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Dear EOF Student Achievement Award Recipients:

The Educational Opportunity Fund Board of Directors passed Resolution 3:2010 on March 31, 2010 to acknowledge and congratulate the student recipients of the 2010 EOF Senior Academic Achievement Awards. The tradition of annually recognizing the academic achievements of EOF graduating seniors began more than 20 years ago and we are pleased that it continues. The EOF academic achievement awards will be presented in four different award categories to 586 graduating seniors enrolled at a New Jersey college or university through the EOF program.

Since the fall semester of 1968, the EOF Program has proven that when provided with the opportunity, confidence and support to exceed, students like you will rise above all obstacles and challenges and achieve excellence. Congratulations on your outstanding accomplishments.

This accomplishment is a credit to you, but also continues a record of academic excellence exhibited by EOF students for over four decades. You join a group of outstanding alumni who have preceded you. I encourage you to continue your education and to set high career goals. Go out and make significant contributions to your community and society as a whole.

EOF is an investment in people. It is an investment in the future. EOF exists to ensure that all people, regardless of their prior circumstances, have the opportunity to receive the higher education preparation so necessary to compete in today's world. I urge you to share the good news about EOF.

Once again, congratulations.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Glenn B. Lang".

Glenn B. Lang, Ed. D.
Executive Director, EOF

2010
NEW JERSEY EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY FUND
SENIOR ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS*

Each year, the EOF Board of Directors and the Commission on Higher Education/EOF Office invite campus programs to identify graduating EOF students who have demonstrated exceptional achievement during their college careers. Presented to EOF seniors who are expected to graduate at the end of the spring 2010 term or who graduated at the end of the summer or fall 2009 terms, the criteria for the specific award categories are as follows:

Distinguished Scholar Award

(# of awardees = 4)

Presented to any EOF senior whose cumulative grade point average is 4.0.

Outstanding Academic Achievement Award

(# of awardees = 290)

Presented to EOF seniors whose cumulative grade point averages are 3.50 – 3.99.

Academic Achievement Award

(# of awardees = 245)

Presented to EOF seniors whose cumulative grade point averages are 3.2 – 3.499.

Outstanding Achievement Award

(# of awardees = 47)

Presented to one graduating EOF student from each campus program who is considered by the EOF director and staff to best exemplify the spirit and intent of the EOF program. In selecting the recipient, consideration is given to the student's leadership skills, contributions to the program and personal obstacles that were necessary to overcome to succeed and attain his or her graduation goal.

*This document contains only the names and bios of award recipients who authorized publication of their information.

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Distinguished Scholars

The EOF Distinguished Scholar award is given to EOF students who have maintained a grade point average of 4.0 throughout their collegiate careers.

Congratulations!

Gregory Hopely
Gloucester County College

Jennifer Moran
Ocean County College

Linda Zekovitch
Rutgers University/Camden College of Arts & Sciences

Camila Guderian
Union County College

Atlantic Cape Community College

10 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Cristina Marie Ayala

A.A. Education

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009; Part-time Dean's List: summer 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, 2009

Future Plans: Pursuing a BA in Education at Rowan University

Ching Man Chow

A.S. Science & Math- Chemistry

Honors: President's List: fall 2008; Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa

Future Plans: Awaiting admissions to New York University for degree in Nutrition

Rachel Ferraro

A.S. Criminal Justice

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2008, fall 2009; President's List: spring 2009

Future Plans: Transfer to Drexel University, Thomas Jefferson University, or the University of Medicine & Dentistry of NJ to become a Physician Assistant

Rachel Parliman

A.S. General Studies

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009, summer 2009, fall 2009; President's List: fall 2008

Future Plans: Transfer to The Richard Stockton College of NJ to pursue a bachelor's degree

Cherise White

A.A. Psychology

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2009; President's List: fall 2008, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, April 2009

Organizations: Psychology Club; PTK Club; Student Government Association representative for Psychology Club; Peer Leader, LEAD

Future Plans: To attend Rutgers University on the Atlantic Cape Community College campus to pursue bachelor's degree

Academic Achievement

Shiza Ahmad

A.S. General Studies

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2007; President's List: fall 2009

Future Plans: Applying to the Nursing program at Atlantic Cape Community College and to pursue a bachelor's degree at The Richard Stockton College of NJ

Ashley Benedetto

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.S. General Studies
Dean's List: fall 2004, spring 2005, fall 2005, fall 2007
To attend The Richard Stockton College of NJ for a BSW

Kareera Demby-Spence

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.S. Criminal Justice
Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009
To continue studies at The Richard Stockton College of NJ for a bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice

Bridget Helen Egatz

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.S. General Studies
Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2008, spring 2008, spring 2009;
Part-time Dean's List: summer 2009
To attend The Richard Stockton College of NJ to pursue a degree in Education; also pursue a Nursing degree at Atlantic Cape Community College

Outstanding Achievement

Thomas O. Darpino

Honors:

Organizations:

Future Plans:

A.A. Liberal Arts with Communication option
Dean's List: fall 2007
Leadership Education and Development (L.E.A.D) program
To attend The Richard Stockton College of NJ



Outstanding Academic Achievement

Ruchi Gandhi

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.A.S. Allied Health-Respiratory Therapy
Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009
To work in a hospital and continue studies at William Paterson University of NJ for a career in the health industry

Ivy Johnson

Honors:

Organizations:

Future Plans:

A.A.S. Nursing
Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009
PTA President at daughter's elementary school
To begin employment and continue education toward a bachelor's degree

Anabella Pasini

Honors:

Future Plans:

Dean's List: fall 2009

Plans to attend Rutgers University to pursue BSN in Nursing in fall 2010

A.S. Science

Lucia Filomena Russo

Honors:

Future Plans:

Dean's List: fall 2008, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa; Alpha Epsilon Chapter (2010)

To pursue a bachelor's and a master's degree in Education and a degree in American Sign Language

A.A. Liberal Arts - Foreign Languages

Amna Waheed

Honors:

Organizations:

Future Plans:

Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, 2009

Early Childhood Education Club

To transfer to Fairleigh Dickinson University for a bachelor's and master's degrees in Humanities

A.A.S. Early Childhood Education

Rameez Waheed

Honors:

Organizations:

Future Plans:

Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; National Honor Society, 2007; Chi Alpha Epsilon, 2009

Cricket Club, 2007

To continue studies at the New Jersey Institute of Technology, go on for a master's degree and pursue a rewarding career

A.S. Science, Natural Sciences and Math

Sara S. Zapata

Honors:

Organizations:

Future Plans:

Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society

Student Activities Board

To attend a four-year college and enroll in a Pre-Med program

A.S. Natural Sciences and Math

Academic Achievement

Jackelyn M. Alvarez

Future Plans:

To pursue a career in the nursing or medical field

A.S. Professional Studies - General

Sabrina Boyd

Future Plans:

To continue education to become a Radiographer/Radiologic Technologist

A.S. Professional Studies - General

Gina De la Rosa

Future Plans:

To transfer to a four-year university to complete a bachelor's degree in Business Administration

A.S. Business Administration

Peter Gad

A.S. Natural Sciences and Math

Honors:
Organizations:
Future Plans:

Dean's List: fall 2007, fall 2008; Chi Alpha Epsilon
College Health Club; Chess Club; Ping Pong Club
To transfer to Ramapo College to complete a BS in Biology, a
master's degree in Biology and ultimately become a Physician
Assistant

Ermal Pervizi

A.S. Accounting

Future Plans:

Currently attending Rutgers University

Mariluz Ruiz-Norena

A.S. Professional Studies -General

Honors:
Future Plans:

Dean's List: fall 2004, spring 2005
Currently attending William Paterson University of NJ to become
an Elementary School Teacher

Outstanding Achievement

Ivy Johnson

A.A.S. Nursing

Ivy is also the recipient of the Outstanding Academic Achievement award.



Academic Achievement

Rakia Brown

**B.A. Elementary Education/Early
Childhood**

Honors:
Organizations:
Future Plans:

Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2009, spring 2009; Who's Who
Among Students in America Universities and Colleges, 2008
Kappa Delta Pi 2009; Gospel Choir; Sisters in Support
To obtain a position in teaching that would permit her to help
mold the young minds of children in urban areas

Stephania Corneille

**B.A. Elementary / Early Childhood
Education**

Honors:
Organizations:
Future Plans:

Dean's List: 2007, 2008, 2009; Highest Senior GPA Award 2009;
STAR Program Academic Achievement Award 2009
STAR Program 2008 - 2010
To become a Teacher and obtain a master's degree in a related
field

Tarrah Gray

B.A. Sociology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall and spring 2008, fall and spring 2009; Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges, 2008

Organizations:

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.; Team Infinite; Greek Council

Future Plans:

To earn a master's degree in Social Work

Sekou Mohamed Sheriff

B.S. Finance

Honors:

Dean's List: 2007 – 2009; BC Portraits of Excellence 2009; Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges, 2008; McNair Scholar

Organizations:

BC African Student Association; Aid to West Africa; National Association of Black Accountants; Newark African Commission

Future Plans:

To obtain a PhD in Economic Development and become a CEO of a global organization

Outstanding Achievement

Desiree Williams-Brown

B.A. Psychology and Sociology

Honors:

Lester Clee Scholarship 2007-2008 and 2008-2009; Hispanic Interns in Community Services, summer 2008; Outstanding Citation Plaque (Immigration Laws of 1996 Public Policy Paper)

Organizations:

Chi Upsilon Sigma; National Latin Sorority, Inc. Beta Chapter President; Greek Council Treasurer; Association of Latin American Students (ALAS); Resident Advisor, spring 2007-present

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school and pursue a degree in Public Administration and work for a nonprofit organization (family and children concentration)

*Brookdale Community College
13 Student Nominations*

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Ana Agha

A.A. Business Management

Honors:

Chi Alpha Epsilon

Future Plans:

To secure employment

Samantha Bunting

A.A. Business Administration

Honors:

Chi Alpha Epsilon, NJ Stars II

Future Plans:

Transfer to The College of New Jersey to seek a bachelor's degree in Business

Kimberly Cassarello**Honors:****Future Plans:****A.A. Early Childhood Education**

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Plans to further education in the field of Early Childhood Education

Robert Gruber**Honors:****Organizations:****Future Plans:****A.A.S Human Services**

Dean's List

Volunteer with ARC of Monmouth County

Transfer to Lee University to pursue a bachelor's degree in Pastoral Ministry

John Jackson**Honors:****Organizations:****Future Plans:****A.S. Criminal Justice**

Dean's List

Volunteer at Perth Amboy Girls Little League

Pursue a bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice at New Jersey City University in an effort to obtain a position with the New Jersey State Police

Elizabeth Musica**Honors:****Organizations:****Future Plans:****A.A. Modern Languages**

Dean's List; Chi Alpha Epsilon, Gilman Scholarship recipient

Tutor for ESL students at Brookdale Community College

Obtain a master's degree in Translation

Nguyen Truong**Honors:****Organizations:****A.S. Engineering**

Phi Theta Kappa, Chi Alpha Epsilon

Volunteer at Water Wash (non-profit organization)

Elliot Reyes**Honors:****Organizations:****Future Plans:****A.A. Humanities**

Dean's List: spring 2008, spring 2009; Phi Theta Kappa

Student Life Board

To study abroad and teach as a substitute

Lisa Smith**Honors:****Future Plans:****A.A.S. Office Administration**

Dean's List: spring 2009

Pursue a bachelor's degree at Georgian Court University and continue on for a master's degree in Business

Academic Achievement**Ali Elghemari****Future Plans:****A.A. Humanities**

Transfer to Montclair State University

Jean Pierre Marcenat**Organizations:****Future Plans:****A.S. Respiratory Therapy**

Volunteer EMT with Neptune First Aid Squad

Working toward a degree in Respiratory Therapy

Luz Mosquera**Future Plans:**

A.A. Education
Pursue a bachelor's degree in Education at Georgian Court University or Kean University

Dawn Murray**Honors:****Organizations:****Future Plans:**

A.S. Criminal Justice
Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008; Chi Alpha Epsilon
Criminal Justice Club; ESL Program; Work Study
Transfer to New Jersey City University and major in Criminal Justice

Brittney Ramsey**Honors:****Organizations:****Future Plans:**

A.A. Early Childhood Education
Chi Alpha Epsilon
Early Childhood Education Club member
To transfer to Rowan University to pursue a bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Education and continue on for a master's degree

Burlington County College
7 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement**Adrienne L. Navin****Honors:****Future Plans:**

A.A.S. Dental Hygiene
Dean's List: fall 2008
Chi Alpha Epsilon, May 2010 inductee
To graduate and become a licensed Dental Hygienist

Mary R. Nolan**Transferred from:****Future Plans:**

A.A. Education
Ocean County College
To attend Thomas Edison State College and earn a bachelor's degree in English

Academic Achievement**Bolivia K. Hawthorne****Honors:****Organizations:****Future Plans:**

A.S. Human Services
Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, May 2010
Human Services Club, president (fall 2008 - current)
To continue studies in the field of Social Work or Behavioral Sciences

Toyka Renee Henderson

A.A. English

Honors:

Chi Alpha Epsilon inductee, May 2010

Organizations:

Multicultural Student Union, 2010-present; Cheerleading Club, 2009-present; coach for high school cheerleading squad, 2009-present

Future Plans:

Plans to attend a four-year institution and obtain a degree in English Education with a focus in Special Needs and to teach in the inner city

La'Creia M. Lewis

A.A.S. Human Services

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009; Chi Alpha Alpha Epsilon, inductee 2010

Future Plans:

Plans to attend Wilmington University in the fall of 2010 and major in Behavioral Science

Sarah R. Phillips

A.A.S. Diagnostic Medical Sonography

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009

Organizations:

Vice President of Diagnostic Medical Sonography club

Future Plans:

To become Diagnostic Medical Sonographer

Outstanding Achievement

Adrienne L. Navin

Adrienne is also the recipient of an Outstanding Academic Achievement award.



Outstanding Academic Achievement

Shanika Tanee Smith

B.A. Communication Arts

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2006, fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Alpha Chi, 2009; Delta Epsilon Sigma, 2009; Sigma Alpha Pi (The National Society Of Leadership And Success), 2009; Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities, 2009

Organizations:

College Scholars Program, 2009; Caribbean Student Association; Marketing Club; Black Student Cooperative Union; Caldwell College Majestic Steppers; Women's Business Organization; Drama Club; EOF Honor Society

Future Plans:

Plans to find a job in Communication Arts and eventually earn a master's degree

Academic Achievement

Tanisha Cooley

B.A. English/Secondary Education

Organizations:

Maintained a job off campus as a supervisor, working approximately 25 hours a week, in addition to observing at local schools for a total of 60 hours per semester to complete degree requirements

Future Plans:

Obtain a position as a Substitute Teacher to provide the experience to gain a full-time teaching position

Fallon Millner

B.A. Elementary Education/Social Studies

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, spring 2009, fall 2009; Kappa Delta Epsilon, 2006 – Education; Phi Alpha Theta, 2008 - History

Organizations:

Vice President of Education Honor Society, Kappa Delta Epsilon, 2008

Future Plans:

To pursue a master's degree in Special Education

Kate Rodrigues

B.S. International Business

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2008, fall 2009; National Honor Society of Leadership and Success, 2009

Organizations:

French Club, vice-president

Future Plans:

To work in a multinational corporation and gain financial independence

Outstanding Achievement

Asia Bash-Gaffney

B.A. Psychology

Organizations:

Orientation Leader (September 2009); Caldwell College Cheerleaders (September 2006 - May 2008); Black Student Cooperative Union (September 2006 - May 2007)

Future Plans:

To go to graduate school and receive a master's degree in Counseling, and an LPC license to open a private practice

*Camden County College
6 Student Nominations*

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Mohammed A. Hossain

A.S. Pre-Pharmacy

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007; Presidents List: spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Permanent President's List; Phi Kappa Theta, spring 2009

Organizations:

International Club; Human Service Club; Rotary Club

Future Plans:

Transfer to Rutgers University and major in Biology

Amanda Steeg

A.A.S. Veterinary Technology

Honors:

Phi Theta Kappa, April 2009

Future Plans:

Work at Gray Fox Animal Hospital as a Vet Tech and then pursue a bachelor's degree at the University of Pennsylvania

Academic Achievement

Felicia Burr

A.S. Business Administration

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, April 2009

Future Plans:

To transfer to Rutgers University and pursue a degree in Business and then attend law school

Tamara Goodwin

A.S. Nursing: Our Lady of Lourdes

Transferred from:

The College of New Jersey

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:

Student Nurses Association

Future Plans:

Work as an RN at Our Lady of Lourdes Medical Center upon graduation

Elaine Wright

A.S. Liberal Arts and Sciences

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2008, spring 2009; President's List: fall 2008

Organizations:

Student Government: Executive Representative Officer, Camden City Campus, 2008-2010; Urban Unity: secretary from 2007-2008, president from 2008-2010

Future Plans:

To transfer to Rutgers University and pursue a degree in Law

Outstanding Achievement

Angelica M. Rivera

A.S. Criminal Justice

Honors:

Presidents List: spring 2008, spring 2009

Future Plans:

To attend a four-year institution and begin a career in Law Enforcement

*Centenary College
6 Student Nominations*

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Krystal Cartagena-Ortis

B.F.A. Fashion Design

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009;

Chi Alpha Epsilon, Gamma Beta Chapter, fall 2007;

B.R.A.G. Scholarship from sponsor Ralph Lauren

Organizations:

Fashion Group; EOF Alliance; SGA; Admissions Ambassador

Nneka Dominique Covington

B.F.A. Fashion Design

Honors: Dean's List: four semesters; Chi Alpha Epsilon, spring 2008
Organizations: Theta Epsilon Nu (campus sorority)
Future Plans: To pursue a career in the Fashion industry

Christina Ann Gott

B.A. Sociology

Transferred from: County College of Morris
Honors: Dean's List: throughout college career; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2008
Organizations: Campus Ministry
Future Plans: Return to Centenary College in fall for the post-baccalaureate study education program

Michelle Timoteo

B.S. Accounting

Transferred from: Union County College
Honors: Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, spring 2007
Future Plans: Seek full-time employment as a Staff Accountant and pursue graduate studies to accomplish her goal to become a Certified Public Accountant

Tammy Turan

B.A. Criminal Justice

Transferred from: Warren County Community College
Honors: Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon
Organizations: Sociology Club

