57th Annual
HONORS
CONVOCATION

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23, 2014
6:00 P.M.
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Emil and Patricia A. Jones
Convocation Center

Honors Awards are presented annually by Chicago State University for two purposes: to give public recognition to those students who have excelled and to inspire others to accomplish similar outstanding achievements.
ORDER OF THE PROGRAM

Presiding
Wayne D. Watson, Ph.D.
President

Processional
“Pomp and Circumstance”
by Edward Elgar
Performed by Dr. Mark Sudeith
Associate Professor of Music, Organ

The audience is requested to rise and remain standing until after the singing of the following selections and the silent reflections.

“The National Anthem”
Ms. Porald Harris, Vocalist
Honors Music Major

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Ms. Porald Harris, Vocalist
Honors Music Major

“Lift Ev’ry Voice and Sing”
Mr. Alvin White, Piano
Music Major

Silent Reflections

Opening Remarks, Introductions and Acknowledgements
Dr. Angela Henderson
Interim Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs

Welcome
President Wayne D. Watson

Presentation of Awards

University Awards and Honors

The President’s Persistence Award Introductions
Ms. Farah Muscandin, Esq.
Interim Dean of Students

Presentation of Award
President Wayne D. Watson

The President’s Cup Introductions
Dr. Omar Headen
Interim Dean, Honors College

Presentation of Award
President Wayne D. Watson

Undergraduate Honors
Dr. T. Bernard Rowan
Assistant Provost, Academic Affairs
Graduate and Professional Honors

Dr. Paula Carney
Assistant Provost, Academic Affairs

College Honors

College of Education Awards
Dr. Satasha Green, Dean

College of Arts & Sciences Awards
Dr. David Kanis, Interim Dean

College of Business Awards
Mr. Derrick Collins, Dean

College of Health Sciences Awards
Dr. Leslie Roundtree, Interim Dean

College of Pharmacy Awards
Dr. Miriam Mobley Smith, Dean

Continuing Education and Non-Traditional Degree Programs Awards
Ms. Nelly Maynard, Interim Dean

Closing Remarks
Dr. Omar Headen

Alma Mater
“Honor and Glory”
Ms. Porald S. Harris, Vocalist
Mr. Alvin White, Piano

Recessional
“War March of the Priests” by Felix Mendelssohn
Performed by Dr. Mark Sudeith
Organ

Reception
Jones Convocation Center
Concourse Level
THE PRESIDENT’S AWARDS

Presenting: Wayne D. Watson, Ph.D., President
Chicago State University

OUTSTANDING GRADUATING SENIOR AWARD
The President’s Cup was commissioned in 1999 to recognize a graduating senior for his/her exceptional leadership, scholarship and service. The President’s Cup is presented to a senior who has given outstanding service to the University, who has performed as a leader in student activities, and who has evidenced consistent superior scholastic achievement throughout his/her undergraduate career.

The finalists are:  
Candis Ridley  
Jessica Toles  
Tanya White

PRESIDENT’S PERSISTENCE AWARD
The President’s Persistence Award was established by President Wayne D. Watson to recognize a student who has persevered in her/his completion of a college degree in spite of having to overcome one or more significant obstacles.
UNIVERSITY-WIDE AWARDS

OUTSTANDING SCHOLARS AWARDS
The Outstanding Scholars Awards are presented to the freshman, sophomore, junior and senior who have maintained a better than 3.5 grade point average and have been active in the University community.

FRESHMAN: Mariah Bibbs
SOPHOMORE: Dave Flynn
JUNIOR: Fredrena Brown
SENIOR: Chioma Uduko

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
The Student Achievement Award is presented to a student who has shown outstanding dedication to the University and to his/her fellow students. Students are selected on the basis of performance in all areas of University life, with special emphasis upon academic achievement.

Chioma Uduko

THE INTERNATIONAL STUDENT AMBASSADOR AWARD
This award recognizes an international student who demonstrates a commitment to sustained interaction with students of other nationalities, languages and ethnic backgrounds in a spirit of international understanding and cooperation. Each recipient receives a scholarship of $500.

Casey MacNeil

THE GWENDOLYN BROOKS WRITERS’ AWARD
To commemorate Gwendolyn Brooks, Pulitzer Prize winner, Poet Laureate of Illinois, this award was established by President Wayne D. Watson. The Gwendolyn Brooks Writers’ Award is presented to the following two students in recognition of their writing talents for having created original short stories, poems, essays, plays and/or book excerpts. Each student will receive $500.
FIRST YEAR EXPERIENCE OUTSTANDING FRESHMAN AWARD
The First Year Experience Outstanding Freshman Award is given to freshmen students who have successfully navigated their first year at Chicago State by showing excellence both within and outside the classroom. Recipients have maintained a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 and demonstrated service to the University through their participation in various campus events and activities.

