# QUEENSBOROUGH COMMUNITY COLLEGE THE AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS COMMITTEE

**To:** The Academic Senate

**From:** Sharon Lall-Ramnarine, Chairperson

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**Subject:** ANNUAL REPORT 2009-2010

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The Awards and Scholarships Committee met several times during the academic year 2009-2010 to evaluate and recommend nominations for the following awards and scholarships:

- 1. **John F. Kennedy Memorial Award** given to Gladys V. Juca, a graduating student who has demonstrated outstanding leadership in the college and the community;
- 2. **Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Award** given to Billy Jnohope, a graduating student who has demonstrated exceptional leadership in promoting racial harmony and appreciation of cultural diversity;

- 3. **Ray Ricketts Memorial Award** given to Jose Dopwell, a returning student (left college at one point) who exhibits exceptional scholarship and leadership;
- 4. **Women's Club Award** given to Sin Ying Lam, who has demonstrated outstanding leadership and service to the college community;
- 5. **Incentive Awards** given to Patrick Hendrick and Edwin Gonzalez, who have demonstrated outstanding academic performance and are working parents.
- **6. Academic Merit Scholarship** given to 49 current and continuing students who have demonstrated outstanding academic performance (a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.25 required):
  - 1. Peter Abohwo
  - 2. Sharona Akilova
  - 3. Avi Appleman
  - 4. Katherine Arce
  - 5. Matthew Broadfoot
  - 6. Lee Kon Chen
  - 7. Barbara Deacon
  - 8. Jose Dopwell
  - 9. Nadira Etwaroo
  - 10. Leen Feliciano
  - 11. Jieun Gang
  - 12. Lin Han
  - 13. Hanifa Holjigitova
  - 14. Qiaolin Huang
  - 15. Kerita Jackson
  - 16. Gladys Juca
  - 17. Alla Khodzhandiev
  - 18. Hoi Sook Kim
  - 19. Elizabeth Lara
  - 20. Sung Won Lee
  - 21. Kyu-Ree Lee
  - 22. Nakyoung Lee
  - 23. Calvin Leung
  - 24. Teresa Lihach
  - 25. Zhen Lin
  - 26. Grace Magee
  - 27. Bindu Mathew
  - 28. Dennis Multari
  - 29. Elham Nikoo
  - 30. Roxanne Niles-Charles
  - 31. Yasmin Obriwala
  - 32. Delkha Rahimi
  - 33. Elma Rahman

- 34. Paulina Salazar-Soto
- 35. Stephanie Sandson
- 36. Sherry Tan
- 37. Enqi Wu
- 38. Sunwoo Youm
- 39. Verona Young
- 40. Shengyao Zhao
- 41. Larisa Abrakhaimova
- 42. Samanta Boursiquot
- 43. Erica Cosentino
- 44. Yun Fan
- 45. Alexandra Plevritis
- 46. Christine Porter
- 47. Alexander Ranglall
- 48. Carol Ryklin
- 49. Nan Zhou
- **7.** Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges given to 32 students who demonstrated scholarship, active participation in college and community activities, and potential for continued development (a minimum of 30 completed credits required):
  - 1. Vanessa Barret
  - 2. Alexandra Bayona
  - 3. Maryory Bibiloni
  - 4. Samanta Boursiquot
  - 5. Kathleen Capogrosso
  - 6. Christina Casas
  - 7 Carlo Echeverri
  - 8. Nicholas Emmanuel
  - 9. Ahmad Esa
  - 10. Akiva Freud
  - 11. Sheldon Gordon-Campbell
  - 12. Rachel Hammer
  - 13. Gladys Juca
  - 14. Karolina Kedzierska
  - 15. Anthony Lam
  - 16. Sin Ying Lam
  - 17. Kyu-Ree Lee
  - 18. Roberto Lobianco
  - 19. Marjorie Morales
  - 20. Paula Mullings
  - 21. Reynaldo Paulino
  - 22. Firmause Payen
  - 23. Sahar Refua
  - 24. Ratan Saha

- 25. Denise Sanchez
- 26. Daniel Sangobanwo
- 27. Jonathan shakhmoroff
- 28. Yi Su
- 29. Helen Surianti
- 30. Arnab Tarafder
- 31. Edmond Williams Jr.
- 32. Verona Young

In comparison to previous academic years the response to all scholarship awards was about the same. The Academic Merit Scholarship continued to receive a strong response. Thirty one more Queensborough students received the award this year. Seven less Queensborough students were included among *Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges* this year.

#### Recommendations

- 1. It would be beneficial for committee members to receive the student applications by departmental mail to review prior to committee meetings. This saves a lot of time during the actual meeting and leaves time for discussion.
- 2. Scholarship applications should be sorted by GPA and not alphabetically.
- 3. Award applications that require a student essay should state what topics the essay should address.