Outstanding Achievement

Georgianna Laseter

B.A. Criminal Justice

Honors: Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2008; EOF Community Service Award, 2006
Organizations: First Year Leader, EOF Alliance; Criminal Justice Club; Study Abroad Program (Canada- fall 2009); Diversity and Tolerance Alliance; Sociology of Police; Drama Club; active in community events for Breast Cancer Awareness, the Katrina Relief Project, the Calvary Baptist Church and Path to the Poll in the 2009 election

College of Saint Elizabeth
13 Students

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Olutobi Ajala

B.S. Biochemistry

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society; Kappa Gamma Pi, The National Catholic College Graduate Honor Society; Student Representative for Academic Life; Student Ambassador; The American Chemical Society, president

Future Plans: To enroll in a MD/PhD program in the near future

Jeannette E. Marine

B.S. Biochemistry

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon; Pi Mu Epsilon Honor Society

Organizations: Student Government Association; Mathematics and Computer Science Club

Future Plans: To attend graduate school in the fall to pursue a doctorate in Organic Chemistry

Irena Moore

B.A. Psychology

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society; College of Saint Elizabeth Honors Society

Organizations: Irena is the co-president of CSE's Carpe Motus Dance Company

Future Plans: To attend graduate school in the fall

Laura P. Munoz-Torres

B.A. Psychology

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society

Organizations: Student Take Action Committee, president and Executive Board member; EOF Alliance; Honors Program; Leadership Program

Future Plans: To join the Peace Corps for two years after graduation and then pursue graduate studies

Bukky H. Orija

B.A. Mathematics

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Pi Mu Epsilon Honor Society; Chi Alpha Epsilon Society; Lambda Pi Eta; College of Saint Elizabeth Honor Society

Organizations: Math and Computer Science Club, president; Pi Mu Epsilon Honor Society, president; West Indian Empress Club, vice president; CSE EOF Alliance Chapter, president

Future Plans: To attend graduate school in the fall for a master's degree in Finance

Aracely Tagliaventi

B.A. Sociology

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society

Organizations: Student Government, four years with her last year as president; member, Honors and Leadership Program

Future Plans: To attend law school in the fall

Neury Trinidad

B.A. Sociology

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2008, fall 2009; Alpha Kappa Delta Honor Society; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society; Sigma Phi Omega Honor Society; CSE Honor Society; Eastern Sociological Society

Organizations: Minority Academic Program

Future Plans: To attend graduate school in the fall

Geralda Vastey

B.A. International Studies

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society; Kappa Gamma Pi Honor Society; Phi Sigma Iota Honor Society

Organizations:

Foreign Languages Club, president; Leadership Program; College Judicial Board

Future Plans:

To attend Barry University in Miami for graduate school in the fall

Sara Velasquez

B.A. Justice Studies

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2005, spring 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, fall 2008, fall 2009, spring 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society; Communication Honor Society; CSE Honors Program

Organizations:

Justice Studies Club, president; Latin Roots Club

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school in the fall

Academic Achievement

Isabel Machuca

B.A. Psychology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society

Organizations:

Latin Roots; Women United in Color; Student Taking Action Committee; College Activities Board, Honors Program

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school in the fall

Ruth Narcisse

B.S. Biology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society

Organizations:

Campus Ministry, Advisory Board; Biology and Chemistry Club; Minority Academic Program

Future Plans:

To attend school in the fall to become a Physician Assistant

Nathasha Nazaire

B.A. Psychology

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society

Organizations:

Psychology Club, secretary; West Indian Empress Club, publicist

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school in the fall

Outstanding Achievement

Bukky H. Orija

B.A. Mathematics

Bukky is also the recipient of an Outstanding Academic Achievement award.

County College of Morris *6 Student Nominations*

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Jouliette Ibrahim

A.S. Science & Math - Chemistry

Honors:

Academic Achievement Awards spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Oliver Sheffield Minority Scholarship spring 2009; Member Chi Alpha Epsilon

Organizations:

Active in EOF Alliance activities, fundraisers, workshops, Kwanzaa

Future Plans:

To transfer to Rutgers University School of Pharmacy

Donald P. Marulanda

A.S. Criminal Justice

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009

Organizations:

Student EOF Alliance, vice president; Morris County Prosecutor's Office, student intern, spring 2010; Morris County Park Police, intern, fall 2009; Community Service hours with Meals on Wheels

Future Plans:

To obtain a bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice and join the FBI or Secret Service

Jonathan Marulanda

A.S. Criminal Justice

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2010, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, fall 2009

Organizations:

EOF Student Alliance

Future Plans:

Transfer to a four-year college

Academic Achievement

Sara F. Moreira

A.A. Humanities/Social Science

Education

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:

AESNJ/Student Chapter EOF Alliance, secretary, spring 2008; Alliance Member, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, fall 2009, spring 2010; Oliver Sheffield Minority Scholarship, recipient, spring 2007, spring 2009

Future Plans:

Transfer to College of St. Elizabeth to pursue a bachelor's degree in Elementary Education

Anais A. Roche

A.F.A. Fine Arts - Dance

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009

Organizations:

Oliver Sheffield Minority Scholarship, recipient, spring 2009

Future Plans:

Transfer to Rutgers University to pursue a bachelor's degree in Fine Arts – Dance

Outstanding Achievement

Karlene S. Green

A.A. Liberal Arts Human Services

Organizations:

Senior Speech - EOF Awards Dinner, spring 2009; EOF Student Legislative Day at the Capital, spring 2009; consistently sought EOF advisement, followed through with counselor recommendations, participated in program; this student embodies the spirit of EOF program

Future Plans:

Transfer to the College of St. Elizabeth or Kean University

Cumberland County College *9 Student Nominations*

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Zaquiiran Jones

A.A. Theatre

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, fall 2009

Organizations:

Drama Club (fall 2008-spring 2010) - Zaquiiran has been in the following theatrical productions at Cumberland County College: Beauty in the Beast spring 2009, Bye Bye Birdie summer 2009, Guys and Dolls spring 2010

Future Plans:

To pursue a bachelor's degree in Theater/Acting in the fall of 2010

Inna T. Kucher

A.A. Liberal Arts/Music

Honors:

President's List: fall 2007, fall 2008; Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, spring 2008

Organizations:

On campus, Inna has performed in three recitals playing the piano.

Future Plans:

Currently attending Rowan University pursuing a bachelor's degree as a Music Education major, goals are to become an Elementary School Music Teacher and to own her own recording studio.

Deana R. Parker

A.S. Social Service & Gerontology

Honors:

President's List: spring 2009

Organizations:

Social Service Club member (fall 2008- spring 2010); Deana has been an active planner for the college's "Unity Day" held every year.

Future Plans:

To transfer to The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey for the fall of 2010. Ultimately, Deana wants to work with small children, teens and young adults after attaining a master's degree in Social Work.

Brittany Tomaski

A.A. Liberal Arts Elementary/Secondary Education

Transferred from: Monmouth University
Honors: President's List: fall 2008; Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, 2009; Kappa Delta Pi, 2009
Future Plans: To obtain a bachelor's degree in Elementary Education from The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey with emphasis in World Languages. Upon graduation, Brittany would like to be a Spanish Teacher for children between grades one through four.

Oksana Yarkovoy

A.A. Liberal Arts Elementary/Secondary Education

Honors: President's List: fall 2008, spring 2009; Dean's List: fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, spring 2008
Organizations: Education Club member, fall 2009 - spring 2010
Future Plans: To attend Rowan University and major in Art Education. She plans to teach Art at the middle school to high school level.

Academic Achievement

Christina L Fischer

A.A. Liberal Arts Business Administration

Future Plans: To pursue a bachelor's degree in Accounting at Rider University. Her career goal includes working as an Accountant.

Iryna Moseychuk

A.A. Liberal Arts Business Administration

Honors: President's List: spring 2008, spring 2009; Dean's List: spring 2008, spring 2009
Organizations: Iryna has worked on campus for two years as a work-study student for the Social/Behavioral Science Department.
Future Plans: Currently, attends Fairleigh Dickinson University on the Cumberland County College campus and is studying Human Resource Management. She looks forward to a Human Resources career in the business industry.

Jarel Jared Vincent Ross

A.A. Liberal Arts TV Production & Liberal Arts Humanities

Honors: President's List: fall 2009; Dean's List: -spring 2007, spring 2009
Organizations: Served as an EOF Peer Counselor in the summer of 2008 and has been an active tutor since in the areas of math, computers, reading and english. Since 2006, Jarel has been very active in the Faith Fellowship Club serving as their vice president
Future Plans: To transfer to either Fairleigh Dickinson University or Wilmington University on the Cumberland County College campus and obtain a bachelor's degree in Liberal Arts/Humanities. His future goal is to have his own television situation comedy.

Outstanding Achievement

Jarel Jared Vincent Ross

**A.A. Liberal Arts TV Production &
A.A. Liberal Arts Humanities**

Jarel is also the recipient of an Academic Achievement Award.

Drew University 2 Student Nominations

Academic Achievement

Cynthia Vanessa Corrochano

B.A. Psychology & Spanish

Honors:

Epsilon Omega Psi Honor Society; Chi Alpha Epsilon National Honor Society; Sigma Delta Pi Spanish Honor Society

Organizations:

Language in Motion, Spanish facilitator; International Scholar Laureate Program delegation on Diplomacy & International Relations; Student Government Association, freshman and sophomore senator; SGA Diversity Committee, representative; Orientation Committee

Future Plans:

To pursue a career in the field of Law

Outstanding Achievement

Gregorio Marrero

B.A. Anthropology

Organizations:

Ariel Latino Student Organization, webmaster; Multicultural Student Outreach committee, chair; Educational Opportunity Scholars Student Council, chair & senior adviser; The Other End - Coffee House, manager; Educational Opportunity Scholars Summer Enrichment Program, peer counselor

Future Plans:

To pursue a career in higher education upon graduation

Essex County College 38 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Estelle Ayoko Akovi

A.A.S. Nursing

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, spring 2008; Phi Theta Kappa

Future Plans:

Estelle is preparing to take her RN board examination and she has been accepted into the BSN program at Rutgers University, Newark.

Divine Joy A. Akparanta

Honors:

Organizations:

Future Plans:

A.S. Biology/Pre-Med

Dean's List: fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, spring 2009
Essex County College Student Government, treasurer
Divine Joy plans on going to medical school.

Diana O. Assibour

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.S. Accounting

Phi Theta Kappa
Diana plans on transferring to a four-year institution to earn a bachelor's and MBA degrees in Accounting. She wants to be a CPA.

Evelyn Nichole Eva Bennett

Future Plans:

A.A. Education

Evelyn has been accepted into an education program at Montclair State University. She plans on obtaining her BA and MA degrees from MSU.

Gabriela Checo

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.S. Accounting

Dean's List: fall 2008, fall 2009
Gabriela plans to be a CPA.

Juana Brondalisy David

Future Plans:

A.A. Liberal Arts

Juana plans to become a Psychologist and a College Professor.

Karen Odily Flores

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.A. Education

Dean's List: spring 2007, summer 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, summer 2009, fall 2009
Karen plans to transfer to Montclair State University to obtain a bachelor's degree in Education.

Virginia Genardi

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.A. Liberal Arts

Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2007, spring 2007, fall 2008, spring 2008
Virginia plans on transferring to Rutgers University to obtain a degree in Public Administration.

Patricia I. Gonzales

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.A. Education

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2008, fall 2009
Patricia plans to attend Rutgers University, Newark and pursue a career in Education.

Anne Jure

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.A. Education

Dean's List: for three semesters
Anne plans on getting a master's degree in Education.

Rafaela Made

Future Plans:

A.A. Education

Rafaela's plan is to get a job so that she can take care of her family.

Roseline A. Onyuku**Honors:****Future Plans:****A.A.S. Nursing**

Dean's List: four semesters; Phi Theta Kappa
Roseline plans on transferring to Kean University to obtain a bachelor's degree in Nursing.

Angela W. Paden**Future Plans:****A.S. Social Science**

Angela plans to continue her education at Rutgers University or Montclair State University in fall 2010.

Willene Profit**Honors:****Future Plans:****A.S. General Science**

Dean's List: twice
Willene plans on going to graduate school.

Cesar David Quitero**Honors:****Organizations:****Future Plans:****A.S. Criminal Justice**

Phi Theta Kappa
Student Support Services
Cesar plans on getting a master's degree in Criminal Justice.

Jonathan D. Villa-Gonzales**Honors:****Organizations:****Future Plans:****A.S. Engineering**

Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, March 2009
Math Club; SHPE Club
Jonathan plans on transferring to New Jersey Institute of Technology to obtain a degree in Civil Engineering.

Academic Achievement**Bertha Agyenim Boateng****Future Plans:****A.A.S. Nursing**

Bertha is preparing for her RN board examination and will continue her Nursing education at William Paterson University in fall 2010.

Liza Elswith Anderson**Honors:****Future Plans:****A.S. Social Science**

Dean's List: two semesters
Liza wants to get into a Nursing program and will not stop until she receives a master's degree in Nursing.

Rodrigo Fernando Balarezo**Honors:****Future Plans:****A.S. Business Administration**

Dean's List: fall 2005, spring 2006, spring 2008
Rodrigo plans on transferring to a four-year institution to obtain a bachelor's degree.

Devo Saavedra Balmakund**Honors:****Future Plans:****A.A.S. Nursing**

Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007
Devo plans on obtaining both a bachelor's and master's degrees.

Desiree Chosolm**Honors:****Future Plans:****A.S. Business Administration**

Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2008
Desiree's plans to start her own business.

Wezven Dorvil	A.S. General Science
Future Plans:	Wezven wants to be a Dental Hygienist.
Jessica Fajardo	A.A. Education
Future Plans:	Jessica plans to obtain a bachelor's degree then a masters degree in Special Education.
Melisa Gonzalez	A.S. Criminal Justice
Future Plans:	Melisa will be doing her internship at the Essex County Court this summer and continue her educational career at Rutgers University in fall 2010.
Cristina Isabel Guerra	A.S. Business Administration
Organizations:	Latino Students Association
Future Plans:	Christina plans to go to graduate school and earn an MBA.
Rauwshan I. Howard	A.S. Business Administration
Honors:	Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2008, fall 2009
Future Plans:	Rauwshan plans on transferring to Montclair State University where he will earn a degree in Business Administration.
Marteena M. Isle	A.S. Accounting
Organizations:	Student Government Association, secretary; Caribbean Club, president
Future Plans:	Marteena plans on transferring to a four-year institution in 2010.
Mavis Aku Kpeli	A.S. General Science
Honors:	Dean's List: fall 2009
Future Plans:	Mavis plans to obtain a bachelor's degree then proceed to graduate school.
Yamonna M. Lewis	A.A.S. Human & Social Services
Honors:	Dean's List: fall 2009
Future Plans:	Yamonna plans to obtain a bachelor's degree in Social Work from Rutgers University, Newark.
Eliana Lizardo	A.A.S. Chemical Technology
Future Plans:	Eliana will continue her education at Rutgers University, fall 2010.
Maira Jocelyn Mendoza	A.S. Social Science
Future Plans:	Maira plans on continuing her educational career at Kean University. She wants to become a Child Psychologist.
Delfina Morocho	A.S. Accounting
Future Plans:	Delfina plans on transferring to Kean University to pursue a degree in Accounting.

Esther P. Rajah**A.S. Accounting****Future Plans:**

Esther currently attends Rutgers Newark where she is pursuing a bachelor's degree in Accounting.

Ines Herminia Reyes-Mirabal**A.S. Business Administration****Transferred from:**

Universiddo Nacional Moyor De SDN Marcos

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009

Future Plans:

Ines plans to obtain an MBA.

Jamal A. Watts**A.A. Liberal Arts****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2008.

Future Plans:

Jamal plans on transferring to Rutgers University to obtain a BSW and MSW.

Outstanding Achievement**Eriberto Perez****A.S. Social Science****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2008

Future Plans:

Eriberto plans on transferring to Montclair State University.