Miles Bailey
Mariah Bibbs
Simone Bragg
David Canchola
Michael Hill
Megan Moralis
Amber Wilder

LATINO RESOURCE CENTER SCHOLARSHIP
The Latino Resource Center Scholarship is awarded to graduate and undergraduate full-time students of Latino descent who have demonstrated excellent academic performance and service to their communities. Scholars are recognized at the Annual Latino Resource Center Scholarship Dinner along with distinguished Latino alumni and corporate citizens.

David Canchola
Danielle Espinoza
Lissette Flores
Nunez Froilan
Maria Godinez
Glafira Gonzalez
Judith Guerrero-Isaac
Isaías Isaac
Janet López
Megan Morales
Yesenia Ramirez
Ismael Reyna
Verónica Sierra
Diana Vazquez
DELTA ALPHA FRESHMAN HONOR SOCIETY AWARDS
Delta Alpha is Chicago State University’s freshman honor society. Its purpose is to recognize and encourage academic excellence among our freshman students. Membership is open to full-time students who achieve a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 or above during the first semester of their two semesters. The organization is sponsored by the Office of Academic Support. The 2013–2014 inductees are as follows:

Jasmine Ainsworth
Tochukwu Akujieze
Miles Bailey
Mariah Bibbs
Simone Bragg
David Canchola
Brionna Collier
Travis Conley
Jabari Dean
Jennifer Fordjour
Kiara Frazier
Kalvin Golden
Ralitsa Hadzhistoyanova
Michael Hill
Faith Huckabee
Darrell Jones
Jean Jones
Kurt Karis
Tatiana Lawrence
Mariela Leon
Rysheena Moore
Megan Morales
Chinwendu Ngwadom
Jacqueline Perez
Christian Reed
Joshua Reyes
Charea Reynolds
Azeezah Sabah
Alexangel Sanchez
Taygeanna Seals
Takia Shorter
Fernanda Valdes Solis
Romel Spight
Ayanna Stevenson
Brianna Terrell
Diana Vazquez
Kenya Whiteside
Amber Wilder
Brittany Williams
Marquise Williams
Stephen Wright

EPSILON BETA SOPHOMORE HONOR SOCIETY AWARD
Epsilon Beta is Chicago State University’s sophomore honor society. Its purpose is to recognize and to encourage academic excellence among our sophomore students. Membership recognizes students who, as sophomores, achieved a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 either after their third or their fourth semester at Chicago State University as freshmen and sophomores. The organization is sponsored by the Office of Academic Development. The 2013–2014 inductees are as follows:

Rheann Abed
Amarachukwu Akujieze
Yamika Cogwell
Monikka Edgeston
Dave Flynn
Briana Howard
Danielle Jackson
Angela Johnson
Layne Murphy
Matthew Parks
Jacqueline Perez
Gerald Rogers
Natasha Schaffer
Taygeanna Seals
Gabriel Sharif
Kalkidan Girum Tadesse
Luis Ulloa Trivino
Lorelle Weavers
Nieah Williams
Marquita Winters
Rashley Yeremia
BETA EPSILON JUNIOR HONOR SOCIETY AWARD
Beta Epsilon is Chicago State University’s junior honor society. Its purpose is to recognize and to encourage academic excellence among our junior students. Membership recognizes students who, as juniors, achieved a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 either after their fifth or their sixth semester at Chicago State University. Eligible students should have maintained continuous full-time enrollment at Chicago State as freshmen, sophomores and juniors. The organization is sponsored by the Office of Academic Development. The 2013–2014 inductees are as follows:

Angelica Brewer     Rana Nemri     Mia Townsell
Danielle Brierre    Laura Sanchez   Aaron Washington
Rodney Carmona      Gustavo Torres

ALPHA DELTA SENIOR HONOR SOCIETY AWARD
Alpha Delta is Chicago State University’s senior honor society. Its purpose is to recognize and to encourage academic excellence among our senior students. Membership recognizes students who, as seniors, achieved a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 either after their seventh or their eighth semester at Chicago State University. Eligible students should have maintained continuous full-time enrollment at Chicago State University as freshmen, sophomores, juniors and seniors. The organization is sponsored by the Office of Academic Development. The 2013–2014 inductees are as follows:

Eric Boston         Nancy Franco    Atarah Jeffers
Calhoun Dejerea     Mariel Jackson  Lisa Medlock
### ALPHA EPSILON LAMBDA NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY FOR GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDENTS

Alpha Epsilon Lambda is a national honor society of graduate and professional students. Students who have completed at least 12 graduate credits of coursework, have a GPA that is in the top 35% of their college, and demonstrate either on or off-campus leadership are eligible for membership. The founding members of Chicago State University’s chapter are being installed today and join over 110,000 members in over 45 chapters in the United States.

