagnosis
Eric Schmidt – Class of 2015
Laura Cleary – Class of 2014

McGraw-Hill/Appleton and Lange Award
for outstanding performance in the third year
Ryan Cleary – Class of 2013
Will Dougherty – Class of 2013

Alpha Omega Alpha
Members of Class of 2013 elected as juniors and serve as Executive Council
Ryan Cleary, Zach Fulkerson, Matt Hensley,
James Lagrew, Aun Munis, Abdel Salous

Members of Class of 2013 elected as seniors
Nikki Brown, Nathan Hudson, Eric Jones, Julie Kretzer,
Caitlin Latimer, Jessica Neely, Crystal Norgren, Josh Reynolds,
Salam Salman, Sarah Schaefer, Chris Simmons, Clayton Spiceland,
Nicole Wendschlag, Chase Wilson, Edward Wood