Fairleigh Dickinson University - College at Florham
6 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement**Nathalie Gonzalez****BA/MA Hotel/Restaurant/ Tourism****Management****Honors:**

Dean's and Honor's List every semester in attendance since 2006; Chi Alpha Epsilon National Honor Society, 2008; Charter Day Scholarship recipient

Organizations:

Student Government Association, member

Future Plans:

To complete a master's degree in Hotel, Restaurant And Tourism Management and begin a career in that field

Sabrina Noel**B.A. Political Science and Sociology****Honors:**

Honor's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, and spring 2009; Dean's List: fall 2008, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society; Order of Omega

Organizations:

Student Volunteer Association

Future Plans:

To attend law school

Ana Rodriguez

B.S. Global Business Management

Transferred from:

Raritan Valley Community College

Honors:

Dean's List: every semester; Honor's List: every semester; Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society, spring 2010

Future Plans:

To complete an internship in corporate telecommunications and attend graduate school

Kelly A. Sponeybarger

B.A. Individualized Studies

Transferred from:

County College of Morris

Honors:

Dean's List: every semester; Honor's List: every semester; Alpha Beta Gamma National Business Honor Society; Phi Theta Kappa National Honor Society; Chi Alpha National Honor Society

Organization:

Girl Scout Leader

Future Plans:

To pursue a career in Human Resources and to obtain a master's degree

Academic Achievement

Jessen Venord

B.S. Biology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon National Honor Society

Organizations:

Florham Park First Aid Squad, volunteer

Future Plans:

To attend medical school

Outstanding Achievement

Marisha R. Kennedy

B.A. History

Organizations:

Association for Black Collegians; Black History Month Committee; Madison Project every semester (campus community service program); employed by the Campus Academic Support Center

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school

*Fairleigh Dickinson University - Metropolitan Campus
10 Student Nominations*

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Genesis Arce

**B.S. Hospitality & Tourism
Management**

Transferred from:

Hudson County Community College

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, EOF Honor's Society, spring 2010

Future Plans:

To obtain a management position in a four star establishment

Joanna Buz**B.S. Nursing**

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, spring 2008; Emerald Upgrade, spring 2009
- Organizations:** Volunteer Clark Nursing Home and volunteer Robert Wood Johnson University Medical Rehabilitation Center
- Future Plans:** To become a Registered Nurse

Kerstin Calwer**B.A. English Language & Literature**

- Transferred from:** Burlington County College
- Honors:** Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008; Chi Alpha Epsilon, spring 2009
- Future Plans:** To continue to participate in equestrian sports and to eventually pursue a master's degree

Javia Jackson**B.A. Criminal Justice**

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2005, spring 2006, fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, fall 2009
Chi Alpha Epsilon, spring 2007; Emerald Upgrade, spring 2009
- Organizations:** Nubian Ladies Making Vital Progress

Vanessa Jimenez**B.A. Criminal Justice**

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, spring 2008; Ruby upgrade, spring 2009; Emerald upgrade, spring 2010
- Organizations:** Multicultural Council, vice president (2009-2010); Criminal Justice Club, assistant treasurer (2009-2010); Student Government Association, multicultural senator (2008-2009); Nubian Ladies Making Vital Progress (2008-2009); Campus Standards Committee
- Future Plans:** A career with the federal government

Dileiny Paulino**B.A. English**

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2005, spring 2006, fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008; Chi Alpha Epsilon, spring 2006
- Organizations:** Organization of Latin Americans (OLA), fall 2004 - spring 2005
- Future Plans:** To attend graduate school to obtain a master's degree in Social Work and pursue a career as a Social Worker

Academic Achievement

Indra I. Aracena

B.A. Criminal Justice

- Honors:** Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon (EOF Honor's Society), spring 2008; Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society, fall 2008
- Organizations:** Student Programming Board, fall 2008 - spring 2009; Precision Step Team, fall 2006 - spring 2007
- Future Plans:** To attend law school to pursue a career as a Criminal Defense Attorney

Talaya Darcelle Elizabeth Redman

B.A. Psychology

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, spring 2009
- Organizations:** Resident Assistant, fall 2007 - spring 2009; Cheerleading, fall 2006 - spring 2007
- Future Plans:** To attend graduate school to obtain a master of arts degree in Forensic Psychology

Norma B. Reyes

B.A. Psychology

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, spring 2008
- Organizations:** Psychology Club, fall 2007 - spring 2008; Organization of Latin America (OLA), fall 2006 - spring 2007
- Future Plans:** To attend graduate school to obtain a master of arts degree in School Psychology

Outstanding Achievement

Shailyn Palin

B.A. Communications

- Honors:** Dean's List: spring 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, spring 2009
- Organizations:** Multicultural Council, president, 2008-present (the organization recently won the Youth Leadership Award of Bergen/Passaic County); resident assistant, 2007-2009; Office of Student Life 2007 - present, student worker; Student Government Association, SGA senator 2007; intern at WFDU with Barry Sheffield; organized "Adopt An Angel" - a planned holiday event for children of low-income families from Bergen County 2007-2009; active participant in the LUPUS, AIDS and Breast Cancer Awareness walks and events from 2006 - 2009
- Future Plans:** Planning a career in radio or television broadcasting

Felician College
7 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Adam Ramadan

B.S.N. Nursing

Transferred from: Bergen Community College
Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, fall 2009
Organizations: Student Nursing Association; Honor Council; Board of NJ Nursing Students Inc.
Future Plans: To obtain employment and attend graduate school

Shirly Ramirez

B.A. Graphic Design

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2009
Future Plans: Plans to attend graduate school and pursue a master's degree

Diondra Smith

B.S.N. Nursing

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2005, fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, fall 2009
Organizations: Diondra has attended the nursing conferences every year since her acceptance into Felician College.
Future Plans: To begin a career in Nursing working at a local hospital or clinic

Conrad Symbor

B.A. Business Administration

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009
Organizations: Member of the Felician College soccer team throughout his undergraduate studies
Future Plans: To attend graduate school and earn a master's degree

Miguel Ventura

B.A. Special Education

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009.
Organizations: Resident assistant for four years
Future Plans: To obtain a full-time teaching position and attend graduate school

Outstanding Achievement

Denys Sanchez

B.S. Biology

Organizations: Resident Hall Association: peer supporter for three years and resident assistant for one semester
Future Plans: Obtain a job at Hoffman LaRoche Pharmaceutical Company

Georgian Court University

3 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Deadra O. Brown

B.A. English

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2008 – present; Delta Eta Chi Alpha Epsilon National Honor Society - April 2006; Freshmen Honor Society - October 2006; and Omicron Delta Kappa - November 2009

Organizations:

Mercy Collegiate Society (founding member), September 2008; Resident Halls Association, December 2006 - August 2008; EOF Resident Advisor, Summer 2006 - summer 2009; Head Resident Advisor for Residence Life, August 2009 – present; Women in Leadership Develop (WILD), 2005 - present; Student Support Services tutor, August 2006 - present; Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges, 2009-2010

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school

Jaime E. Maring

B.A. Art Education

Transferred from:

Ocean County College

Honors:

Dean's List: 2007-2009; Delta Eta Chi Alpha Epsilon National Honor Society, May 2008

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school in the near future

Outstanding Achievement

Deadra O. Brown

B.A. English

Deadra is also the recipient of an Outstanding Academic Achievement award.

Gloucester County College

8 Student Nominations

Distinguished Scholar

Gregory S. Hopely

A.A. A&S History/Political Science

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2008, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa National Honor Society; New Jersey Student Assistance Reward Scholarship (NJSTARS) recipient

Future Plans:

To transfer to Rowan University in the fall

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Amanda L. Brown

A.S. Nursing

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009; Phi Theta Kappa; New Jersey Student Assistance Reward Scholarship (NJSTARS) recipient

Future Plans:

Pursue a bachelor of science in Nursing degree from Rowan University or Rutgers University

Samuel A. Manner

A.S. Business Administration

Honors:

President's List: fall 2008; Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa National Honor Society; New Jersey Student Assistance Reward Scholarship (NJSTARS) recipient

Future Plans:

To transfer to Rowan University, Rutgers University-Camden or Fairleigh Dickenson University to further his education in Business Administration

Louis J. Piscopo

A.S. Law Enforcement

Honors:

President's List: fall 2008; Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 200

Future Plans:

Employment in a local police department

Joshua J. Quinn

A.A.S. Computer Graphic Arts- InterMedia

Honors:

President's List fall 2008; Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa National Honor Society; New Jersey Student Assistance Reward Scholarship (NJSTARS) recipient

Future Plans:

To transfer to Bloomfield College to further his education in video gaming

Natasha J. Singh

A.A. Psychology

Honors:

President's List: fall 2008, fall 2009; Dean's List: spring 2009, summer, 2009; Phi Theta Kappa National Honor Society

Organizations:

President of the Psychology Club, member of the EOF Club, Multicultural Club and a member of the Student Advisory Board.

Future Plans:

To seek employment and attend Rutgers University

Matthew P. Williams

A.A.S. Computer Graphic Arts- Print

Honors:

President's List: fall 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Dean's List: spring 2008

Future Plans:

To attend Rowan University or Temple University

Outstanding Achievement

Natasha J. Singh

A.A. Psychology

Natasha is also the recipient of an Outstanding Academic Achievement award.

Hudson County Community College
18 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Carl Clemons

A.A. Liberal Arts

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa

Future Plans:

To attend New Jersey City University in fall 2010

Aycha Edwards

A.A. Liberal Arts

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, June 2009

Future Plans:

To transfer to Rutgers University in fall 2010

Sana Faruque

A.A. Liberal Arts - Business

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, February 2010

Kristina Ferdous-Harb

A.S. Chemistry

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2008; Phi Theta Kappa, October 2008

Future Plans:

To transfer to Montclair State University

Jimmy Gonzalez

A.A. Liberal Arts

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, February 2009

Future Plans:

To transfer to Rutgers University

Zachary Newsome

A.A. Liberal Arts - Criminal Justice

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon

Future Plans:

To transfer to New Jersey City University

Erika Velez

A.A. Liberal Arts - Criminal Justice

Transferred from:

Seton Hall University

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, June 2009

Future Plans:

To transfer to Rutgers University

Zoraida Veras

A.A. Liberal Arts - Early Childhood

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, July 2009

Future Plans:

To transfer to Kean University

Academic Achievement

Kianna Frakes

A.A. Liberal Arts - Early Childhood

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009

Future Plans:

To transfer to New Jersey City University

Albert Hanna **A.A. Liberal Arts - Criminal Justice**
Honors: Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009
Future Plans: To transfer to Montclair State University

Brittany Lett **A.A. Liberal Arts - Criminal Justice**
Honors: Phi Theta Kappa, fall 2008
Future Plans: Currently attending New Jersey City University

Hemal Patel **A.A.S. Electronics Engineering**
Honors: Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009
Future Plans: To transfer to New Jersey Institute of Technology

Milagros Peralta **A.A. Liberal Arts - Business**
Honors: Dean's List: fall 2008
Future Plans: To transfer to New Jersey City University

Madinah Person **A.A. Liberal Arts - Business**
Honors: Dean's List: spring 2009
Future Plans: To transfer to Rowan University

Outstanding Achievement

Jimmy Gonzalez **A.A. Liberal Arts - Criminal Justice**
Honors: Dean's List: fall 2009, Phi Theta Kappa, February 2009
Future Plans: To transfer to Rutgers University



Outstanding Academic Achievement

Leigh A. Buenvenida **B.S.N. Nursing**
Transferred from: Ocean County College
Honors: Dean's List: spring 2007, spring 2008; EEO Honor's List: spring 2007, spring 2008; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society, spring 2009
Organizations: Nursing Society of Kean University; certified in Medical Surgical Nursing; certified in Adult and Pediatric Life Support; Licensed Registered Nurse
Future Plans: As a Registered Nurse, to become an Acute Care Nurse

Michelle M. Chatman

B.A. Early Childhood Education

Transferred from: Union County College
Honors: Dean's List: spring 2009 and fall 2009; EEO Honors List: spring 2009, fall 2009; Kappa Delta Pi National Collegiate Honor Society; Psi Chi, Psychology Honor Society; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society
Organizations: Early Childhood Club, president, fall 2009 and spring 2010, treasurer, fall 2008 and spring 2009; Psychology Club, vice president, fall 2008 and spring 2009; Big Brother Big Sister Program, September 2008 to June 2009
Future Plans: To secure a teaching position and attend graduate school

Angelica Conza

B.A. English/Teacher Certification

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2006 - fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society, spring 2009; Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges, 2008 - 2009
Future Plans: To obtain a full-time teaching position and pursue graduate studies

Danielle M. Dischler

B.A. Elementary Education/K5/5-8

Transferred from: Ocean County College
Honors: Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2008, spring 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society Kappa Delta Pi induction, spring 2010
Future Plans: To get a position as an Elementary Education School Teacher and begin graduate studies toward a master's degree and ultimately a PhD

Candida A. Gonzalez

B.A. Elementary Education/Bilingual

Transferred from: Middlesex County College
Honors: Dean's List: spring 2006; EEO Honor's List: fall 2004; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society
Organizations: Robert N. Wilentz School Clothing Closet; My Goal Inc.; Restoring Hope in Autism Support Group -- The Children's Hospital at St. Peter's University Hospital
Future Plans: To pursue a master's degree in Special Education

Alexandria S. Hicks

B.S. Management Science-General

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2007 - fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2006 - fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society, spring 2009; Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges, 2008-2009
Organizations: AESNJ Kean University Chapter, vice president (2009 – 2010), secretary (2008 – 2009); EEO Program peer counselor, 2008 - present

Future Plans: To earn a promotion to a managerial position at Firestone where she is now employed and to pursue graduate studies

Yolanda Celeste Holmes-Lesuer

B.A. Public Administration

Transferred from: Middlesex County College

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; EEO Honors List: fall 2008 - fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society

Future Plans: Currently enrolled in the MPA program at Kean University and employed full-time with Middlesex County Area Transit

Christopher D. Jefferson

B.A. Speech Correction

Transferred from: Brookdale Community College and Middlesex County College

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009; Honors List: fall 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society

Organizations: Member of Project Smile (a non-profit organization for children with cleft palates) 2008 to present

Future Plans: To attend graduate school and continue community outreach involvement

Demell I. Kearney

B.A. Public Administration

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2005, spring 2006 – fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2005 – fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society; Lambda Alpha Sigma Honor Society

Organizations: African Student Association; Africana Studies Club; volunteer for many community service projects

Future Plans: To pursue full-time employment

Thomas A. Majeski

B.A. Media/Film Broadcast

Transferred from: Ocean County College

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2008 - fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2008 - fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society

Future Plans: To pursue employment in the field of news and media

Melissa N. Marcelo

B.S. Accounting

Transferred from: Ocean County College

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society; Beta Chi Chapter of the Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society, spring 2008

Future Plans: To pursue a master's degree in Accounting while preparing for the CPA exam; currently employed by U.S. Taxes, Inc. as a Tax Preparer/Tax Consultant

Lauren M. McCarty

B.A. Teacher of Students w with Disabilities

**Transferred from:
Honors:**

Middlesex County College
Dean's List: fall 2007 - fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2007 - fall 2009; EEO 4.0 Club: fall 2007; Phi Theta Kappa; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society; Dr. Nickie B. Berson Special Education Scholarship Fund

**Organizations:
Future Plans:**

Daisy Walk and Breakfast Volunteer, George Street Playhouse
Seeking a full-time teaching position and hopes to become a mentor to undergraduate college students majoring in Teacher of Students with Disabilities

Mariasela Prieto

B.A. Psychology

**Transferred from:
Honors:**

Middlesex County College and Rutgers University
Dean's List: fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society, spring 2010; Psi Chi International Honor Society in Psychology, spring 2010

Future Plans:

To obtain a master's degree in Psychology

Parhin Rahman

B.S. Accounting

**Transferred from:
Honors:**

Ocean County College
Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society

Future Plans:

To obtain full-time employment in the field of Accounting and to study for the CPA exam

Luis Rivera

B.A. Theater

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2000, spring 2001, fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008; EEO Honor's List: fall 2000, spring 2001, fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society

Future Plans:

To pursue an acting career

Vanessa A. Rodriguez

B.A. Early Childhood Education

**Transferred from:
Honors:**

St. Peter's College
Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2006 - fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society, spring 2008

Future Plans:

To obtain a full-time teaching position and to pursue graduate studies

Wilfredo Rosario

B.A. Physical Education/Health

**Transferred from:
Honors:**

Middlesex County College
Dean's List: fall 2008 - fall 2009; EEO 4.0 Club: spring 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2008 - fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society; Phi Delta Kappa, National Honor Society in Education; Psi

Organizations: Chi, International Honor Society in Psychology
Member of New Jersey Association of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance; United States Marine Corp. League, Jr. Vice Commandant

Future Plans: To begin a master's degree program in Exercise Science at Kean University in fall 2010 and to secure a full-time teaching position in Physical and Health Education, and to seek an adjunct teaching position at a college

Nicole Salib

B.S.W. Social Work

Transferred from: Middlesex County College

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009; EEO Honor's List: spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society, spring 2010

Future Plans: To obtain a master's of Social Work degree

Lisa J. Sebro

B.S.W. Social Work

Transferred from: County College of Morris

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society

Future Plans: To pursue a MSW degree at Kean University and to open a private practice as a Social Worker for the elderly and for those who care for the elderly

Academic Achievement

Jonathan Alzate

B.S. Management

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2008, spring 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2006, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society

Future Plans: To continue his employment with Jack Dolan and Sons Plumbing and to attend plumbing technology school and become a licensed Plumber

Khatija Awan

**B.S. Management
Science/International**

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society, spring 2009; Muslim Club

Future Plans: To travel to Pakistan for several months; pursue graduate studies

Yamell A. Buamscha

B.S. Finance

Transferred from: Union County College; Rutgers University, New Brunswick

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2008, spring 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society, spring 2009

Organizations: Garden State Soccer League, Rahway, NJ

Future Plans: Travel to Europe following graduation and pursue graduate studies in the near future

Alecia N. Charlton

B.A. Recreation Admin/Therapeutic Option

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2006, fall 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society, spring 2009

Future Plans: To obtain a full-time teaching position and to pursue graduate studies in the near future

Volodymyr Chelak

B.A. Biology

Transferred from: Middlesex County College and Raritan Valley Community College

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society, spring 2008

Future Plans: To pursue graduate studies

Yalisse D. Colon

B.A. Elementary Education

Transferred from: Essex County College

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2008; EEO Honor's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008 spring 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society, spring 2009

Future Plans: To seek a full-time teaching position and to pursue graduate studies in the future

Andrea E. Duran

B.A. Spanish - Teacher Education

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006 - fall 2008; EEO Honors List: fall 2006 - fall 2008; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society

Future Plans: To secure a teaching position in the field of Education

Noemia M. Goncalves

B.A. Elementary Education K5, K5-8

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2006, fall 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society: spring 2007

Organizations: Member of Portuguese Club

Future Plans: Seeking a full-time teaching position immediately after graduation and then pursuing a master's degree in Elementary Education

Evelyn Gonzalez

B.A. Teacher of Students with Disabilities

Transferred from: Monmouth University

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2006, fall 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society, spring 2008

Organizations: Knitting and Crocheting Club, president; Kean Pride; Spanish Club; Kean University Council for Exceptional Children; Lambda Chi Rho Sorority, pledge mistress

Future Plans: To obtain a full-time teaching position and to begin a master's degree program in Counselor Education

Michelle Hawroniak**B.S. Biology****Transferred from:**

Bergen Community College

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society volunteer for Diabetes Foundation and volunteer for Walk for Autism

Organizations:**Future Plans:**

To attend medical school

Silvana D. Idrovo**B.A. Early Childhood Education****Transferred from:**

Union County College

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009; Honor's List: spring 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school, pursue a degree in Clinical Psychology and open her own practice

Glasshebra Jones**B.A. Criminal Justice****Transferred from:**

Essex County College

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008; EEO Honor's List: fall 2008, spring 2009, all 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society

Future Plans:

Currently enrolled in MPA program at Kean University and plans to continue full-time employment as a Criminal Investigator with the East Orange School District

Sharnette T. King**B.A. Criminal Justice****Transferred from:**

Ocean County College

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008; EEO Honors List: fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega, spring 2009; Alpha Phi Sigma, the National Criminal Justice Honor Society

Future Plans:

To obtain a Law degree with the goal of becoming a state's attorney and to work on the State Parole Board

Jessica R. Lopez**B.S.W. Social Work****Transferred from:**

Middlesex County College

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2008 - fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society

Future Plans:

To pursue a MSW degree at Kean University

Melissa L. Merlo**B.A. Teacher of Students with Disabilities****Transferred from:**

Middlesex County College

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2008, fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: spring 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, fall 2009; EEO 4.0 Club: fall 2008, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society: spring 2008

Future Plans:

Graduated in January 2010 and is seeking a full-time teaching position with plans to pursue a master's degree program within the next two years

Shelby R. Miller

B.A. Political Science/Teacher Certification

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2009, fall 2009; EEO Honors List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society; Pi Sigma Alpha Political Science Honor Society
- Organizations:** CRLA (College Reading and Learning Association) and certified at the Master level; caller for Kean University Phonathon; EEO supplemental instructor and tutor
- Future Plans:** To obtain a Social Studies teaching position in a middle or high school

