

**Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering  
Student Awards Ceremony**

**Awards Program  
Thursday, November 17, 2016**

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## **Scholarships and Awards Committee**

*Dr. Muhammad Jaseemuddin, Chair, Awards Committee*

*Dr. Olivia Das, Faculty Member*

*Dr. Vadim Geurkov, Faculty Member*

*Dr. Karthi Umapathy, Faculty Member*

*Francine Belnavis, Program Assistant*

Awards and Scholarships are decided on the basis of grade point scores, or where applicable, a combination of grade point scores and unique criteria pertaining to the particular award.

Except for graduating students, only those students with a current full-time registration in the program offered by the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering are eligible for the awards.

## **PROGRAM**

### **Welcome Address**

Dr. Dimitri Androutsos  
Chair, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering

### **Greetings**

Dr. Sri Krishnan  
Associate Dean, Research & Development  
Faculty of Engineering and Architectural Science

### **Presentation of Awards**

### **Closing Remarks**

Dr. Muhammad Jaseemuddin  
Awards Committee Chair  
Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering

**DEAN'S LIST - Academic Year 2015-2016**  
**Biomedical Engineering**

Abdelrahman Abdou	Jumana Masoudi
Mohammadali Ahmadipour	Kamal Minhas
Hashir Ahmed	Nuaira Mohammed
Gavinco Alagesan	Farah Nassif
Abdalrahman Alfakir	Maryam Nejatian
Areej Alhajji	Binh Nguyen
Fatimah Alhowaidi	Michael Nigro
Fisal Alhumaid	Ibukunoluwa Oluwayomi
Misha Ali	Steffan Orlando
Amnyah Al-Mahouzi	Syanth Paramanathan
Zainab Almustafa	Vasiharan Parthasarathy
Sara Alsaad	Shikha Patel
Reshma Anna Roy	Dhruv Patel
Giordano Arezza	Sunjeev Phull
Nico Arezza	Patrick Pietrzyk
Sepehr Ataei	Jennifer Polus
Katherine Chan	Sneha Prabhu
Sarah Chidiac	Roya Rezaee
HaeJung Cho	Seyed-Youns Sadat-Nejad
Sabrina Ciardullo	Faraz Sadrzadeh-Afsharazar
Rebeca Currie	Stephen Sammut
Sean Delong	Carlos Santana
Keane Dennis	Devon Santillo
Alison Doucette	Thakshi Selvakumarasingam
Safa Faidi	Iqra Shaukat
Adam Gibicar	Mark Shiwram
Colin Hicks	Magdalean Singarajah
Brandon Hoang	Rathai Sivaharan
Matthew Hotradat	Lianne So
Kelvin Jok	Prasanna Subramaniam
Kima Joulji	Risavarshni Thevakmaran
Bhavin Kapadia	Zoe Thomson
Folake Kayode	Susanne Tiraei
Sharadha Kolappan	Aashish Toor
Norbert Kovacs	Rickson Valtellini
Devahasan Krishnakumar	Tong Xu
Tien Le	Tiffany Yan
Jiyoun Lee	Nathaniel Yim
Daniel Lipworth	Arthur Yuen
Kushagra Luthra	Michael Zara
Hamza Mahdi	Gregory Zatulovsky

## **DEAN'S LIST - Academic Year 2015-2016**

### **Computer Engineering**

Abraham Amini	Ibrahim Mohamed
Raymond Baker	Tahir Mohammed
Bashini Balachandran	Ryan Murari
David Barak	Mahyar Nemati Kharat Ghaziyani
Vartan Belavejian	Maulika Nithiyanandan
Meher Bhagat	Vatsal Patel
Mazen Bitar	Anshul Patel
Matthew Bradley	Ketu Patel
Francis Briones	Alireza Pourali
Ka Kit Chan	Ragulan Rajenthiran
Chun Chan	Hamza Raza
Alexander Checca	Luis Sanroman Zugasti
Param Desai	Rayan Sebaaly
Deep Desai	Dirsan Shanmugadasan
Prdeep Devaraj	Omer Shukrullah
Ahmed Diab	Rajat Sikder
Bao Doan	Marc Stedman
Japhet Elias	Anza Syed
Chaim Frischman	Mahtab Tamannaee
Nicholas Giambanco	Todor Todorov
Tabitha Greenidge	Sean True
Adam Guergachi	Kirill Vasilevski
Riko Hamblin	Siyanththan Vigneswararajah
Zohra Hlimi	Avadh Vyas
Matthew Ibanez	Adel Wafaei
Naffan Kazi	Joshua Williams
Mazharul Khan	Agith Yogendra
Vorachot Kositwiat	Jung Yun
Dinujan Krishnakumar	Aakar Zinzuwadia
An Liu	Michael Zizovski
Chih-Wen Lu	
Matthew Lum	

