

**QUEENSBOROUGH COMMUNITY COLLEGE
THE AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE**

To: The Academic Senate
From: Jenny (Maan) Lin, Chairperson
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The Awards and Scholarship Committee met several times in academic year 2008-09 to evaluate and recommend nominations for the following awards and scholarships:

1. **John F. Kennedy Memorial Award**—given to Anthony Angulo, a graduating student who has demonstrated outstanding leadership in the college and community;
2. **Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Award**—given to Champion Nichols, a graduating student who has demonstrated exceptional leadership in promoting racial harmony and appreciation of cultural diversity;
3. **Incentive Awards**—given to Miriana Fable and Olugbenga Kolawole, two day students who have demonstrated outstanding academic performance and are working parents;
4. **Ray Ricketts Memorial Award**—given to Daniel Sangobanwo, a returning student (left college at one point) who exhibits exceptional scholarship and leadership;
5. **Women's Club Awards**—given to Melissa Dindial, who has demonstrated outstanding leadership and service to the College community;
6. **The Meredith Young Award**—given to Amy Ayala, a single mother who has successfully completed a Basic Skills Writing Class (BE-112 OR BE-205), and has completed requirements for a degree;

- 7. Academic Merit Scholarship**—given to 18 current students who have demonstrated outstanding academic performance (a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.25 required): Vyacheslav Aminov, Jing Jing Bao, Kathleen Capogrosso, Paulton Chan, Christine Chang, Shawn Fahrner, Jennifer Freire, Hyunhee Hwang, Billy Inohope, Karolina Kedzierska, Mishel Khan, Parbatie Khemraj, Sin Dee Loke, Yiu Bun Benny Mok, Wasana Rajapkshe, Edmond Williams, Chi Kwan Wong, Yekaterina Yusupova;
- 8. Who's Who in American Junior Colleges**—given to 39 students who demonstrate scholarship, active participation in college and community activities, and potential for continued development (a minimum of 30 credits completed required):
1. Mr. Augustin E. Aguié
 2. Ms. Fatima N. Ali
 3. Mr. Anthony A. Angulo
 4. Ms. Alexandra Bayona
 5. Ms. Kayle R. Berenson
 6. Ms. Samantha Boursiquot
 7. Ms. Angelica Cordero
 8. Ms. Carlisa S. Delpeche
 9. Ms. Mary Demirdjian
 10. Mr. Xavier Dunkley
 11. Mr. Christopher Ferrier
 12. Ms. Estefany G. Galindo
 13. Mr. Angel A. Garcia
 14. Ms. Alyssa Z. Grossman
 15. Ms. Nadia Habib
 16. Ms. Valeriya Ilazarova
 17. Ms. Ingrid Jaramillo-Estrella
 18. Ms. Gladys V. Juca
 19. Ms. Myoug Eun Kim
 20. Ms. Qi Li
 21. Mr. Renoir Lynch
 22. Mr. Henry Martin
 23. Ms. Malamatenia Mavrou
 24. Ms. Denise S. Miceli
 25. Ms. Kate M. Montero
 26. Ms. Daphney Neptune
 27. Mr. Champion Nichols
 28. Mr. Toor P. Noori
 29. Ms. Firmause Payen
 30. Ms. Lizeth Pecho
 31. Ms. Vanessa Restrepo
 32. Ms. Jessica Rosh

33. Ms. Rana Said
34. Ms. Eva Maria Santos-Tejada
35. Ms. Jennifer M. Severin
36. Ms. Sabrina Torchon
37. Mr. Edmond W. Williams Jr.
38. Mr. Chi Kwan Wong
39. Marvin A. Young

Compared with the previous academic year, this year's response to all scholarship awards was about the same. The Academic Merit Scholarship continued to receive strong response; three more students received this award this year. Seven more students from Queensborough were included in *Who's Who in American Junior Colleges* this year.