Marjorie L. Momperousse

B.S. Accounting

- Transferred from:** Middlesex County College
- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2008, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society, spring 2010
- Organizations:** Intern at Gallo Wine Sales of New Jersey, Elizabeth, NJ
- Future Plans:** To secure full-time employment in the Accounting field and pursue graduate studies

Elena E. Nolasco

B.S. Finance

- Transferred from:** Raritan Valley Community College
- Honors:** Dean's List: spring 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2008 - fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society, spring 2010
- Future Plans:** To maintain current position as Relationship Banker at Capital One Bank, Linden, NJ; pursue graduate studies in the near future

Jonathan Olavarria

B.A. History/Teacher Students w

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2009, fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: spring 2006, fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society
- Organizations:** Treasurer, African Student Association; student leader, Campus Crusade for Christ; member, Pan African Student Union; former peer ambassador and peer counselor, former president and vice president of AESNJ; youth minister at church; recipient of Lowell Harwood Scholarship and Wilmoth Roberts award
- Future Plans:** To obtain a teaching position in Newark or Jersey City and attend graduate school

Glorivee Otero Miranda

B.S. Management Science - Management

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2008; EEO Honor's List: fall 2006 - fall 2008, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society, spring 2009; Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges, 2008 - 2009
- Organizations:** Senior Class Treasurer, Student Organization Inc.; 2009 – 2010;

student intern for PSE&G through the CHCI Congressional Internship Program, Washington, D.C.; peer ambassador, EEO Program, summer 2007 - fall 2007; Association of Latin American Students (ALAS); emerging leaders/established leaders and gold leadership clubs of Kean University, fall 2008-spring 2010

Future Plans: To attend graduate school

Lissette Pacheco

B.A. Early Childhood Education

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2008 - fall 2009; EEO Honors List: spring 2006, fall 2006, spring 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society

Organizations: Association of Latin American Students (ALAS) - fall 2007 and spring 2008

Future Plans: Currently working as a Substitute Teacher with plans to attend graduate school and pursue an advanced degree in Education

Zahida Parveen

B.A. Biology

Transferred from: Brookdale Community College

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society; Garden State - LASAMP Scholar; New Jersey Stars Scholar; Edward J. Bloustein Distinguished Scholar

Future Plans: To attend medical school or a Physician Assistant program

Roohi S. Patel

B.A. Criminal Justice

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2008 - fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2007 - fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society, spring 2009

Future Plans: To obtain full-time employment in the Criminal Justice field and to pursue graduate studies

Lisandro Rodriguez

B.A. Mathematical Science

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; EEO Honors List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society; Ronald E. McNair Scholar; Gear Up Scholarship awardee

Organizations: Math Club; Association of Latin American Students; president of AESNJ, Kean Chapter; former vice president AESNJ, Kean Chapter; EEO peer counselor; math researcher; Association for Computing Machinery

Future Plans: To pursue a doctorate in Mathematics

Danielle K. Stanley

B.A. Elementary Education K5/5-8

Transferred from: Middlesex County College

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2008 - fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2007 - fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society

Future Plans: To obtain a full-time teaching position and to pursue graduate studies by fall 2011

Mona S. Vaidya

**B.A. Elementary Education/Earth
Science K-5/5-8**

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; EEO Honor's List: spring 2006, fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society
- Organizations:** Association of Indian Students; 5K Run/Walk for Children with Disabilities
- Future Plans:** To obtain a full-time teaching position immediately after graduation and to begin a master's degree program by fall 2011

Jana C. Walchak

B.S. Management--General Business

- Transferred from:** Ocean County College
- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009; EEO Honor's List: fall 2008, spring 2009; Epsilon Epsilon Omega Honor Society
- Future Plans:** To pursue graduate studies in the future

Outstanding Achievement

Lisandro Rodriguez

B.A. Mathematical Science

Lisandro is also the recipient of an EOF Academic Achievement Award.

*Mercer County Community College
5 Student Nominations*

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Sikander Khan

A.S. Business Administration

- Honors:** President's List: spring 2009, summer 2009; Dean's List: fall 2009
- Future Plans:** Will transfer to either The College of New Jersey or Rider University to major in Accounting and become a Certified Public Accountant

Shelly Robinson

A.A.S. Social Service

- Honors:** President's List: fall 2007; Dean's List: spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009
- Future Plans:** To transfer to Rutgers University to major in Psychology and become a Counselor/Social Worker

Academic Achievement

Tiffani L. Mabry

A.S. Criminal Justice-Corrections

Transferred from:

Morgan State University, Baltimore, Maryland

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Future Plans:

To transfer to Rutgers University to major in Criminal Justice/Corrections to become a Probation Officer

Barbara A Simmons

A.A.S. Social Service

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009

Future Plans:

To transfer to Rutgers University to major in Psychology and become a Counselor/Social Worker

Outstanding Achievement

Erika S. Herrera

A.S. Biology

Organizations:

PASS Club; PASS tutor; PASS peer mentor; LALDEF (Latin American Legal Defense and Education Fund); FUTURO tutor/mentor

Future Plans:

To transfer to Ramapo College to major in Biology, become a Physician Assistant and work for the program "Doctors without Borders"

Middlesex County College 12 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Artur I. Alchasov

A.A. Liberal Arts- Business

Honors:

Letter of Commendation: fall 2007; Dean's List: spring 2008 - fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa

Future Plans:

To attend Rutgers University School of Business

Edson Anorei Cornejo

A.A. Business

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009, spring 2010; Phi Theta Kappa

Organizations:

Democracy House Member

Future Plans:

To transfer to Rutgers University

Brian Lewis

A.S. Chemistry

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa

Syed T. Quadri

A.A. Business

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007; Phi Theta Kappa

Future Plans:

To attend Rider University

Jagmeet Singh Saini

Transferred from:
Honors:
Organizations:
Future Plans:

Rutgers University
Dean's List: fall 2009
Gurudwara Singh Sabha, Carteret
To attend Kean University to pursue his bachelor's degree in Finance

A.A. Business

Vien T. Vuong

Honors:
Future Plans:

Letters of Commendation: spring 2008, fall 2008; Dean's List: spring 2009
To transfer to New Jersey Institute of Technology

A.S. Computer Science

Academic Achievement

Song Cheng Chen

Honors:
Organizations:
Future Plans:

Letters of Commendation: fall 2008, spring 2008
International Union Club; International Chinese Association
To transfer to Rutgers New Brunswick

A.S. Computer Science

Shirley Collado

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009

A.A. Psychology

Sheneida L. Seward

Honors:
Future Plans:

Letters of Commendation: spring 2008, spring 2009
To transfer to a four-year college to obtain a bachelor's and master's degrees

A.A.S. Education Practitioner

Felicia N. Shelburne

Honors:
Future Plans:

Letters of Commendation: fall 2006, spring 2007
To transfer to a four-year institution to pursue a Nursing degree

A.S. Nursing

Martin Peter Stepnniewski

Honors:
Future Plans:

Dean's List: spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009
To obtain a bachelor's degree from Montclair State University and seek employment as a Concept Artist

A.F.A. Fine Arts

Outstanding Achievement

Aranda Nechelle Ekeocha

Organizations:
Future Plans:

Cross Country and Track
To transfer to Syracuse University to obtain her master's degree in Biology with plans to become a Science Teacher or a Physical Therapist

A.S. Biology

Monmouth University
13 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Jessica Ann Ball

B.A. English

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2009, fall 2008, fall 2007, spring 2007, fall 2006; Chi Alpha Epsilon-fall 2008; Sigma Tau Delta
- Organizations:** Monmouth University Knitting and Crocheting Club, president and founder
- Future Plans:** To pursue a master's degree in Library and Information Science

Csilla Monique Greiner

B.A. Psychology

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Phi Eta Sigma, spring 2007; Psi Chi, spring 2008; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2008
- Organizations:** Psychology Club; Psi Chi community service liaison; peer tutor; study abroad in Sydney Australia
- Future Plans:** To attend Seton Hall University and pursue a doctorate in Counseling

Andrea V. Lee

B.S.W. Social Work

- Transferred from:** Brookdale Community College
- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2007- spring 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, 2007; Chi Alpha Epsilon, 2009; Alpha Delta Mu, 2008
- Organizations:** Social Work Society (MU); Alpha Delta Mu treasurer, 2008-2009
- Future Plans:** Attending Fordham University NY (Graduate School Social Service)

Joseph Tyree Long

B.S. Business Management

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2008
- Organizations:** Honors School Student; S.C.O.R.E.S., president; NCNW, treasurer; Project B.A.M., mentor
- Future Plans:** To attend graduate school

Niles Barry Murphy

B.A. Music Industry/Political Science

- Honors:** Dean' List: fall 2006, spring 2007, spring 2009, fall 2009; Pi Sigma Alpha (Political Science Honors), spring 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2008
- Organizations:** Omega Psi Phi, spring 2008
- Future Plans:** To attend law school in the fall 2010 term

Natalie Lynn Rambone

B.A. Criminal Justice/Applied

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Who's Who Among Students in American Universities/Colleges, March 2008; Chi Alpha Epsilon, November 2008; Phi Eta Sigma, November 2007; Omicron Delta Kappa, April 2008; Alpha Phi Sigma National CJ Honor Society, July 2008

Organizations:

Student Government Association, current-president, events programming 2008-2009; senator 2006-present; Residence Hall Association, Winter Ball chair, 2008-present

Future Plans:

To attend law school

Academic Achievement

Lori B. Gates

B.A. Education

Anthropology/Special Education

Transferred from:

Ocean County College

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2005, fall 2006, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2008

Future Plans:

To be employed as a Special Education teacher in NJ

Denise Gonzalez

B.S. Business Management

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009, spring 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon

Organizations:

Students Creating Opportunities for Refinement, Excellence & Success (S.C.O.R.E.S); Study Abroad; Big Brothers Big Sisters

Future Plans:

To pursue a career in Human Resources specifically in job placement/training

Orin Ilford Mckay, Jr.

B.A. Criminal Justice

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2008; Chi Alpha Epsilon, November 20, 2008; Alpha Phi Sigma, June 2008

Organizations:

Student manager of the Monmouth University Baseball team

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school and become a NJ State Trooper

Kimberley Ann Sauerwald

B.A. Anthropology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006; Lambda Alpha Anthropology Honors Society; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2008

Organizations:

NJ Community Water Watch; History and Anthropology Honors Society

Future Plans:

To secure employment and/or attend graduate school

Jennifer Nicole Swan

B.S.W. Social Work

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009, fall 2007; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2008

Organizations:

track and field athlete

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school at Monmouth University

Katelynne Alexandra Wolf

**B.S. Marine & Environmental
Biology & Policy**

Honors: Dean’s List: fall 2005, fall 2007, fall 2008, fall 2009; Tri Beta (Biology) Honor Society; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society
Organizations: Water Watch; Capoeira Club; PowerShift
Future Plans: Internship at Cape Eleuthera Institute in Cape Eleuthera, Bahamas; attend graduate school in California

Outstanding Achievement

Valeria Jean Ballatori

**B.A. Communication/Public
Relations**

Transferred from: Brookdale Community College
Future Plans: To pursue a career in the Communications field



Outstanding Academic Achievement

Wardah Abuhadba

Transferred from: Passaic County Community College and William Paterson University
Honors: Dean’s List: fall 2009
Future Plans: Graduate school

Emily Marie Bisnauth

B.A. Jurisprudence & Justice Studies

Honors: Dean’ List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009
Future Plans: Law school

Dajia Erin Broady

B.A. Family & Child Studies

Honors: Dean’s List: spring 2007, fall 2007, fall 2008, fall 2009
Organizations: Students for African Unity, vice president; NAACP, event coordinator; Latin American Student Organization
Future Plans: Employment and graduate school

Dianne Feliciano

B.A. Psychology/ Sociology Minor

Honors: Dean’s List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009
Organizations: Salvation Army; assistant to Financial Literacy Leadership Program; Public Health Debate Team
Future Plans: To attend graduate school and pursue a career in Forensic Psychology

Jessica Gutierrez**B.A. Family and Child Studies****Honors:**

Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Epsilon Omega Psi: COP Honor Society; Sigma Alpha Lambda: National Leadership and Honors Organization; Kappa Omicron Nu: Honor Society

Future Plans:

To attend Union County College in the fall 2010 for a certificate in Interpreting American Sign Language and to pursue a master's degree in teaching American Sign Language at Columbia University or Gallaudet University

Francesca Hunt**B.A. Family and Child Studies****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Kappa Delta Pi Honor Society in Education

Future Plans:

To seek a full time teaching position and to attend graduate school

Sheyla Pamela Mejia**B.A. Communication Studies/Public Relations****Honors:**

Dean's List: spring 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:

Public Relations Student Society of America, secretary; Residential Leadership Council, event coordinator; community assistant

Future Plans:

To secure an entry-level position as a Corporate Events or Wedding Planner and to pursue a certificate or master's degree in Human Resources Management

Amit B. Rana**B.S. Finance and Management****Transferred from:**

Passaic County Community College

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009

Organizations:

Financial Management and Economic Society

Future Plans:

Work for two years and then attend graduate school

Katie Marrie Rodriguez**B.A. Family and Child Studies****Transferred from:**

College of St. Elizabeth

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Future Plans:

To enter the field of Education and eventually pursue a post graduate degree

Veronica Hope Tremble**B.A. Family and Child Studies****Transferred from:**

Passaic County Community College

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009

Future Plans:

To find employment as a Teacher and pursue a master's degree in Math

Krystal Ann Villano

B.S. Physical Education

Transferred from:

Brookdale Community College

Honors:

Dean' List: fall 2007, fall 2008

Janet Yu

B.A. Family & Child Studies

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:

Vice president of MINTCO

Future Plans:

To obtain a position as a Teacher

Academic Achievement

Fazlur R. Abdi

B.S. Mathematics

Transferred from:

Essex County College and St. Vincent College

Future Plans:

To become a Math Teacher

Peter J. Butler

B.A. Fine Arts (Art History)

Transferred from:

Warren County Community College

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009

Sheerah Ann Lee

B.A. Justice Studies: Jurisprudence

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2009

Organizations:

HRLDA

Future Plans:

Continue studies toward a master's degree, PhD and finally a Law degree

Myneka Macenat

B.S. Biology

Transferred from:

Rutgers University

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009

Christian P. Sierra

B.S. Accounting (Finance)

Transferred from:

Bergen Community College

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009

Organizations:

Accounting Society; NJ Society of CPA's; Financial Management and Economic Society; mentor in the Financial Literacy Leadership Program

Future Plans:

Seek employment in the field of Finance and pursue a designation as a Certified Financial Analyst

David Andrew Stith

B.A. English (Classics)

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2009

Repa Uddin

B.S. Accounting/Finance

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2005, spring 2007, fall 2008

Organizations:

Accounting Society; Financial Management and Economics Society

Future Plans:

To work for an accounting firm and sit for her CPA

Montclair State University - Health Careers Program
10 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Jean-Edson Belcourt

B.S. Molecular Biology

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009; Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society; Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society
- Organizations:** MSU emergency medical services, EMT certified (September 2007 - present); Minority Access to Research Careers Program, research assistant (May 2008 - present); Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society, treasurer (March 2007 - present); Minority Association of Pre-Medical Students (fall 2006 – present); Haitian Student Association, (fall 2006 – present)
- Future Plans:** Preparing for a career as a Physician, he has applied to and been accepted at several schools of Medicine and Osteopathic Medicine

Anastasia Maureen Clervil

B.S. Molecular Biology

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society (spring 2007)
- Organizations:** New Jersey Advocates for Education; Minority Association for Premedical Students; Haitian Student Association; Caribbean Student Organization; International Business Society; Residential Leadership Council; Transfer Hall Council (secretary, fall 2009); employed as an emergency medical technician and as a physician scribe
- Future Plans:** To become an Osteopathic Physician, specializing in Obstetrics and Gynecology

Iris Delia Gomez

B.S. Biology

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society, March 2007
- Organizations:** Minority Access in Research Careers/Undergraduate Student Training in Academic Research Program (MARC-USTAR)
- Future Plans:** A career as a Biomedical Researcher

Jodine Jamie-Ann Patterson

B.S. Molecular Biology

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society
- Organizations:** Reaching Everyone By Exposing Lies (REBEL U; MSU); Emergency Medical Technician-B; Peer Advocate; Peer Leader for New Student Experience; Caribbean Student Organization; Health Careers Program peer tutor for general chemistry I & II, intermediate algebra, organic chemistry I and biological sciences
- Future Plans:** To attend medical school

Jeannette Quinones

B.S. Biology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008;
Phi Kappa Phi, June 2009

Organizations:

Phi Kappa Phi; Change Collegiate Network (vice president and secretary); Minority Association for Pre-Health Students (MAPS); Assembly of Christian Churches Inc.; Puerta deSion Pentecostal Church (secretary, vice-president and president of the youth society)

Future Plans:

To work in an underserved community for the purpose of altering health care disparities; applying to schools to become a Physician Assistant

Academic Achievement

Katherine Rose Alberco

B.S. Molecular Biology

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007; Alpha Sigma Lambda, September 2008

Organizations:

Latin American Student Organization; historian of the Minority Association of Pre-Health Students

Future Plans:

To become a Physician

Angela Denise Charles

B.S. Molecular Biology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009

Organizations:

Peer leader of New Student Experience Program; Haitian Student Association (HSA); Caribbean Student Organization; Emergency Medical Technician - MSU emergency medical services

Future Plans:

To become a Physician

Alison Morel

B.S. Biology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2009; Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society, March 2007

Organizations:

Minority Association for Pre-Health Students

Future Plans:

A career in scientific research; applied to MS/PhD degree programs in Biomedical Sciences

Jairo Leder Sierra

B.S. Biology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2007, fall 2009; Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society, spring 2007

Organizations:

Minority Access to Research Careers Program (MARC); Minority Association for Pre-Health Students (MAPS); MSU Track and Field

Future Plans:

To pursue a PhD in Biomedical Sciences, with a concentration in Molecular Biology. Also hopes to conduct cancer research for the purpose of developing or refining drug treatments

Outstanding Achievement

Jodine Jamie-Ann Patterson

B.S. Molecular Biology

Jodine is also the recipient of an Outstanding Academic Achievement Award.