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The Dean’s List recognizes all full-time students with a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 to 3.79.

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Michael Messer
Bianca Milburn
Gregory Miller
Betty Mitchell
Erica Mitchell
Amanda Montez
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Luiz Montoya
Erica Moore
Saulita Mosley
Wanda Muhammad
Layne Murphy
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Mario Noboa Zurita
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Dequin Ramey
David Ramirez
Adekolah Rascoe
Barbara Readus
Christian Reed
Sierra Reese
Joshua Reyes
Lisa Rhoden
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Amira Wilbourn
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Michael Wilkins
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Mary Williams
Neiah Williams
Rhonda Williams
Sophia Williams
Tierra Williams
Tamous Willis
Yakira Willis
Frank Wilson
Tyran Wormley
David Wright
Raven Yarbrough
Rashley Yeremia
Lesean Young
Jazmine Zimmermann
The Provost’s Honor Roll recognizes all full-time students with a cumulative grade point average of 3.8 to 3.94.

Faheem Abdur-Rasheed
Araceli Aguirre
Rahel Andesen
Rosa Brito-Valdes
Fredrena Brown
Tiara Brown
Sue Burriss
Suzanne Castillo
Musu Coker
Erin Courtney
Kendra Crawford
Deborah Culbreth
Lisa Daniel
Edward Denard
Karyn Emeralda
Dave Flynn
Samuel Franklin
Kiara Frazier
Miguel Frost
Tabia Gardner
Roxana Gonzalez
Andrea Hale
Caryn Harris
Melvy-On Hawkins
Atarah Jeffers
Angela Johnson
Falilatu Lasisi
Deshaunte Lewis
Casey MacNeil
Samuel McKinney
Dennisha Mitchell
Steven Mosley
Rana Nemri
Whitney Nettles
Jazmine Ochoa
Kenneth Ofodile
Teresa Pham
Breah Pointer
Jeffrey Puryear
Ada Ramirez
Evan Regez
William Richards
Ylda Rodarte
Joseph Ross
Alexangel Sanchez
Ashley Scarborough
Kyra Shannon
Rochelle Smith Jackson
Angela Snell
Charnessa Stallworth
Troy Steinmetz
Thuymi To
Jessica Toles
Gustavo Torres
Brian Turner
Chioma Uduko
Shantae Ware
Lorelle Weavers
Izola Wright
PRESIDENT’S HONOR ROLL

The President’s Honor Roll recognizes all full-time students with a cumulative grade point average of 3.95 to 4.0.

Taghreed Abbasy  Paisley Harper  Francis Oke
Jasmine Ainsworth Yolanda Harris Ashvi Patel
Shomari Allmon Gabriel Hernandez Clara Pham
Jason Berlongieri Rudi Holland Vincent Pham
  Mariah Bibbs Sheila Howard Monice Purnell
Salimah Boufath Faith Huckabee Sharina Romero
  Simone Bragg Christopher Jacobs Lankeeda Ruth
Angelica Brewer Shanel Johnson Laura Sanchez
Theresa Brown Darrell Jones Renard Singleton
Jasmine Bundy Anthony Kirkland Thurman Smith
David Conchola Nick Kostalek Chinwe Uduko
Ronald Carone April Lockhart Kirsia Utech
  Jabari Dean Brian Mahoney Fernanda Valdes Solis
Meisha Edwards  Gerard Maslanka Glamour Valentine
  Noelle Evans JoAnna Matthews Jose Vargas
  Angela Gill Mauricio Mendoza Glen Williams
Sandra Gillespie Megan Morales Marquita Winters
Kalvin Golden Malgorzata Moreno Stephen Wright
Joel Gutierrez  J’Lisa Morrison
UNIVERSITY HONOR ROLL

The following full-time undergraduate students have completed 90 credit hours or more of their academic coursework having earned a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 or higher.