**DEAN'S LIST - Academic Year 2015-2016**  
**Electrical Engineering**

Zainab Abdul Rawoof	Seyed Haji Seyed Javadi
Bhagawat Adhikari	Gareth Higgins
Omar Ahmad	Darren Hsiung
Alireza Akhavan-Rad	Paolo Iacono
Nabeel Alam	Danesh Irani
Ali Al-Ansari	Abdul Javid
Fadi Al-Awartani	Maysam Jessa
Ali Al-Darraji	Sandeep Kaler
Ismail Al-Janabi	Jaideep Kalsi
Mohammad Amini	Yiannis Karaziakos
Majd Atto	Armash Khan
Aleksander Banbur	Hayan Khan
Ajay Basnet	John Khoushoo
Jong-Hyun Beak	Dean Koucoulas
Nirjhar Biswas	Nikita Kupriyanov
Yinni Cao	Samuel Labrier
Zhiguang Chen	Daniel Lee
Felix Cheung	Allan Leung
Nebi Cicek	Herman Leung
Tristan Collings	Hao Lin
Lecheng Cui	Heqiang Lin
Evan Damphousse	Zhuo Liu
Deepkumar Dave	Khai Trung Luu
Yao Deng	Dieu Ly
Sagar Dharamshi	Lukas Lyjak
Oliver Dysangco	Tian Ma
Amarnauth Ewing Chow	Kenneth Macko
Giuseppe Fabiano	Justin Macpherson
Mohamed Fahmy	Phuong Mai
Noman Fazal	Ahalya Mathanrai
Matthew Fera	Prajesh Mehta
Dominic Ferguson	Isaiah Miller
Robert Ferraz	Pouya Moayed Saffari
Paul Fontanilla	Carlos Moreno
Adrian Gamrat	Leonid Moskvichev
Dwayne Gomes	Victor Ngo
Brett Grady	Jackie Nguyen
Kieran Griller	Babatunde Omotayo

**DEAN'S LIST - Academic Year 2015-2016**  
**Electrical Engineering Cont'd...**

Sina Panahandeh	Mohid Tayyub
Ahsan Panjwani	Dinothcumar Thevakumar
Dhruv Parikh	Mridul Kumar Tiwari
Kashmin Patel	David Tran
Shail Patel	Megan Trinh
Vatsal Patel	Julian True
Vatsal Patel	Quoc Truong
Mark Portelli	Ming Ung
Saad Rafique	John Varghese
Pirasanth Rajkumar	Yiannis Varnava
Dhrumil Rana	Diljot Virk
Lucas Rathgeb	Adrian Vivar Rodriguez
Juan Rebanal	Davy Vong
Amit Roy	Hua Wang
Saba Sabetian	Nicholas Warias
Sakibur Sakib	Mina Yanni
Mohammad Sanayeparvar	Jiangyi Yao
Bethany Santos	Ho Yin Samuel Yeung
Thabbin Sathasivam	Lee Yu
Omar Sattaur	Imran Yussuff
George Seif	Tal Zaitsev
Steven Shen	Xin Zhao
Rashed Siddiqui	Muchi Zhu
Raviv Solomon	Ayham Zoudeh
Sharujan Sooriyaganthan	
Anojan Sukumaran	
Abigail Sy	
Ryan Tan	
Michael Taracha	
Teodora Tasic	
Steven Taylor	

### Biomedical Engineering Entrance Scholarship

#### \$4000

Jillian Cardinell  
Ginette Hartell  
Azin Mirzajavadkhan  
John Nguyen  
Daniel Nussey  
Ayushi Shrivastava

Morris Oteba  
Hetvi Patel  
Isabel Paz  
Hossein Sataripoor  
Adithya Shankar  
Jay Tailor  
Sarina Taki  
Yasaman Tamidi

Chahat Soi  
Samedia Sulo  
Denish Suthaharan  
John Tria  
Mohammad Uddin  
Helana Youssef  
Eddie Zhou  
Alexandra Zsivanov

#### \$2000

Inji Abdulla  
Gabrielle Agustin  
Russell-Dane Coley

Siyu Tang  
Ornela Tarzian  
Kevin Yung

Lior Hason  
Anas Mahdi  
Parnian Majd  
Quinley Nichols  
Otylia Nowicka  
Karen Penaranda  
Valdivia  
Erik Sadul  
Paulina Swierzbinska  
Sidra Yasin