New Jersey City University

15 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Damaris A. Castillo

B. S. Finance

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, fall 2009
Organizations: Student Investment Management Group, chief administrator officer/sector manager, 2008 – present; National Society of Leadership and Success, treasurer, 2007-2008
Future Plans: To pursue master's degree in Business Administration

Tamika Harris

B. A. English

Transferred from: Essex County College
Honors: Dean's List: 2007-2010; Sigma Tau Delta, English Honor's Society, fall 2009
Organizations: National Society of Leadership of Success, 2008-present
Future Plans: To pursue a master's degree at New Jersey City University

Domenick Malinconico

B. A. International Business

Transferred from: Essex County College
Honors: Dean's List: 2008-2010; Delta Mu Delta Gamma Chapter, International
Organizations: Honor Society in Business Administration, 2009
Future Plans: Obtain an MA in International Business or International Relations or an MBA

Johanna P Mendoza

B. S. Marketing/Travel & Tourism

Transferred from: Rutgers University
Honors: Dean's List: spring 2008, spring 2009; National Society of Leadership and Success, spring 2010
Organizations: FELA
Future Plans: To obtain a master's degree in Marketing and a position in the hospitality industry

Thanh T. Nguyen

B. S. Accounting

Transferred from: Brookdale Community College
Honors: Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009; New Jersey City University Delta Mu Delta
Organizations: National Society of Leadership and Success
Future Plans: To obtain a job with an accounting firm, take the CPA exam and go to graduate school for an MBA

William Manuel Vasquez

B. S. Finance

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Delta Mu Delta Business Honors Society

Academic Achievement

Dania Alce

B. S. Community Health

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2008

Alyssa Keshia Boyce

B. S. Accounting

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007

Future Plans:

To pursue a career as an Auditor

Mabelt Y. Correa

B. S Criminal Justice

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2006, fall 2009, spring 2009

Future Plans:

Graduate school

Jaklin M. Hanna

B. A. Psychology/Early Childhood Education

Organizations:

Treasurer, Coptic Society, February 2010

Future Plans:

Planning to attend graduate school to pursue a master's degree in Counseling

Mikhail Kruglyak

B. S. Marketing

Transferred from:

Union County College

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009

Organizations:

World Language Club, president, 2008

Future Plans:

To become president of his own technology company - KMSPC, Inc.

Lawanda Ports

B. A. Psychology

Transferred from:

Essex County College

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009, summer 2009

Randa Fayez Teriak

B. A. Psychology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007

Future Plans:

Master's of Arts degree in Educational Psychology, professional diploma in School Psychology and School Psychology certification

Carmen M. Vasquez

B. S. Accounting

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2008

Outstanding Achievement

Randa Fayez Teriak

B. A. Psychology

Randa is also the recipient of an Academic Achievement Award.

New Jersey Institute of Technology

12 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Matthew Albano

B.S. Dual major: Mathematics and Physics

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2005, spring 2009; Albert Dorman Honors College spring 2007; Phi Eta Sigma (Freshman Honor Society) spring 2006; Pi Mu Epsilon (Math Honor Society) fall 2008

Organizations: Math Club; Chess Club; Wrestling Club

Future Plans: PhD in Mathematics

Luis Bustamante

B.S. Computer Engineering

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006 - spring 2009
Albert Dorman Honors College; Tau Beta Phi, spring 2007

Organizations: Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers (SHPE);
Electrical and Computer Engineering Club, president

Future Plans: Master's degree in Electrical Engineering, The Boeing Company, Huntsville, AL

Jefferson Cuadra

B.S. Mechanical Engineering

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009; Tau Beta Pi (Engineering Honor Society), December 2009; Pi Tau Sigma (Mechanical Engineering Honor Society), December 2008)

Organizations: American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME); Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers (SHPE); Granular Science Laboratory staff (webmaster)

Future Plans: To attend graduate school for Mechanical Engineering

Ross Flores

B.S. Civil Engineering

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009; Chi Epsilon, March 2009

Organizations: American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE)

Future Plans: Graduate school

Roger Saez

B.S. Chemical Engineering

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2005, spring 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009; Omega Chi Epsilon, The Chemical Engineering Honor Society, April 2009

Organizations: Hispanic Organization of Students in Technology; Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers, academic advisor, chair, 2008-2009; Omega Chi Epsilon, The Chemical Engineering Society, secretary, fall 2009 - spring 2009

Future Plans: To attend graduate school and obtain a PhD in Reaction

Engineering

Gerardo Tolentino

B.S. Chemical Engineering

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2005, spring 2006, fall 2006, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008

Organizations: Hispanic Organization of Students in Technology, secretary; Society of Hispanic Engineers (SHPE); Ronald McNair Post-Baccalaureate program

Future Plans: To attend graduate school to pursue a PhD in Genetics, Genetic Engineering, or Molecular Biology

Edwin Walker

B.S. Chemical Engineering

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006 - fall 2009; Phi Eta Sigma, April, 2007; Tau Beta Pi, April, 2009; Omega Chi Epsilon, April, 2009

Organizations: American Institute of Chemical Engineers (AIChE); Newman Catholic Christian Fellowship; Omega Chi Epsilon, vice president

Future Plans: To attend graduate school

Piotr Wiszowaty

B.S. Civil Engineering

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2005- fall 2009; Albert Dorman Honors College; Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honor Society, December 2009

Organizations: Participated in study abroad in the spring of 2008 at Jonkoping University in Sweden

Future Plans: Currently pursuing a master's degree in Geotechnical Engineering; working on the "Emerging Concepts in Economical Windmill Foundation Design" at NJIT

Academic Achievement

Jonathan James

B.S. Industrial Engineering

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2005, spring 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2009; Alpha Pi Mu, April 2008

Organizations: Phi Beta Sigma, president 2008 - 2009, sergeant-at-arms 2007 - 2008; Institute of Industrial Engineering (IIE), senate representative, spring 2008; National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE)

Future Plans: Pursue an MBA

Enkela Malellari

B.AR Architecture

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2005, spring 2006, fall 2006, spring 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009; Phi Eta Sigma Honor Society; National Honor Society

Organizations: ASU-Architecture Student Union; Phi Eta Sigma

Future Plans: To attend graduate school and obtain a master's degree in Architecture

Silvana Ortiz

B.S. Chemical Engineering: Minor in Biology

- Honors:** Dean's List: spring 2005, spring 2009; Tau Beta Pi, 2007
- Organizations:** Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers (SHPE), 2005; Society of Women Engineers (SEW), 2005; The American Institute of Chemical Engineers (AIChE), 2006
- Future Plans:** Merck & Co. Inc.; Recombinant Vaccine Technology September 2010

Outstanding Achievement

Ovril Maddan

B.S. Industrial Engineering

- Honors:** Dean's List: spring 2007, spring 2009, fall 2009; Alpha Pi Mu Honor Society, spring 2009 - present
- Organizations:** Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity Incorporated, vice president (fall 2008 - summer 2009), treasurer (fall 2009 - summer 2010); National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE), pre-college initiative chair (2005 - 2006)
- Future Plans:** To pursue a master's degree in Engineering in Management and an MBA

Ocean County College 10 Student Nominations

Distinguished Scholar

Jennifer L. Moran

A.S. General Education/Science

- Honors:** President's Honor List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009; Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society, April 2008; Beta Chi Chapter of the Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society, May 2008.
- Organizations:** First Year Seminar EOF peer leader, July 2009
- Future Plans:** Transferred to Rutgers University to pursue a degree in Biochemistry

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Pamela L. Amell

A.A. Liberal Arts

- Honors:** Dean's List: 2008, 2009
- Organizations:** the Business Club
- Future Plans:** Transfer to Kean University

Wendy J. Decker

A.A. Liberal Arts

- Honors:** Dean's List: 2007, 2009
- Future Plans:** Transfer to Kean University

Catherine M. Walters

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.S. Human Services Technician

President's Honor List: spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Beta Chi chapter of the Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society, May 2009; Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society, November 2009
To complete a certification in Drug and Alcohol Abuse Counseling and to transfer to Rutgers University or Georgian Court University to major in Social Work or Counseling

Academic Achievement

Allison L. Huggan

Honors:

Organizations:

Future Plans:

A.S. General Education/Science

President's Honor List: fall 2008, spring 2009
Tennis team
To major in Environmental Science at Rutgers University

Mark R. Klapschinski

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.S. General Education/Business

President's Honor List: spring 2009
To transfer to Kean University to pursue a degree in Accounting

Isabel O. Mosley

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.A. Liberal Arts

President's Honor List: fall 2008
Transferred to Kean University, majoring in Elementary Education

Kelly A. Osowski

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.A. Liberal Arts

President's Honor List: spring 2009, fall 2009
To transfer to Kean University to major in Elementary Education

Deshaun L. Rua

Honors:

Organizations:

Future Plans:

A.A. General Education/Humanities

President's Honor List: spring 2009, fall 2009
Rainbow Alliance, vice president; Film Club
Currently enrolled at The Richard Stockton College of New Jersey

Outstanding Achievement

Johanna Joyner

Organizations:

Future Plans:

**A.S./A.S. Human Services
Tech/Criminal**

EOF Alliance, three years, treasurer; work/study student in the Financial Aid Office and as a reservist through the summer; Organization for Black Unity; peer leader for First-Year Summer Leadership Institute, August 2009; Higher Education Student Assistance Authority's Student Advisory Committee
To transfer to Kean University and major in Criminal Justice

Passaic County Community College
14 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Yosmery Balbi

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.S. Business Administration
Chi Alpha Epsilon, Gamma Upsilon Chapter; the Business Club
To attend Rutgers University and to pursue an MBA

Tatjana Bursac

Future Plans:

A.A. Criminal Justice
To transfer to Rutgers University and pursue a BA degree
in Criminal Justice

Guillermo Cruzado

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.A.S. Information Technology
Dean's List: every semester; Phi Theta Kappa; Chi Alpha Epsilon,
Gamma Upsilon Chapter
To attend NJIT in the fall of 2010

Fernando Garay

Future Plans:

A.S. Science
To attend Rutgers University in the fall and pursue a degree in
Biology

Milagros Morales

Future Plans:

A.A. Early Childhood Education
To attend Montclair State University and earn teacher
certification to become an Elementary school teacher

Christina Payamps

Future Plans:

A.S. Science
To transfer to Rutgers University and pursue a BS degree in
Biology

Vince Pinero

Honors:

Future Plans:

A.A.S. Criminal Justice
Chi Alpha Epsilon, Gamma Upsilon Chapter
Will attend Rutgers University in fall 2010

Academic Achievement

Dalal Abuassi

Future Plans:

A.S. Mathematics
Will attend Montclair State University and pursue a BA degree in
Teacher Education with the goal of teaching Mathematics to
children

Cristhina Barrera

Honors:

Organizations:

Future Plans:

A.S. Accounting
Chi Alpha Epsilon, Gamma Upsilon Chapter 2008
Member of SGA and Business Club
To earn an MBA at Rutgers University

Rox-Anne Blackwood

Future Plans:

To earn an MSW degree and become a Social Worker

A.A. Human Services

Staycee Ann Marshall

Future Plans:

To attend William Paterson University

A.A. Humanities

Anthony Miller

Future Plans:

To attend Rutgers University and eventually graduate school

A.S. Exercise Science

Ruth Rodriguez

Organizations:

Radiography Club

A.A.S. Radiography

Outstanding Achievement

Anthony Miller

A.S. Exercise Science

Anthony is also the recipient of an Academic Achievement Award.

Ramapo College of New Jersey *9 Student Nominations*

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Bridget S. McIntosh

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Future Plans:

To contribute to the field of Nursing and continue her education

B.S.N. Nursing

Alisa M. Smith

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon National Honor Society; Order of Omega Greek Leadership Honor Society

Organizations:

Beta Kappa Sigma, president-2009; Ramapo Chorale, librarian (spring 2009); Skylark, librarian (spring 2009); CantaNova, librarian (spring 2009); Organization of African Unity, senior advisor (fall 2009); Ramapo Pride, member

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school for Music Business/Media Studies; planning to combine interests in advocacy and the arts to mold her career goals and serve her community

B.A Music

Academic Achievement

Anthony C. Harris

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, spring 2009; Alpha Lambda Delta, spring 2007; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2007

Organizations:

Brothers Making a Difference, senior advisor (2009 – present),

B.A. Psychology

president (2008 – 2009), secretary (2007 – 2008); Black Student Union, spokesperson (2009 – present), secretary (2007 – 2008); Peer Facilitation Program, 2008 - 2010; Men's Outreach Coordinator, 2010

Future Plans:

To pursue a PhD program in Race, Class, and Gender

Natalia E. Ludivier

B.A Visual Arts

Transferred from:

St. Peters College

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008; Chi Alpha Epsilon National Honor Society

Organizations:

Visual Arts Club

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school and earn a master's degree in Visual Arts

Pedro J. Martinez

B.A. Spanish Language Studies

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, spring 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, Spanish Honor Society

Organizations:

Spanish Club, president; Varsity Soccer; Italian Club; student assistant for soccer

Future Plans:

To teach Spanish to high school students and coach a soccer team

Diana A. Ohene

B.A. Visual Arts

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school in the fall 2010 and study Art Therapy

Isabella Perim

B.A. Literature

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon; Sigma Tau Delta

Organizations:

Campus Crusade for Christ; Italian Club

Future Plans:

To become a high school English Teacher

Gesmene Ulysse

B.S.N. Nursing

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2009; Alpha Lambda Delta, 2007; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2008; Order of Omega, 2009

Organizations:

Nursing Student Organization, 2006 – present; Omega Phi Chi Sorority, fundraiser, community service chair and president 2007 - present

Future Plans:

To seek employment at a hospital and continue her education in the field of Nursing

Outstanding Achievement

Anthony C. Harris

B.A. Psychology

Anthony is also the recipient of an Academic Achievement Award.

Raritan Valley Community College
2 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Israel Rodriguez

A.A. Business

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008; President's List: spring 2009

Future Plans:

Plans to attend a four-year institution

Outstanding Achievement

Carlos Carcamo

A.A.S. Business Management

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009

Future Plans:

Enlisting in Air National Guard in spring 2010

Richard Stockton College of NJ
13 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Alexandra L. Bakker

B.S. Business

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:

Stockton College Chorus

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school

Jennifer J. Barker

B.A. Criminal Justice

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon National Honor Society, March 2009

Organizations:

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, president, November 2008 - present; Alcohol Task Force; Greek Council; Alliance of Educational Opportunity Fund Students of NJ (AESNJ), parliamentarian, January 2008 - present; NAACP, coordinator of public relations October 2007; F.E.M.A.L.E.S., sergeant of arms, December 2009 - present; Executive Committee Campus Hearing Board, October 2009 - present

Future Plans:

To get a master's degree in Business and pursue a career in Law

Yan C. Chan

B.S. Biology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:

Asian Student Alliance

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school for Physical Therapy

Bhavleem Kaur**B.S. Biology****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2008, fall 2009

Organizations:

Presoma Club, treasurer, spring 2009; AtlantiCare Medical Center, team leader

Future Plans:

Would like to continue education in the fields of Physician Assistant and Optometry

Kevin Konrad**B.A. Historical Studies****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2005 - fall 2008; graduated magna cum laude, fall 2009; departmental honors in History, fall 2009

Organizations:

History Club; WLFR deejay

Future Plans:

Currently working for the National Library for the NIH and plans to go to graduate school in the future to pursue a PhD

Natalie Marie Kraft**B.A. / B.A. Psychology & Holistic Health****Transferred from:**

Atlantic Cape Community College

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2008, summer 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Psi Chi Honor Society for Psychology, fall 2008

Organizations:

Psi Chi, secretary, fall 2009 - spring 2010; Psychology Club

Future Plans:

To earn a PhD in Health Psychology and work as a Clinical Psychologist, conduct research and teach at the college level

Yen Ly**B.S. Biology****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2007, fall 2008

Organizations:

Community of Scholars

Future Plans:

Applying to Pharmacy school

Nicole McGee**B.A. & B.A. Literature & Teachers Ed****Transferred from:**

Atlantic Cape Community College

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; graduated magna cum laude, fall 2009; Sigma Tau Delta, fall 2008

Organizations:

Student NJEA

Future Plans:

Currently attending graduate school and pursuing a career in Education

Allen Jeffrey Taber**B.A. Criminal Justice****Honors:**

Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2008, summer 2008, spring 2009, summer 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:

Community of Scholars; Seashore Gardens, volunteer

Future Plans:

To pursue a position in the Criminal Justice field

Zaw Win

B.S. Psychology

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007; Psi Chi National Honor Society, October 2008; Chi Alpha Epsilon National Honor Society, February 2009

Organizations:

Psychology Club; Stockton Neighborhood Watch; Resident Assistant Council; Circle K International, Public Relations Chair fall 2009 - present; Alcohol Task Force Committee; intramural sports

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school and begin a career as a Student Affairs professional

Academic Achievement

Leonna Tiffany Carr

B.A. Psychology

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, March 2009

Organizations:

Alliance of Educational Opportunity Fund Students of NJ (AESNJ)

Future Plans:

Employment in her field of study

Rider University
6 Student Nominations

Academic Achievement

Esther Henriquez

B.A.S. Accounting

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, spring 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon; New Jersey Society of Certified Public Accountants scholarship recipient, spring 2009

Organizations:

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Incorporated, financial secretary; Accounting Society, vice president

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school

Outstanding Achievement

Rasheed Edwards

B.A.S. Business Economics

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008

Organizations:

EOP peer counselor; Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity; Rider University International Business Club

Rowan University - Camden Campus

8 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Phong T. Trinh

B.S. Chemistry

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2005 through fall 2009

Organizations:

Asian Cultural Association; recipient of various scholarships and awards: Broome Alumni, Verizon and the ACS Organic Chemistry award

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school to obtain a doctoral degree in Chemistry

Academic Achievement

Gisselly Castillo

B.S. Accounting

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2005, fall 2006

Organizations:

Alliance of United Cultures Club; Peer Mentoring/Ambassador program; student panel for incoming freshmen; ESL Newsletter committee

Future Plans:

To attend Rowan University for graduate school to pursue a master's in Business Administration

Persida Estevez

B.A. Accounting

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2005, spring 2006, spring 2007

Organizations:

Alliance of United Cultures Club; ESL Newsletter editorial committee

Future Plans:

To seek employment within the fields of Accounting or Education

Chaiana Santana-Urena

B.A. Law and Justice

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2008; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society

Organizations:

Alliance of United Cultures Club; Peer Mentoring/Student Ambassador Program; student panel for incoming freshmen; ESL Newsletter editorial committee; student writer and interviewer

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school at Rowan University to obtain a master's of science in Teaching

Ligia C. Velasquez

B.A. Sociology

Transferred from:

Transferred from Camden County College

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school at Rowan University to pursue a master's degree in Counseling in Educational Settings

Outstanding Achievement

Jessica Ramos

B.A. Law and Justice

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2008; Chi Epsilon Honor Society

Organizations:

Alliance of United Cultures Club; Peer Mentoring/Ambassador program; student panel for incoming freshmen

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school at Rowan University to obtain a master's of science in Teaching degree

Rowan University - Main Campus 13 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Wilmelys Almodovar

B.S. Biochemistry

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:

Golden Key International Honor Society, 2008; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society, 2007

Future Plans:

SGA Senator for NHBA 2006-2007; NHBA - SGA Representative 2006-2007

Jorlane Rios

B.A. Law & Justice

Future Plans:

To attend law school

Academic Achievement

Megan I. Coverly

B.S. Biological Science

Transferred from:

Camden County College and Gloucester County College

Organizations:

Biology Club

Tasheyla McLean

B.A. Public Relations

Honors:

Dean's List: 2006 - 2007, 2007 - 2008; Lambda Pi Eta Communication Honor Society, 2009; Mortar Board Honor Society, 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society, 2008

Organizations:

Ujima Mentoring Program, 2009 to present; Black Culture League, 2008 - present; PRESSA, vice president, 2009 - present

Rutgers University / Camden - Camden College of Arts & Sciences

17 Student Nominations

Distinguished Scholar

Linda Zekovitch

B.A. Sociocultural Anthropology

Transferred from: Camden County College and Wesley College
Honors: Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009
Organizations: American Anthropological Association (AAA); Applied Social Research Institute of Cambodia (ASRIC); Medical Anthropological Student Association (MASA)
Future Plans: To pursue a PhD in Medical Anthropology/Global Health

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Boris Bogdanovic

B.S. Finance

Honors: Dean's List: spring, 2007, fall 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009
Organizations: technical director, Marketing Association
Future Plans: To obtain an MBA

Lovepreet Buttar

B.S. Accounting and Finance

Transferred from: Burlington County College
Honors: Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009
Organizations: Beta Alpha Psi, vice president at Rutgers Camden
Future Plans: Has already secured full time employment at Mercadien starting July 2010; plans to obtain CPA within six months after graduation, return to Rutgers Camden in the near future for an MBA, and own her own restaurant within 6-10 years

Rose Dow

B.A. Childhood Studies

Transferred from: Burlington County College
Honors: Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; will graduate cum laude in May 2010
Future Plans: Employment with DYFS or Human Services; within 3-5 years plans to open and operate her own childcare center

Tamanna Gandhi

B.S. Accounting

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; recipient of the Alloy Silverstein and Co. Scholarship; Beta Alpha Psi Honor Society
Organizations: NJCPA and PICPA; Accounting Society
Future Plans: To become a CPA

Tony Hubbard**B.A. Psychology****Transferred from:**

Burlington County College

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009; member, Psi Chi Honor Society; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society; 2008 recipient of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Commission scholarship

Future Plans:

To complete a master's degree in Public Administration and obtain an administrative position at the federal level; eventually plans to enter public office

Thanh Thi Huynh**B.S. Accounting / Management****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall, 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Beta Alpha Psi, fall 2009

Organizations:

Accounting Society, secretary (spring 2009), president (fall 2009 - spring 2010)

Future Plans:

To obtain a CPA

Jeannette Melendez**B.A. Social Work****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009

Organizations:

Undergraduate Social Work Organization, treasurer

Future Plans:

Enroll in the MSW program at Rutgers - Camden starting in May 2010; as a Camden resident, hopes to use her master's in Social Work degree to advocate for city residents, in particular programs dealing with teen pregnancy prevention, teen mother classes, and other educational programs that will expose Camden City students to college with the hope of making them aware of post high school educational opportunities and careers

Maria C. Meneses**B.S. Nursing****Honors:**

Dean's List: spring 2007 fall 2008 spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:

peer mentor for freshmen/transfer students, 2007-2008; Latin American Student Organization, 2006-2008; Christian Catholic Fellowship Group, 2009; New Jersey Student Nurses Association, Oct. 2008 – present; community leader Rutgers Student Nurses Association, Jan. 2010 - present

Future Plans:

To work in a hospital emergency department or in a trauma unit and enroll in graduate school to get a master of science degree in Nursing with a focus in Adult Acute & Critical Care; be part of medical mission trips that need nurses for places affected by natural disasters; and, eventually, be a clinical instructor for Nursing students

Jessica D. Skorch**B.A. Psychology****Transferred from:**

Camden County College

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; President's List: entire college career 2005-2010; NHS-Psi Chi, 2010

Future Plans:

To pursue a master's in arts degree in Clinical/Counseling Psychology, followed by a PhD specializing in children and adolescents

Academic Achievement

Nancy Thi Duong

B.S. Chemistry/Biochemistry option

Organizations:

Miracle's Global Inc. nonprofit organization; volunteer, church's hospital

Future Plans:

To enter Pharmacy school in the fall 2010

Kamran Javed

B.S. Accounting

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009

Organizations:

Muslim Student Association (MSA); Accounting Society

Future Plans:

Take CPA exam during the summer and hopefully start a new business or franchise

Cecilia Denise Lewis

B.A. Psychology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009

Organizations:

Black Student Union

Future Plans:

To pursue a Doctor of Psychology degree in Clinical Psychology

Charity C. Okoye

B.A. Psychology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007, fall 2008

Future Plans:

To attend the accelerated BSN/MSN program at UMDNJ

Angel M. Roman

B.A. Music, Psychology

Honors:

Camden Honors College

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school and pursue an advanced degree in Psychology

Michael Thomas

B.A. Urban Studies

Transferred from:

Camden County College

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009; National Dean's List: 2006-2007; International Scholars Laureate program, 2008 student delegation to the People's Republic of China to observe major architectural and engineering projects

Future Plans:

To enroll in graduate school at Rutgers - Camden to pursue a master's degree in Public Policy and Administration/International Public Service and Development concentration with a goal of obtaining employment with the United Nations and working on international policy in developing countries

Outstanding Achievement

Desiree M. Martinez

B.A.S.W. Social Work

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009

Organizations:

Undergraduate Social Work Organization (USWO) since 2008-2009 and vice president 2009-2010

Future Plans:

Accepted to Rutgers University Graduate School of Social Work w/Certificate in Gerontology for the fall 2010

Rutgers University / New Brunswick - College of Engineering
7 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Sayyeda Fatima Ahmed

B.S. Mechanical Engineering

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, fall 2009; Pi Tau Sigma, September 2009

Organizations:

Rutgers University Women in Engineering Leadership League; Rutgers University Women Investing in and Guiding Students; Islamic Society of Rutgers University

Future Plans:

Employment at Merck as a Manufacturing Supervisor in global vaccines technology and engineering

Anthony J. Casale

B.S. Engineering

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Epsilon Civil Engineering Honor Society, fall 2008; Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honor Society, spring 2008

Organizations:

ASCE Rutgers Chapter (steel bridge captain in 2008 and 2009); Rutgers Wrestling Club; Chess Club; Outdoors Club

Future Plans:

To enroll in graduate school to pursue a master's degree and then to find a job at a structural engineering firm

Rayssa Sanchez Dominguez

B.S. Mechanical Engineering

Transferred from:

The Richard Stockton College of NJ

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2009; Gamma Sigma Alpha, spring 2010

Organizations:

Society of Hispanic Engineers; Lambda Theta Alpha Latin Sorority, Inc., chapter academic chair; Latino Student Council

Future Plans:

Has been hired by ExxonMobil Development Company as a Drilling Engineer and also plans to continue studies in the aerospace field

Academic Achievement

Sara Rios

B.S. Mechanical Engineering

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:

Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers (SHPE), community service chair; internal vice president; NJ vice regional student representative; national undergraduate representative

Future Plans:

To continue studying at the graduate level in Aerospace Engineering and Engineering Management

Nasir Uddin**B.S. Biomedical Engineering****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009

Organizations:

-em[POWER] Energy Group Inc.: Board of Directors and HR coordinator, Rutgers student chapter founder and president; Society of Hispanic Engineers, activities and recruiting chair; Interdisciplinary Students Promoting Global Outreach, co-founder; Presidential Board Hall Government Representative; NJPIRG, lead stream monitor

Future Plans:

Pursue employment in industry that focuses on medical devices, prosthetics, orthopedics, sports medicine, or spinal cord research; pursue a master's degree in Biomedical Engineering as well as an MBA

Qianwen Zhong**B.S. Chemical Engineering****Honors:**

Dean's List: spring 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2010; OXE (Omega Chi Epsilon, Chemical Engineering Honors Society), spring 2009

Organizations:

Society of Hispanic Engineers; Rutgers Cantonese Club; Rutgers Badminton Club; AIChE- r

Future Plans:

Employment as a Process Engineer in the chemical industry and pursue an MBA

Outstanding Achievement**Baris Turan****B.S. Electrical & Computer Engineering****Organizations:**

Minority Engineering Educational Task, EGC representative, 2005 - present

Future Plans:

Employment with Defense Integration Solutions as a Network Engineer

*Rutgers University / New Brunswick - College of Pharmacy
4 Student Nominations***Outstanding Academic Achievement****Oanh Chieu****Pharm. D. Pharmacy****Transferred from:**

Rutgers University - Camden

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2003, spring 2004, fall 2004, spring 2005, fall 2005, spring 2006, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society, January 2007

Organizations:

American Pharmacist Association (APhA), active member since September 2008; American Society of Health Systems Pharmacists (ASHP), active member since September 2008

Future Plans:

Will be a Walgreen's Pharmacist after getting licensed

Long H. Nguyen**Pharm. D. Pharmacy****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2004, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society, fall 2007 - present

Organizations:

Vietnamese Student Association, September 2004 – present; American Pharmacist Association, September 2008 - present

Future Plans:

To seek employment in a retail setting and to pursue an MBA

Romelia Orellana**Pharm. D. Pharmacy****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2005 – present; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society, Gamma Chapter, since 2006

Organizations:

American Pharmacists Association, since 2006; New Jersey Pharmacists Association, since 2006; Student National Pharmaceutical Association, since 2006; Professional Compounding Centers of America

Future Plans:

Will work for Walgreen's as a community Pharmacist

Outstanding Achievement**Loribeth Vallejo****Pharm. D. Pharmacy****Honors:**

Dean's List: spring 2005, spring 2006, fall 2009

Future Plans:

Will work for Walgreen's as a Pharmacist

Rutgers University / New Brunswick – SAS
35 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement**Mario G. Angulo****B.S. Biological Sciences****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, fall 2008; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society; National Society of Collegiate Scholars

Organizations:

Minority Association of Pre-Health Students, Historian (2008-2008); Foundation of International Medical Relief for Children; American Medical Student Association; Latin American Student Organization

Future Plans:

To attend medical school

Joan A. Arango**B.A. Communication and Spanish****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2009; Spanish Honor Society, Rutgers University; Phi Sigma Iota, International Foreign Language Society; Chi Alpha Epsilon, National EOF Honor Society Educational Opportunity Program Student Assembly, general body member, 2008

Organizations:**Future Plans:**

To pursue a career in Human Services

Shamala Florant**B.A. Information Technology****Transferred from:**

Essex County College

Honors:Dean's List: spring 2008, summer 2008, summer 2009, fall 2009;
Delta Epsilon Iota (December 2008)**Future Plans:**Seek employment in the field of Web Design and pursue a
master's degree in Information Technology**Amy J. Giunta****B.A. Marketing & Psychology****Honors:**Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall
2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, spring 2009; Psi Chi, spring 2009**Organizations:**Rutgers Association of Marketing Strategy; Rutgers University
Community Restitution Board; Hearing Committee, 1 year;
Rutgers Study Abroad Program, Italy, fall 2009; Catholic Student
Association, program coordinator, 2 years; Columbia University
Biostatistics Enrichment Summer Training Diversity Program
(research accepted by American Thoracic Society); research
assistant to pulmonologist Dr. David Lederer, summer 2009;
research assistant American Thoracic Society, 1 year**Future Plans:**To work for an organization in the non-profit sector and then
attend graduate school**Mina M. Hanna****B.S. Biological Sciences****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:Gamma Omega Delta, Multicultural Service Fraternity, founding
father and fundraising chair**Future Plans:**

To attend Podiatry medical school

Randy Jackson Jr.**B.S. Public Health****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:Rutgers Wrestling Club, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008; Black
Men's Collective, fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007; Office for
Diversity and Academic Success in the Sciences, fall 2006 - present**Future Plans:**

Attending Robert Wood Johnson Medical School

Jessica N. Martin**B.A. Spanish****Honors:**Dean's List: fall 2005, fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, fall 2008,
spring 2009; Rutgers Department of Spanish & Portuguese honors
program; Aresty undergraduate research grant recipient;
Livingston College EOF scholarship recipient; Chi Alpha Epsilon
National EOF Honor Society; Phi Sigma Iota International Foreign
Language Honor Society; Sigma Delta Pi; National Spanish Honor
Society**Organizations:**United Nations in New York City, intern; Eric B. Chandler Health
Center, medical interpreter; Johnson & Johnson mentoring
program through the Rutgers WINGS program; Rutgers Study
Abroad program, peer advisor; Rutgers TRIO Office of Student
Support Services, tutor; Galvanizing & Organizing Youth Activism

(GOYA), vice president; Ileret Educational Association (IEA), secretary; Rutgers University Capoeira Club
Future Plans: Volunteering with the Peace Corps or teaching abroad immediately after graduation; enroll in a graduate program in international relations or a related field; interested in a career with the U.S. State department

Rachel Denise Mitchell

B.A. English and History/Political Science

Transferred from: Mercer County Community College
Honors: Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2009, fall 2009; National Society for Collegiate Scholars, May 2008; Phi Alpha Theta, May 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, May 2009; Delta Epsilon Iota, May 2009
Organizations: National Society for Collegiate Scholars; Middlesex County Youth Advisory Board
Future Plans: To enroll in the MSW/JD program at Rutgers University

Sahil N. Parikh

B.S. Biological Sciences

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; National Society of Collegiate Scholars, spring 2008; Delta Epsilon Iota, fall 2008
Organizations: NJPIRG, New Jersey Water Watch, Rutgers Chapter, volunteer, fall 2006
Future Plans: To attend medical school

Parth Patel

B.A. Economics and Information

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009
Organizations: Alpha Phi Omega; Rutgers Golf Club; Rutgers new student orientation, orientation leader
Future Plans: Has secured a position as a Business Technology Analyst at JP Morgan

Sima M. Patel

B.S. Finance

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2006 - fall 09; Edward Bloustein Scholarship, September 2006
Organizations: Rutgers University Residence Life, resident assistant, fall 2007-present; Covance Pharmaceuticals, intern, summer and fall 2009
Future Plans: Employment as a Global Wealth Management Analyst at Bank of America Merrill Lynch after graduation

Ana Maria Pimentel

B.A. Biology

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2008; Alpha Epsilon Delta Pre-Medical Society, fall 2007; Douglass Scholar Honors Program, fall 2007 - present
Organizations: Latin American Student Organization, president (fall 2009 - spring 2010), secretary (fall 2008 - spring 2009); Voorhees Choir; Liberated Gospel Choir
Future Plans: To pursue a dual degree program in Podiatric Medicine and Public

Health (DPM/MPH)

Rosa Maria Rawlyk

B.A. Criminal Justice

Transferred from:

Brookdale Community College

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Future Plans:

To earn a MSW degree from Rutgers University

Estephanie Reyes

B.A. Psychology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Psi Chi National Honor Society, April 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society, spring 2009; Delta Epsilon Iota Honor Society, fall 2007

Organizations:

Latin American Student Organization (L.A.S.O) vice president, fall 2009; Belly Dance Troupe, vice president, spring 2009

Future Plans:

To apply for Teach for America and pursue a master's degree in Education with the goal of becoming an Elementary School Teacher

Yevgeniy G. Semenduyev

B.S. Accounting

Transferred from:

Middlesex County Community College

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007 to fall 2009; Beta Alpha Psi, Accounting and Finance Honor Society; Phi Theta Kappa, International Honor Society; National Society of Collegiate Scholars

Future Plans:

To pursue a career in Accounting

Marteha Divine Stewart

B.F.A. Visual Arts

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009

Organizations:

NJPIRG member; Study Abroad program in Italy

Future Plans:

Pursue a career in Art

Saeed Tarabichi

B.A. Cell Biology and Neuroscience

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:

Office of Diversity and Academic Success in the Sciences (ODASIS), MCAT Tutor, September 2009 to present; Rutgers University television network, evaluation team leader/mentor/hiring team member, April 2007 to present; Dept of Genetics/Center for Alcohol Studies, research assistant, February 2009 to present; Rutgers University Residence Life, community assistant, 1 year

Future Plans:

To attend medical school

Jennifer C. Veras

B.A. Spanish

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009; Sigma Delta Pi, Spanish Honor Society, spring 2009; National Society of Collegiate Scholars, spring 2008

Organizations:

Sociedad Estudiantil Dominicana community service and vice president, spring 2007-fall 2008; Rugby, fall 2008

Future Plans:

Currently attending the Graduate School of Education at Rutgers

University as part of the five year master's program for Certification for Pre-K through 5th Grade

Tsz Yiu Jacky Yen

B.A. Psychology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; National Society of Collegiate Scholars, 10/2009

Organizations:

Cantonese Student Association, fall 2006 - present; Rutgers University Student Life, student center office assistant, fall 2006 - present; Rutgers Department of Psychology, research assistant - Dr. Stromswold, fall 2008 & spring 2009

Future Plans:

Applying to graduate school programs in the area of Clinical Psychology

Academic Achievement

Syed Ammar

B.S. Biological Sciences

Transferred from:

Rutgers University, Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2008; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society, spring 2009

Organizations:

Muslim Student Association, spring 2008; Biology Club, fall 2008; Minority Association of Pre-Health Students, fall 2008; intramural flag football, spring 2010

Future Plans:

Pursuing a career in Health Care and plans to attend medical school or pursue a master's degree in Physician Assistant

Danilo Ayala

B.S. Economics

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009

Future Plans:

to either attend graduate school for an MBA degree or work full-time in her field

Shanecqua Nichole Bowser

B.A. Communication

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:

Novo Nordisk Law mentor program; INROADS; Study Abroad in Italy

Future Plans:

To pursue a master's program in Communication and then attend law school

Magdalena Dorvil

B.A. Biological Sciences

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009

Alpha Epsilon Delta Pre-Med Honor Society, fall 2008; National Society of Collegiate Scholars, fall 2008