**\$500**  
Yara Alawneh  
Faisal Al-Ghanamah  
Jafer Al-Luaibi  
Sagarjit Aujla  
Shana Beniamin  
Kamilla Blieva  
David Chinwuba  
Calvin Coplen  
Justin Dang

#### \$1000

Nour Abu Hantash  
Claudia Alonzo  
Clement Ikhile  
Judean Inniss  
Celine Jafroodifar  
Shawn Khera  
Jonathan Kulpa  
Yonathan Libenzon  
Alan Mathews  
Theanujan Mathiyalagan  
Jonathan Oh  
Kimia Ommani

Yoland El-Hajj  
Rene Gilliland-Rocque  
Janathan Jeyasiri  
Fardin Kibria  
Nikita Mavadia  
Sam Mirshahi  
Zohaib Mirza  
Griffin Nutbrown  
Alexis Ostrowski  
Hanna Pakirappa  
Namrata Rana  
Cyrus Robaei  
Aleksandar Shariat  
Imraan Sharief



## Computer Engineering Entrance Scholarship

### \$2000

Samer Al-Banna  
Truman Au-Yeung  
Ghania Awan  
Vivek George  
Omid Ghayouri  
Joshua Jealouse  
Erfan Kashani  
Anwar Khan  
Nikolai Krause  
Marc Lima  
Ryan Macdonald  
Shafeen Manzur  
Wesley Montalbo  
Nihar Sheth  
Raymond Thai  
Henry Tran  
Wei Yu

David Linardi  
Justyn Mesa  
Alexandre Miranda  
Jacob Pasqualoni  
Hrutvik Patel  
Taniya Peterratnaraj  
Gobiraj Rajathurai  
Danny Salman  
Navjot Sandhu  
Prathyakshan  
Saravanabava  
Nishahth Selvanesan  
Vatsal Shreekant  
Kanishk Singh  
William Tien  
Le Tran  
Tyler Vodden  
Jimmy Wu  
Jialin Zhao

Mantr Dixit  
Denzel Edwards  
Nikolai Forte  
Ahmad Ghiasi  
Kishore Hareendran  
Hamid Haris  
George Illiparampil  
Mahiar Lashgari  
Roashan Lingaratnam  
Ehtisham Malik  
Vinu Muthkumar  
Raylene Ng  
Viet Nguyen  
Daniel Pachkine  
Gurvire Parmar  
Niravkumar Patel  
Deep Patidar  
Bryan Philips  
Mohammad Sadeqi

### \$1000

Mai Abdelhameed  
Nadia Beharrysingh  
Hameet Benipal  
Soumya Chaudhari  
Sean Deen  
Matthew Dors  
Martin Fan  
Samiya Fasihuddin  
Shankar Gogna  
Syed Hassan  
Syeda Imtiaz  
Stina John Paulose  
Kavinda Karunaratne  
Asma Kawser Maisha  
Abdul-Rehman Khan  
Vargheesh Kirupaharan

### \$500

Taha Abbasi-Hashemi  
Jamal Abdi  
Zawar Alam  
Muhammad Alam  
Hani Altesha  
Nicholas An  
Ashton Areia  
Anujan Asokkumar  
Assil Azim  
Bashir Bagherzadeh  
Jobelle Butay  
Oai Cai  
Tri Dao  
Ayush Dave  
Rajveer Dhillon

Niharika Shetty  
Karina Shrestha  
Dan Stingaciu  
Rohan Syal  
Joshua Taraba  
Lubaba Tasnim  
James Tong  
Sina Torabi  
Yusuf Ulusow  
Colin Wong