Organizations:

First Haitian Church of God Youth Group, youth vice president; First Haitian Church of God of Trenton, Sunday school teacher; Rutgers Young Life (Urban Leader)

Future Plans:

To attend medical school

John Espinoza

B.A. Political Science

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009

Future Plans: To attend law school

Tanisha Nicole Hinton

B.A. Journalism/Criminal Justice

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2008

Organizations: NJPIRG; Elijah's Promise; Universal Music Group, intern; Interscope Records, intern

Future Plans: Rutgers Graduate School of Education to pursue career in Elementary Teaching

Amml Farouk Hussein

**B.A. Journalism and Media Studies/
Social Work**

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon National Honor Society; Phi Alpha Social Work National Honor Society

Organizations: University College Council, president (fall 2009 - spring 2010), university senator (fall 2008 - spring 2009); Rutgers University Student Assembly (RUSA), University College representative (fall 2008 - spring 2009); Undergraduate Social Work Organization, treasurer; Chi Alpha Epsilon National Honor Society; Rutgers University Student Assembly Council of Presidents, vice president, fall 2009 - spring 2010; Vice President Blimling's Vice President Leadership Cabinet, fall 2009 - spring 2010; Institute for Research on Women (IRW), learning community scholar, spring 2009; Summer Institute for Pre-legal Studies, Seton Hall School of Law, summer 2008; Newark Department of Law, Office of the Municipal Prosecutor, legal intern, summer 2008; Office of the Essex County Counsel, legal intern, fall 2008 - winter 2009

Future Plans: To attend graduate or law school and complete an MSW/JD degree

Paulina S. Kawa

B.A. Psychology

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, 2006; Polish & Slavic Federal Union Scholarship, 2005; ODASIS (Office for Diversity and Academic Success in the Sciences) High Achiever, 2009

Future Plans: Currently pursuing a master's degree in Occupational Therapy at Columbia University

Tara N. Luciano

**B.A. Communication; Women's &
Gender Studies**

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; Study Abroad in Italy, fall 2009

Future Plans: To pursue a graduate degree

Cristian A. Martinez**B.A. History****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2008, fall 2009

Organizations:

Society of Latin American Men (SLAM), president; Rutgers Student Life leadership team; Ronald E. McNair Scholar

Future Plans:

To pursue a master's degree at the Rutgers University Graduate School of Education

Suketu Nilesh Parikh**B.S. Management****Honors:**

Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2009

Organizations:

New Jersey Film Festival, office manager, 2.5 years; Livingston Student Center, building manager, 1 year

Future Plans:

Employment in the Business Management field

Nirali D. Patel**B.A. Biological Sciences****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:

Hindu Student Council; Bhakti Club; AIR Club; volunteer for the VSA Arts Club for Autism at Robert Wood Johnson Medical School; volunteer at JFK Hospital

Future Plans:

To serve as an Educational Science Teacher and attend medical school to specialize in Pediatric Medicine

Nomora S. Pearyer**B.A. Psychology/Sociology****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2005, fall 2006, spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2006

Organizations:

Phi Sigma Pi National Honor Fraternity, vice president, 2008 - 2009; Residence Life/DRC peer academic leader; SAS EOF Summer Institute resident assistant

Future Plans:

Currently working at New Jersey Association of the Deaf-Blind, Inc.; attend graduate school in Social Work

Laura Anne Pettus**B.A. Labor Studies and Employment****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2007; Chi Alpha Epsilon, April 2008

Organizations:

National Association of Black Accountants, secretary (2007 - 2008), president (fall 2009); Chi Alpha Epsilon, membership chair, 2008 - 2009; EOF peer advisor, summer 2006

Future Plans:

Aspiring Human Resources management professional with aspirations to become the Chief Diversity Officer at a Fortune 500 company; pursuing a master's degree in Labor Studies and Employment Relations, while working as a staffing coordinator at Standard and Poors

Colleen Short**B.S. Sociology/Criminal Justice****Honors:**

Dean List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon

Organizations:

Community Service Office Program, corporal, 2007 - 2010; Chi Alpha Epsilon, member at large; Rutgers Performing Dance

Company, 2008; NJPIRG, 2005-2007, voter registration program; RUTV, production assistant, 2005 – 2007; COED Club soccer, 2009
To attend law school

Future Plans:

Outstanding Achievement

Mario G. Angulo

B.S. Biological Sciences

Mario is also the recipient of an Outstanding Academic Achievement award.

*Rutgers University / Newark - College of Nursing
14 Student Nominations*

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Luthfa Akther Ali

B.S. Nursing

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; High Achievers List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Honors Colloquia: fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009, spring 2010

Organizations:

College of Nursing senate; research assistant; CN-EOF leadership board

Future Plans:

To get clinical experience for about a year and then to pursue a master's degree to become a Nursing professor

Bola Elizabeth Gbadamosi

B.S. Nursing

Transferred from:

Rutgers University - Douglass College

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; High Achievers List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; 2009 Honors in Bachelor of Science in Public Health; Eta Sigma Gamma, National Health Education Honor Society

Organizations:

Orphanage Outreach Health Corps; New Jersey Student Nurses Association; Northern New Jersey Black Nurses; NJPIRG (Disaster Relief); Rutgers Student Nurses Association, treasurer; Rutgers-College of Nursing Senate

Future Plans:

To pursue a master's degree to become a Nurse Practitioner and a Nurse Educator, using a background in public health to influence policies affecting nurses and patient care

Vanessa Olivieri

B.S. Nursing

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008; High Achiever's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:

Lambda Theta Alpha Latin Sorority, Inc.

Future Plans:

To work in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit and to pursue a master's degree to become a Pediatric Diabetic Educator

Bijal Patel**B.S. Nursing**

Transferred from: Rutgers, Newark College of Arts and Science
Honors: Dean's List: spring 2005, fall 2005, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009; High Achievers List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009 and fall 2009
Organizations: American Nurses Association; K.E.E.P.S. (Health Promotion Program)
Future Plans: To pursue a master's degree and to specialize in Nurse Anesthesiology

Marissa Lynn Pirro**B.S. Nursing**

Transferred from: Middlesex County College
Honors: Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; High Achievers List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009
Organizations: BRIDGE (Building Roads for Individual Development, Growth & Education); NSNA (National Student Nurses Association); ANA (American Nurses Association)
Future Plans: To pursue a master's degree in Family Practice

Dumar S. Rivera-Herrera**B.S. Nursing**

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; High Achievers List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Honors College: fall 2007, spring 2008, summer 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, summer 2009, fall 2009
Organizations: Rutgers University-College of Nursing Senate; Class of 2010, vice president; Class of 2010, president; Rutgers Student Nurses Association; Red Cross member; Nurse Science Club vice president
Future Plans: To work as a Critical Care Nurse and pursue a master's degree in Nurse Anesthesiology

Heidy Danessa Rodriguez**B.S. Nursing**

Transferred from: Middlesex County College
Honors: Dean's List fall 2009, spring 2009; High Achievers List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009
Organizations: ANA (American Nurses Association); KEEPS (Health Promotion Program)
Future Plans: To gain clinical experience in a medical/surgical unit and to pursue a masters' degree

Krizia Tuazon Sabas**B.S. Nursing**

Honors: Dean's List fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; High Achievers List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Honors College: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009, spring 2010

Organizations: BRIDGE (Building Roads for Individual Development, Growth and Education), president; RESNA (Rutgers Ethnic Student Nurses Association), secretary; Nurse Science Club; Red Cross Club, vice president; Filipino Student Club; research assistant

Future Plans: To work as a Medical/Surgical Nurse and to pursue a master's degree to become a Nurse Educator

Cassandra Isca Val

B.S. Nursing

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; High Achievers List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Honors College: fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009, spring 2010

Organizations: CN-EOF Leadership Board, chair; HASAR (Haitian American Students at Rutgers), secretary; BRIDGE (Building Roads for Individual Development Growth & Education), president; WISA (West Indian Student Association), secretary

Future Plans: To pursue a master's degree in Pediatrics or to possibly go to medical school

Joanah Zeitoun

B.S. Nursing

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008; High Achievers List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations: B.R.I.D.G.E Club, vice president; Rutgers University peer advisor; American Red Cross, president

Future Plans: To work as a Critical Care Nurse in the emergency room

Academic Achievement

Suen K. Foxton

B.S. Nursing

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2007, spring 2008; High Achievers List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations: R.E.S.N.A. (Rutgers Ethnic Student Nurses Association)

Future Plans: To work in a Neonatal Intensive Care Unit and to pursue a master's degree to become a Certified Midwife

Ashley Hickson

B.S. Nursing

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2008; High Achievers List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations: B.R.I.D.G.E. (Building Roads for Individual Development, Growth & Education) club; R.E.S.N.A. (Rutgers Ethnic Student Nurses Association); Nurse Science club; Rutgers University Chorus

Future Plans: To work as a Pediatric Nurse in the emergency room before pursuing a master's degree

Sarju Patel**B.S. Nursing**

- Honors:** Dean's List: spring 2008; High Achievers List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009
- Organizations:** B.R.I.D.G.E (Building Roads for Individual Development, Growth & Education) Club, treasurer; Nurse Science Club, vice president
- Future Plans:** To gain work experience in the Neonatal Intensive Care unit and then to pursue a master's degree

*Rutgers University / Newark - Newark College of Arts &
25 Student Nominations*

Outstanding Academic Achievement**Karen Elizabeth Bejar****B.A. Journalism & English**

- Honors:** Dean's List: seven consecutive semesters
- Organizations:** The Observer, junior year spring semester, senior year fall 2009
- Future Plans:** To teach in a foreign country; also be involved with the media, such as radio, newspaper and book publishing and to attend graduate school to study Creative Writing or English

Estephany Diaz**B.A. Psychology/Social Work**

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Phi Beta Kappa, spring 2009
- Future Plans:** To attend graduate school for a master's of Social Work degree

Deliris Lorenzo**B.S. Finance & Management**

- Honors:** Dean's List: spring 2006, spring 2007, spring 2008, fall, 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009
- Organizations:** Latinos United Networking America (L.U.N.A.), fall 2009 - present
- Future Plans:** To seek employment in the Newark public school system in Human Resource Services and pursue graduate school (preferably Rutgers Business School) for a master's of Business Administration degree

Isaac Millar**B.S. Accounting**

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009
- Organizations:** Rutgers Accounting Society (R.A.S.)
- Future Plans:** To enter graduate school this summer 2010 and work for Ernst & Young in the fall

Yulissa Veronica Ortiz**B.S. Marketing**

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, spring 2008, fall 2009
- Future Plans:** To seek employment for one year and then return to Rutgers University to obtain a master's in Business Administration

Lesly S. Pesquera**B.A. Psychology & Women Studies****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2006, summer 2007, spring 2008, fall, 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Future Plans:

To attend Rutgers graduate school in the fall to obtain a master's degree in Social Work

Arifur Rahman**B.S. Marketing & Management****Transferred from:**

Ocean County College

Honors:

President's List: 2006; Dean's List: 2007-2008

Organizations:

Marketing & Management Organization; Management Information Systems (MISA)

Future Plans:

To work for several years and then attend graduate school

Diana Ruiz**B.S. Psychology & Spanish****Honors:**

Dean's List: spring 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:

Sigma Delta Pi

Future Plans:

To apply to graduate school

Hiral M. Vyas**B.S. Accounting****Transferred from:**

Middlesex County College

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009

Organizations:

Rutgers Business Society

Future Plans:

To attend professional school immediately following graduation

Academic Achievement**Wahab Ashraf****B.A. Biology****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2008

Organizations:

Muslim Students Association; Pakistani Students Association; EOF PRIDE; Biology Club

Future Plans:

To attend medical school

Angela R. Bradley-Hawkins**B.A. Social Work****Transferred from:**

Essex County College

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009

Organizations:

Social Work Student Organization

Future Plans:

Currently working in her field with The Division of Youth and Family Services and will apply to graduate schools next year

Valerie Carriere**B.S. Psychology & Criminal Justice****Honors:**

Criminal Justice Honor Society

Organizations:

Black Organization of Students (BOS); West Indian Student Association (WISA), 2009-2010

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school

Werner Contreras**Honors:****Future Plans:****B.S. Criminal Justice**

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009

To work for the federal government or NJ court system while attending graduate school

Ashley Nicole Davison**Honors:****Organizations:****Future Plans:****B.A. theater TV Drama**

Dean's List: fall 2007, summer 2009, fall 2009

Public Service Organization; Black Organization of Students, vice president; Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc., video and PR

Currently seeking an entry level position within the film industry

Pamela Anurika Enemu**Transferred from:****Honors:****Organizations:****Future Plans:****B.A. Psychology**

Essex County College

Dean's List: spring 2008

EOF PRIDE 2007 – 2010, event coordinator; Kappa Psi Epsilon Sorority, Inc. 2008 – 2010, sergeant of arms, 2009 - 2010

To attend to Rutgers graduate school for a master's degree in Social Work

Leena Fadel**Honors:****Future Plans:****Bachelor Psychology**

Dean's List: several semesters

Plans to attend graduate school in September 2010 for a degree in School Psychology

Oswaldo Hernandez**Honors:****Future Plans:****B.A. Political Science**

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2009, fall 2009

To attend law school

Rosemary Marzouk**Transferred from:****Honors:****Organizations:****Future Plans:****B.A. Anthropology**

Rutgers University, New Brunswick Campus

Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009

Red Cross, helped organize blood drives and donated blood as well; Coptic Society, helped organized bake sales to raise money for the organization; NJPIRG, summer 2009, coordinator for activities for river clean ups; M.A.P.S (Minority Association for Pre-health Students)

Applying to dental school in June 2010

Balks Muslah**Honors:****Organizations:****Future Plans:****B.A. Biology/Psychology**

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2009, fall 2009

Student Government Association; Biology Club; Pre-Health Society; Pakistani Student Association; Indian Students Association; Muslim Students Association; NJPIRG

To attend medical school

Ana Pimentel**B.S. Criminal Justice & Psychology****Honors:**

Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008

Organizations:

EOF PRIDE, secretary, spring 2008 - present

Future Plans:

To attend John Jay College of Criminal Justice, forensic mental health counseling program or seek employment with Teach for America or the FBI

Natasha Nicole Powell**B.S. Social Work****Transferred from:**

Rider University

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2009

Future Plans:

To attend Rutgers graduate school to obtain a masters degree in Social Work

Janeyah Q. Vickers**B.A. Psychology/Social Work****Honors:**

Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2009

Organizations:

Social Work Organization, peer advisor (2007 to present), peer advisor coordinator (2009 to present)

Future Plans:

To apply to Kean University for the post-baccalaureate Teacher's Certification program this fall

Outstanding Achievement**Shantae Kemp****B.S. Criminal Justice****Organizations:**

Black Organization of Students; WRNU (Radio Host)

Future Plans:

To pursue a career in Law Enforcement

Saint Peter's College
6 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement**Racheliu Abreu****B.S. Accounting****Honors:**

Dean's List: 2007, 2008, 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon: fall 2007

Future Plans:

Plans include graduate school upon graduation

Noel Borges**B.S. Political Science****Honors:**

Dean's List: 2007, 2008, 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2007

Organizations:

Saint Peter's College Student Government (2009-2010), president; Alliance of Educational Opportunity Fund Students of NJ (A.E.S.N.J.), governing council (2007-2008); served as an advocate for the United States Hispanic Advocate Association of New Jersey

Future Plans:

Attending law school in the fall of 2010

Academic Achievement

Nathalia E. Guanoluisa

B.S.N. Nursing

Transferred from:

Hudson County Community College

Honors:

Dean's List: 2007, 2008, 2009; Phi Theta Kappa: 2007; Chi Alpha Epsilon 2007

Future Plans:

To continue a professional career in the field of Nursing

Robert E. Rivera

B.A. Sociology

Honors:

Dean's List: 2007, 2008, 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon: fall 2007

Organizations:

Psychology Club, 2008

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school in New Jersey

Jaasiel Santana

B.A. Sociology

Honors:

Dean's List: 2007, 2008, 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school

Outstanding Achievement

Diana Guillaume

B.S. Biology

Organizations:

Haitian Student Association (2007-2010); Tri Beta Kappa (2008)

Future Plans:

To attend the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey for graduate school

Salem Community College 3 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Esther Elizabeth Cooper

Medical Coding Certificate

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008; Delta Lambda chapter of Chi Alpha Epsilon National Honor Society, spring 2010

Future Plans:

To seek employment in the field of Medical Coding and to continue her studies at Salem Community College to complete an associate's degree in Health Science

Rima A. Gandhi

A.S. Business Administration

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society, March 2009

Future Plans:

To transfer to Rutgers University, Camden or The Richard Stockton College to pursue a bachelor's degree in Business Administration

Outstanding Achievement

Martha Patricia Sutcliffe

Medical Coding Certificate

Transferred from:

Technical Institute, Norwood

Organizations:

United Nations Organization (UNO) Multicultural Club since fall 2008; Animal Allies Club, fall 2009; American Red Cross

Future Plans:

To continue her studies at Salem Community College to complete an associate's degree in Nursing

Seton Hall University *14 Student Nominations*

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Nakiya N. Danso

B.S.B. Finance

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; summa cum laude graduation honors; Beta Gamma Sigma (Business and Management), November 2009; New Jersey Collegiate Business Administration Association, May 2009

Future Plans:

Currently employed with Goldman Sachs as an investment banking analyst

Alicia N. Dryer

B.S.B. Accounting

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2007, spring 2009, fall 2009; cum laude graduation honors

Future Plans:

Attend graduate school and become an FBI Agent

Su-Tanna C. Felder

B.A. English-Honors

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; cum laude graduation honors

Organizations:

English Club (2007-2009), SHU College (2008-2009)

Future Plans:

Pursue a career in Broadcasting and obtain a master's degree in Journalism from Columbia University

Leonard V. Jones

B.A. Political Science

Honors:

Dean's List fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, fall 2009; magna cum laude graduation honors; Golden Key International Honor Society, 2007; Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities, 2008; National Residence Hall honorary, 2008

Organizations:

Student Government Association, president, 2009-2010; College of Arts & Sciences, senator, 2006-2009; Student Life Committee, chairman, 2008-2009; 2010 Class Council, president, 2008-2009; Black Student Union, executive vice president, 2008-2009; Educational Opportunity Program Student Organization, president, 2007-2009; Human Relations Programming Committee, 2007-2009

Future Plans:

Currently working on master's degree in Public Administration

with a focus on public policy; will attend law school after completing the master's program

Patricia S. Nicolas

B.S.B. Finance

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2008; cum laude graduation honors

Organizations:

Seton Hall University Gospel Choir, treasurer, 2009-2010; AKPSI business fraternity, peer advisor, 2008-2009

Future Plans:

Pursue an MBA in Management and seek employment with Citibank

Shaina M. Tullo

B.S.E. Secondary Education and English

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; summa cum laude graduation honors; National Society of Collegiate Scholars, March 2008; Sigma Tau Delta (English), May 2009

Organizations:

College Democrats: speakers and debates coordinator (fall 2006-spring 2007), events director (fall 2007-spring 2008), vice president (fall 2008-spring 2009), president (fall 2009 - spring 2010); English Club: treasurer (fall 2008-spring 2009), president (fall 2009-spring 2010); Student Government Association, education senator (April 2008-May 2009); Setonian, staff writer (fall 2006-fall 2009); Chavez Literacy Magazine, writer (fall 2008-spring 2009)

Future Plans:

To pursue a PhD in Literature and, directly after graduation, work as an English teacher in a middle or high school; hopes to never stop writing and would one day like to publish a book of poems

Crystal M. Ullrich

B.A. Criminal Justice

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, spring 2009, fall 2009; cum laude graduation honors

Organizations:

Criminal Justice Association, public relations coordinator (fall 2008 - spring 2009)

Future Plans:

To attend law school in fall 2010

Sheena F. Williams

B.S.E. Elementary, Special Education and English

Honors:

Dean's List, fall 2005, spring 2006, fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; magna cum laude graduation honors

Organizations:

SHU Gospel Choir; Women Arise, 2005-2007

Future Plans:

To begin a career as an Elementary School Teacher and attend graduate school for a master's degree in Special Education

Academic Achievement

Stevenson James Benoit

B.S.B. Accounting and Finance

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2008, spring 2009

Organizations:

Beta Alpha Psi, vice president, spring 2009

Future Plans:

Career at Ernst &Young as a Tax Accountant in August and pursue a MBA in Taxation

Terri M. Best

B.A. Psychology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2005, spring 2007, fall 2007, fall 2008, fall 2009; Psi Chi (Psychology), April 24, 2008

Organizations:

Student Government Association, freshman class representative, 2005-2006; Psi Chi 2008-2009; Psychology Club, 2007-2009

Future Plans:

To attend the University of Georgia in fall 2011 and pursue a PhD in Clinical Psychology

Maria A. Ramos

B.S.E. Elementary/Special Education and English

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008

Future Plans:

Work as a teacher in the fields of Special Education and English; plans to pursue graduate school in the near future

Precious G. Sanks

B.S.B. Information Technology Management

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2007, fall 2008

Future Plans:

Pursue an MBA in Information Technology and work full-time in the field of Information Technology

Patricia Tibere

B.A. English-Honors

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2008; National Society of Collegiate Scholars, November 2007

Organizations:

SHU Gospel Choir, public relations office (2007-2008), vice president (2008-2009), president (2009-2010); SHU Silent Praise Dance Ministry, 2008-2009

Future Plans:

Currently enrolled in Seton Hall University's BA/MA Program in English

Outstanding Achievement

Yessenia Sanchez

B.A. Social Work

Honors:

Dean's List fall 2009

Organizations:

Student Social Work Association, president, 2009-2010; National Coalition Building Institute, certified trainer, 2008-present; Adelante Latino/Latina Student Organization, vice president (2007-2008), secretary (2008-2009, 2009-2010); Human Relations Programming Committee, 2008-2009

Future Plans:

To pursue a master's degree in Social Work and work for the Division of Youth and Family Services as a Family Specialist

Seton Hall University - PreMedical/PreDental Plus Program
4 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Diego Sepulveda

B.S. Biology

Honors: Dean's List: fall: 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009; spring: 2007, 2008, 2009
Organizations: Minority Association of Pre-Health Students; Pre-Medical/Pre-Dental Plus Program Student Advisory Board
Future Plans: To attend medical or graduate school

Peta-Gaye Whyte

B.S. Biology

Honors: Dean's List: fall: 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009; spring: 2007, 2008, 2009; National Society of Collegiate Scholars, spring 2007; Golden Key, spring 2008
Organizations: resident assistant; Minority Association of Pre-Health Students; Pre-Medical/Pre-Dental Plus Program Student Advisory Board; Student Support Services tutor
Future Plans: To attend medical school

Academic Achievement

Michael Georgevich

B.S. Biology

Honors: Dean's List: fall: 2006, 2007, 2008; spring: 2008 and 2009
Organizations: resident assistant; Minority Association of Pre-Health Students; Pre-Medical/Pre-Dental Plus Program Student Advisory Board
Future Plans: To attend dental or graduate school

Outstanding Achievement

Claire Mendez

B.S. Psychology

Honors: Dean's List: fall: 2006, 2007; spring: 2008
Organizations: Minority Association of Pre-Health Students
Future Plans: To attend graduate school

Stevens Institute of Technology
6 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Luis G. Best

B.E. Civil Engineering

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring/summer 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Epsilon Honor Society
Organizations: Latin American Association; Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers; Club Soccer team
Future Plans: Completing master's degree summer 2010 followed by employment, obtaining PE license and then pursuing a PhD in

Structural Engineering

Matthew Michael Higgins

B.S. Business & Technology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Empire 8 President's List; Academic All American

Organizations:

Men's varsity basketball, captain

Future Plans:

Employment (entrepreneur)

Inderjit Singh

B.E. & M.E. Mechanical Engineering

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Stevens' Scholars program; Tau Beta Pi Honor Society; XAE Honor

Organizations:

American Society of Mechanical Engineers; Society of Automotive Engineers; Indian Undergraduate Association, event organizer; Stevens Bhangra Dance Group, choreographer; Spike League Volleyball, captain

Future Plans:

Employment - Naval Sea Systems Command (NAVSEA)

Academic Achievement

Samantha Lynn Blackburn

B.S. Business and Technology

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Gear & Triangle Honor Society, fall 2008; Order of Omega, fall 2009

Organizations:

Delta Phi Epsilon Sorority: vice president of membership development (spring 2007-fall 2008), vice president of academic affairs (spring 2008-fall 2009); orientation leader, summers 2007 & 2008; student ambassador, 2006-2007; peer mentor to class of 2012; senior week committee, fall 2009 - present

Future Plans:

Employment - Credit Suisse Investment Bank

Rohan N. Desai

B.E. & M.E. Biomedical Engineering

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2005, spring 2006, fall 2007, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society

Organizations:

Sigma Beta Rho Fraternity, president, spring 2007-present; Indian Undergraduate Association: vice president (fall 2009 - present), secretary (2006-2007), publicity chair (2007-2008); Biomedical Engineering Society, publicity chair, fall 2009-present; Multi Greek Council, treasurer, fall 2007-spring 2009; Cricket Club, treasurer, 2008-2009

Future Plans:

Employment

Outstanding Achievement

Massiel S. Parra

B.S. Business & Technology

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2007, spring 2008, fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon Honor Society - spring 2008; Order of Omega - spring 2009

- Organizations:** Omicron Pi Sorority; Ethnic Student Council, social chair, 2007-2008; Latin American Association; Archery Club; Hoboken Shelter volunteer; Technique Dance Group
- Future Plans:** To attend the University of Medicine & Dentistry of NJ Dental School

The College of New Jersey *13 Student Nominations*

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Nathalie Jean-Noel

B.S. Biology

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2007, fall 2008, fall 2009, spring 2009
- Organizations:** Haitian Student Association, publicity chair; Minority Association for Pre-health Students, fundraising chair; Beta Beta Beta Biological Society
- Future Plans:** To work for the organization "City Year" and then attend medical school

Carolina Moreno

B.S. Criminology

- Honors:** Dean's List: spring 2007, fall 2007, spring 2009, fall 2009; Alpha Phi Sigma, Honors Society for Criminology; Collegiate Chamber of Commerce
- Organizations:** Institute of Management Accountants, student chapter
- Future Plans:** To obtain CPA licensure and become a Forensic Accountant for the FBI

Academic Achievement

Jacqueline Abbey

B.S. Nursing

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2007; spring 2008, fall 2009; National Honor's Society
- Organizations:** Alpha Nu Omega Sorority Inc., secretary; Bonner Community Scholar; Student Nurse Association; New Jersey Christian Fellowship-Nursing Bible Study
- Future Plans:** Pediatric Nursing and graduate school

Diana Carrasco

B.S. Accounting

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2006
- Organizations:** National Association of Black Accountants, co-financial advisor
- Future Plans:** Employment with Deloitte Tax LLP in the fall upon completing the CPA exam

Clarissa Espinoza

B.A. Criminology & Women and Gender

- Honors:** Dean's List: spring 2006
- Organizations:** Chi Upsilon Sigma National Latin Sorority Inc., president and treasurer; Women and Leadership and Learning, 2005-2009;

Union Latina, 2005-2009; Chi Upsilon Sigma National Latin Sorority Inc., sister since 2007

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school at The New School in New York City for their Non-profit Management graduate program; hopes to work closely with organizations that help women with post-incarceration assistance

Evelin Martinez

B.S. Finance

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2008; Iota Iota Women and Gender Studies Honor Society

Organizations:

Chi Upsilon Sigma National Latin Sorority, Inc; Women in Learning and Leadership Organization, co-chair; Inter Greek Council representative, spring 2010; Unified Greek Council representative, spring 2010

Future Plans:

Employed by Vanguard as an Analyst in the Accelerated Finance Program MBA

Jana Olsavska

B.S. Nursing

Organizations:

Student Nurses Society; Catholic Campus Ministry

Future Plans:

Master's degree in Nursing (Nurse Practitioner)

Ruth Romain

B.A. Art Education

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2008, fall 2008, fall 2009

Future Plans:

To teach and later attend graduate school

Ivette Salgado

B.A. Spanish

Honors:

Dean's List: spring 2009; Sigma Delta Pi, Upsilon Psi Chapter National Collegiate Hispanic Honor Society

Organizations:

TCNJ EOF Alliance, co-founder (spring 2007), president (spring 2007-spring 2008), advisor (spring 2008-fall 2009)

Future Plans:

To attend graduate school

Deshard Stevens

B.S. Finance

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2006, fall 2007

Organizations:

TCNJ track and field team; USTFCCCA all-academic team (2009); USTFCCCA all-American honors (2009)

Future Plans:

To obtain a master's degree in Secondary Education and Mathematics and become a Certified Financial Planner

Brian Toms

B.A. Interactive Multi Media

Honors:

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2008, fall 2009, spring 2009

Organizations:

Track and field/cross country participant, fall 2006

Future Plans:

Plans to work in his field

Union County College

13 Student Nominations

Distinguished Scholar

Camila Guderian

A.A. Graphic Design

- Honors:** President's List: fall 2008 through fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, fall 2009; Psi Beta, fall 2009
- Organizations:** EOF peer tutor, fall 2009 to present; EOF peer leadership mentor, summer 2009 to present; Women's Leadership Group, fall 2008 to present
- Future Plans:** Transfer to a four-year institution

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Joyce Aspromatis

A.S. Liberal Studies

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2008, fall 2009; President's List: spring 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, spring 2009; Psi Beta, fall 2009
- Organizations:** EOF peer leadership mentor, summer 2008 to fall 2009
- Future Plans:** Attending Monmouth University majoring in English Education

Rizwan Chaudry

A.A.S. Game Design Development

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2009; President's List: fall 2008, spring 2009
- Future Plans:** Attending Rutgers University majoring in Computer Science

Joseph Eulo

A.A. Psychology

- Honors:** President's List: fall 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2009; Psi Beta, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, fall 2008
- Organizations:** Phi Theta Kappa, NJ president, 2009-2010; UCC peer tutor, fall 2008 to present; Honor Studies spokesperson, fall 2008 to present; Males to Men program, peer mentor, fall 2009 to present
- Future Plans:** Transfer to a four-year institution and major in Psychology and Film Studies

Adriana Paez-Bernate

A.S. Liberal Studies

- Honors:** President's List, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2009
- Organizations:** EOF peer tutor, fall 2009 to present; Christian Fellowship Club, fall 2009
- Future Plans:** Transfer to Rutgers University and major in Economics

Bartosz Pelewicz

A.A. Criminal Justice

- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2009; President's List: spring 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, spring 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, fall 2009; Psi Beta, fall 2009
- Organizations:** Psychology Club, fall 2009 to present; EOF peer tutor, fall 2008 to present; EOF peer leadership mentor, summer 2009 to present

Future Plans: Transfer to a four-year institution and major in Criminal Justice

Kevin Sergeant

A.A. Biology

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2009; President's List: fall 2008, spring 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, fall 2008; Chi Alpha Epsilon, spring 2009

Organizations: EOF peer tutor, fall 2008 to present

Future Plans: Transfer to a four-year school and major in Biology in pursuit of a doctorate degree in Physical Therapy

Academic Achievement

Sandra Depa

A.S. Liberal Studies

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2008; President's List: fall 2009

Future Plans: Attending Liberty University majoring in Psychology

Yionnis Gonzalez

A.A. Business

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, fall 2009

Organizations: EOF peer leadership mentor, summer 2009 to present; Student Ambassador, fall 2009 to present

Future Plans: Transfer to Rutgers University and major in Finance

Lydia Haupt

Diploma Practical Nursing

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2009

Future Plans: To seek employment and pursue a bachelor's degree in Psychology

Varnae Manning

A.S. Professional Nursing

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2009, spring 2008; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2007

Organizations: EOF peer leadership mentor, summer 2008 to fall 2008

Future Plans: Seek employment and continue in pursuit of a bachelor's degree in Nursing

Tunisha Walker

A.S. Liberal Studies

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, spring 2009

Organizations: EOF peer leadership mentor, summer 2008 to fall 2008

Future Plans: Attending Kean University majoring in Psychology

Outstanding Achievement

Leonia DePaola

A.S. Liberal Studies

Honors: Dean's List: spring 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon, fall 2009

Organizations: EOF peer tutor, fall 2008 to present

Future Plans: Transfer to Montclair State University and major in Food Science/Dietitian

University of Medicine and Dentistry of NJ
6 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Lenir M. Mota

B.S. Health Sciences-Advanced Imaging

Transferred from: County College of Morris
Future Plans: To find a full time employment in the Radiology field

Academic Achievement

Natalie Peart

B.S. Health Information Management

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2009
Organizations: AHIMA (American Health Management Association)
Future Plans: Obtain the RHIA (registered health information administrator) and CCS (certified coding specialist) certifications from AHIMA; goal is to become a Coder or pursue a career that helps the enforcement of HIPAA, such as HIPAA Privacy or Compliance Officer

Outstanding Achievement

Shakinah Campbell

A.S. Dental Hygiene

Honors: Colgate Star Award; Delta Dental Scholarship (3 semesters)
Future Plans: Attend UMDNJ to earn a bachelor's degree and provide health care to patients throughout New Jersey

Warren County Community College

Outstanding Academic Achievement

Rachel J. Messina

Liberal Arts

Organizations: EOF peer mentor 2009-2010; Warren County Community College NAACP Chapter, acting assistant secretary 2009-2010; SGA, 2009-2010
Future Plans: To own a Physical Training and Nutrition Center and to be a Medical Doctor

Samantha Polanco

A.A. Liberal Arts

Honors: Dean's List: fall 2008; President's List: spring 2009, summer 2009, fall 2009; Phi Theta Kappa, fall 2009
Organizations: Art Club, co-president
Future Plans: To transfer to Montclair State University and pursue a double major in English and Art

Tawanda Washington**Honors:****Organizations:****Future Plans:****A.A. Criminal Justice**

Dean's List: fall 2008, spring 2008, fall 2009, spring 2009; Sigma Alpha Pi Leadership Society; Phi Theta Kappa
 Student Government Association, president, 2009-2010; Warren County Community College NAACP Chapter, president, 2009-2010; Phi Theta Kappa since 2008; Sigma Alpha Pi, treasurer, 2008
 Earn a BA in Criminal Justice and seek employment with the State of NJ as a parole officer

Academic Achievement**Mia Keith-Rogers****Organizations:****Certificate Legal Assistant Paralegal**

Warren County Community College NAACP

Jessica Victorin**Organizations:****Future Plans:****A.A. Liberal Arts**

Warren County Community College NAACP, 2009-2010; Reading Ravens; Habitat for Humanity
 To pursue a career in Forensic Nursing

Stephanie Victorin**Organizations:****Future Plans:****A.S. General Science - Biology**

Warren County Community College NAACP, secretary, 2008-2009; EOF peer mentor; Habitat for Humanity
 To attend The College of New Jersey and earn a BS degree

Outstanding Achievement**Derbie Eugene****Organizations:****Future Plans:****A.A. Elementary Education**

Warren County Community College NAACP, secretary, 2009-2010; Habitat for Humanity; Christ for Crusade, secretary; Future Teachers of America
 To become a Pediatrician; will attend Seton Hall University or Kean University

William Paterson University of NJ
3 Student Nominations

Outstanding Academic Achievement**Maurice H. Gaines****Transferred from:****Honors:****Future Plans:****B.A. Sociology - Criminal Justice**

Burlington County College
 Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008, spring 2009, fall 2009; Chi Alpha Epsilon National Honor Society, 2008
 To pursue a master's degree in Clinical Psychology

Academic Achievement

Monique C. Hairston

B.S. Business, Marketing & Management

- Transferred from:** Bergen Community College
- Honors:** Dean's List: fall 2007, spring 2008; NJ Stars Scholarship; recipient of the NAACP community youth award; Chi Alpha Epsilon National Honor Society, 2008
- Organizations:** Varick Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church (president of Dance Ministry, vice president of Usher Board and president of the Acolyte Ministry); currently employed by Bergen Community College as a proctor and secretary for the GED
- Future Plans:** To pursue a master's degree in Social Work from Rutgers University

Outstanding Achievement

Rashard J. Mills

B.A. Communication

- Honors:** Who's Who Among College Students at American Universities and Colleges; National Society for Leadership and Success
- Organizations:** Sigma Pi Fraternity, held numerous positions within the fraternity, most recently as CJR Chair; Student Government Association (SGA) executive vice president; the Pioneer Chefs Designing Cuisine (WPU's first cooking club) founder; EOF's Brother To Brother Organization, founder; brought "Keep A Child Alive Organization" to the WPU community in fund-raising efforts; EOF summer institute, residence advisor, 4 years
- Future Plans:** To pursue a master's degree in Student Affairs and become a residence director at a university