## Electrical Engineering Entrance Scholarship

<b>\$4000</b>	Raven Kirupaharan	Ahmed Ali
Vedant Bommanahally	Jason Koot	Leon Ang
Ryan Mercer	Dayavir Lally	Isaac Ang
Nathaniel Sorongon	Aleksander Maksimoski	Hadeel Banat
Ognjen Tasic	Syeda Mashfe	Jom Barnedo
	Eric Mendicino	Christian Buttras
<b>\$2000</b>	Tudor Mirtz	Harbaj Cheema
Ibrahim Abdulhafiz	Hana Mohamed	Timothy Chow
Sumaiya Alam	Sylvia Mysliwicz	David Clarke
Jethro Cao	Bradley Nuezca	Rehnuba Fairaj
Anthony Deng	Laeticia Osemeke	Zeshan Fayyaz
Dragos Ionele	Sarth Patel	Andrei Frunza
Daniel Ngiengi	Daniyal Patricio	Fatima Hasan
Shivam Patel	Jasmine Puthoor	Farsid Islam
Ian Perczak	Vishnu Ramakrishnan	Mathav Karunanandan
Tabish Rashidi	Muhammad Rehman	Naseer Khan
Luis Restrepo Pineda	Syed Rizvi	Mujtaba Khan
Ivan Systerov	Keith Rodillas	David Koot
Azreen Tasnia	Omar Sandhu	Denis Kuznetsov
Michael Troeung	Abraar Shaikh	Jeffrey Lau
Allan Truong	Kosigan Shanmugarajah	Ali Musa
Adam Yang	Muhammad Shirazi	Ahmad Naveed
Lazar Zerajic	Ryan Strba	Gabrielle Nguyen
	Kevin Ta	Shakran Nissankaraj
<b>\$1000</b>	Fabiha Tahsin	Daniel Philistin
Mahmoud Abbouchi	Rodrigo Villalobos	Raihan Sajid
Daniel Addai-Smith	Vinh Vu	Prajith Sivajilingam
Suraj Aggarwal	Muhammad Wasid	Ramish Syed
David Balogh	Gu Xiong	Joseph Tarquini
Theeran Cheliyan	Vincent Yeung	Moiz Uddin
Urvesh Garcha		Linden Verville
Michael Genova	<b>\$500</b>	Aali Waqar
Parham Habibi	Mazen Abdul	Akashdeep Warriach
Mohamed Hassan	Hisham Ahmad	Yubin Zhang
Wei Huang	Nameer Ahmed	
Siddig Ismail	Fatima Aissioui	
Muneeb Javed	Muhammad Ali	

## **GRADUATE AWARDS**

This award is for Research Excellence .

### **2015 GREA Winners in MASc.**

Mehak Basharat  
Yue Feng  
Durand Jarrett-Amor  
Shuo Yu

### **2015 GREA Winners in PhD.**

Krishnanand Balasundaram  
Mohammadali Beheshti  
Apparao Dekka  
Lilatul Ferdouse  
Lei Gao  
Masoud Oveis Gharan  
Jamil Jivraj  
Rafael Oliveira  
Saeed Pouryazdian  
Sebastian Rivera  
Irtaza Syed  
Qiang Wei

### **Aditya Jha Diversity Award**

Mushu Li, M.A.Sc. candidate  
Anita Tino, Ph.D. candidate

## **UNDERGRADUATE AWARDS**

### **President's International Entrance Scholarship**

This award is for an international student demonstrating leadership qualities, original thought, and creative ability.

**\$10,000 annually**

Haider Riaz Bosal

### **Clarence Nichols Bursary**

This award is for a full time undergraduate mature student.

**\$5,000**

Emily Thatcher

### **Pierre Lassonde Optional Specialization in Management Sciences (OSMS) Award**

This award is for a second or third-year undergraduate student pursuing the Optional Specialization in Management Sciences (OSMS), and who has demonstrated academic excellence.

**\$2,500**

Adrian Gamrat

### **Stalin Boctor Circuits Award**

This award is for a student enrolled in the Faculty of Engineering and Architectural Science who has demonstrated academic excellence in their third year of study.

**\$2,000**

Genwu Jin

### **Aileen Clark Lambie Awards**

This award is for a student who has made a notable contribution to women in engineering activities in the Faculty of Engineering and Architectural Science.

**\$1,500 (each)**

Luzalen Marcos

Akshara Paulraj

Annabella Mike-Ebeye

## **UNDERGRADUATE AWARDS cont'd...**

### **Ontario Professional Engineers Foundation for Education Entrance Scholarship**

This award is for a student entering an accredited Engineering program, demonstrated high academic standing, and exhibits characteristics of leadership.

**\$1,500**

Jillian Cardinell

### **Ontario Professional Engineers Foundation for Education Undergraduate Studies Scholarship**

This award is for a student who has demonstrated high academic achievement, leadership within an academic or extracurricular environment.

**\$1,500**

Sean Gorsky

Sidrah Noor

### **Seed Award**

This award is for an engineering student enrolled in the Optional Specialization in Engineering Innovation and Entrepreneurship (OSEIE).

**\$1,000**

Agith Yogendra

## **UNDERGRADUATE AWARDS cont'd...**

### **Aditya Jha Diversity Awards**

This award is for a student enrolled in Computer Engineering.

**\$3,187** (each)

Ragulan Rajenthiran

Tahir Mohammed

### **Gordon and Agnes (Twambley) Brash Award**

This award is for a student who has demonstrated academic excellence.

**\$2,885** (each)

Risavarshni Thevakumaran

Ragulan Rajenthiran

Genwu Jin

Seyed-Youns Sadat-Nejad

Faraz Sadrzadeh-Afsharazar

### **Jack Roy Longstaffe Memorial Scholarship**

This award is for a student who has demonstrated academic excellence.

**\$1,000** (each)

John Khoushoo

Tabitha Greenidge

Genwu Jin

Todor Todorov

### **Brosz Forensic Services Inc. Scholarship**

This award is for a student who has demonstrated academic excellence in theory and lab work in Sensors and Measurements.

**\$1,000**

Mohamed Fahmy

## **UNDERGRADUATE AWARDS Cont'd**

### **Canadian Electronics Representative Association (CERA) Award**

This award is for a student who is enrolled as a full-time student in their fourth year of study with interest in pursuing technical sales.

**\$1,000**

Akshara Paulraj

### **David Platnick Memorial Award**

This award is for a student who has demonstrated general proficiency and excellence in design project performance.

**\$454**

Jamie Lee Huy

### **Dimitri Klimow Memorial Scholarship**

This award is for a student who has demonstrated academic excellence.

**\$828**

Rebeca Currie

### **IEEE Toronto Section Scholarship**

This award is for a student who has demonstrated academic excellence and being enrolled on a full-time basis in third year.

**\$1000**

Juan Rebanal

### **IEEE Toronto Section Scholarship**

This award is for a student who has demonstrated academic excellence in fourth year.

**\$2000**

Matthew Lum

## **UNDERGRADUATE AWARDS Cont'd**

### **IEEE Toronto Section, Wallas Khella Scholarship**

This award is for a student who has demonstrated academic excellence in fourth year.

**\$2000**

Deepkumar Dave

### **Ingenium Group Jack Lemay Memorial Award**

This award is for a student who has demonstrated academic excellence in the third year of the program.

**\$2,500**

Alison Doucette

### **Professor Frank Juranka Memorial Scholarship**

This award is for a student who has demonstrated general proficiency and excellence in energy conversion - third year.

**\$197**

Yinni Cao



## **UNDERGRADUATE AWARDS Cont'd**

### **James H. Rattray Memorial Award**

This award is for a student who has demonstrated general proficiency.

**\$200**

Yinni Cao

### **Michael Stechly Memorial Award**

This award is for a student who has demonstrated academic excellence.

**\$859**

Tong Xu

### **Ed Towgood Award**

This award is for a student who demonstrates excellence in thesis project performance.

**\$171**

Shahin Khayyer

### **Walter Anderson Award in RF Communications**

This award is for a student who has demonstrated insight, interest, strong lab and skills in courses related to RF/radio/wireless propagation theory and practice; demonstrated academic accomplishment within courses related to this field of study

**\$1,000**

Pouya Moayed Saffari

## **UNDERGRADUATE AWARDS Cont'd**

### **2015-2016 Undergraduate Excellence Awards**

#### **\$1000 (each)**

Hashir Ahmed  
Fadi Al-Awartani  
Giordano Arezza  
Yinni Cao  
Ka Kit Chan  
Rebeca Currie  
Alison Doucette  
Amarnauth Ewing Chow  
Noman Fazal  
Riko Hamblin  
Abdul Javid  
Armath Khan  
An Liu  
Chih-Wen Lu  
Lukas Lyjak  
Justin Macpherson  
Pouya Moayed Saffari  
Farah Nassif  
Ragulan Rajenthiran  
Hamza Raza  
Juan Rebanal  
Seyed-Youns Sadat-Nejad  
Faraz Sadrzadeh-Afsharazar  
Ryan Tan  
Mridul Kumar Tiwari  
Todor Todorov  
Sean True  
Quoc Truong  
John Varghese  
Tong Xu

## **Capstone Design Project Awards**

### **Marzio Pozzuoli Capstone Design Project Excellence Award**

This award is for Excellence, Innovation and Originality of an Engineering Design Project.

**\$10,000** (one award)

Jamie Lee Huy  
Jackie Nguyen  
Bikramjeet Singh Pabla

### **Department GOLD Capstone Award**

Helia Azima  
Sam Delavarkhan  
Shahin Khayyer

### **Department SILVER Capstone Award**

Group 1  
Amit K. Roy  
Rajat Kumar Sikder  
Omer Shukrullah

Group 2  
Levon Khachatryan  
Sam LaBrier  
Khai Trung Luu

### **Department BRONZE Capstone Award**

Brett Grady  
Gentian Licenji  
Sina Panahandeh

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