Taghreed Abbasy
Faheem Abdur-Rasheed
Syeda Abedi
Araceli Aguirre
Eric Anderson
Joseph Anderson
Renee Anderson
Rahel Andeson
Lisa Anyanele
Ruby Atilano
William Austin
Debra Banks
Fernando Bazaldua
Jason Berlongieri
April Bitner
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Falilatu Lasisi
Antonio Lightfoot
John Livigni
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Samuel McKinney
Lisa Medlock
Mauricio Mendoza
Gregory Miller
Betty Mitchell
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Brian Montgomery
Luiz Montoya

Justin Morris
Steven Mosley
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Kevin Nanfuri
Areen Nemri
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GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDENTS HONOR ROLL

The following full-time graduate and professional students have earned a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 or higher.

GRADUATE

Alwin Abraham
Swetha Ade
Ayse Al Ahmadi
Saraha Alexander
Lamia Alexander
Crystal Andrews
Karen Antoine
Austin Aper
Lorena Armendariz
Hari Krishna Babburi
Sahithi Basani
Sheila Baxter
Danielle Bell
Donald Bell
Jacqueline Biere
Kyle Boatright
Deidra Brown
Carolyn Bryant
Thomas Buckner
Brittanie Butler
Amalia Canua-Cardozo
Nikhil Chandupatla
Bianca Clark
Aron Cooks, Jr.
Danielle Cotton
Almario Crawford
Tameka Crossley
Scenecia Curtis
Brittney Denton
Eldridge Dockery
Andrea Domangue
Kahari Donelson
Stacion Dorrant-Balthazar
Brenda Dukes
Shalita Edwards-Webb
Chika Elechi-Onicha
Wonder Embry
April Emory
Emily Enko
Okechuku Enyia
Omoniyi Erinolu
Benjamin Fichtner
Verron Fisher
Jennifer Fleck
Jammie Foster
Sha-Ron Frizzle
Aislynn Gallagher
Dennise Garrett
Angelia Garrett Handley
Brian Geiss
Fernando Guerrero
Keith Haines
Angelina Hall
DeAnna Hall
Nicole Hampton
Paris Hardamon
LaDonna Harris
Whitney Harris
Theodore Hartman
Rynicka Hawkins
LaShawn Heard
Valerie Hedrick
Leonor Hernandez
Paola Hidalgo-Harper
Martell Hines
Lisa Hinton
Jennifer Higgins
Sharnese Hilton
Andrea Horbrook
Sabrina Hughey
Klaudia Smith          Karon Stewart
Tiffany Smith          Tracey Stewart
Karla Soriano          Wendie Stingley
Kelly Spencer          Felicia Stratten
Wayde Tabor            Candie Warren
Elizabeth Tamayo       Tanya Washington
Kimberly Taylor        Nathan White
Angel Thomas           Qiana White
Monique Thompson       Mirtha Williams
Dellanio Tibbs         Shelley Williams
Carrie Timmermans      Tiffany Williams
Jewel Timmons-Brooks   Chanda Willis
Santiago Toledo        Andrea Wilson
Oubria Tronshaw        Darnell Windmon
Zanovia Tucker         Crystal Winfield
Delia Urgesi-Gray      Mary Witherspoon
Sarah Valerio          Megan Wozniak
Sabrina Veal           Melissa Wraggs
Belinda Vernon         Vamshidhar Yeannapally
Prashanth Vootla       Shoshanah Yehudah
Waliyyuddin Waarith    Pamela Young
Emily Wagner           Taylor Young
Phyllis Wagner         Tiana Zdravkovich
Steve Wallace          Stephanie Zorman
PROFESSIONAL

Deandrea Abney
Athanasios Andriopoulos
Abdel Bello
Hyun Choi
Brandy Cooper
Linh Do
Nancy Edwards
Crystal Ellison
Ancuta Fanea
Kaitlin Ferguson
Desiree Ferrel
Amanda Firmansyah
Tashel Gandhi
April Henson
Thomas Huddle
Brittany Huff
Isaias Isaac
Patrick Janes
Michael Kassa
Jennifer Kendrek
Monika Krozel
Teresa Lewis
Bernice Man

Katarzyna Marek
Nunmoula Mazhari
Gia McKnight
Cristina Miglis
Albert Nelson
Christopher Nguyen
Hanh Nguyen
Hieu Nguyen
Brandon Orawiec
Christina Patel
Zeshan Qureshi
Amy Reznick
Alla Shelip
Jaclyn Sievers
Gagandeep Singh
Gurjit Singh
Fatima Thalji
Kevin Toms
Lyly Tran
Hai Wang
Thomas Wang
Jaime Weddingfeld
GRADUATE DIVISION AWARDS

Presenting: *The Deans of the Colleges of the Students’ Majors*

These awards are presented annually to outstanding students in each graduate program and the education doctorate and pharmacy programs in recognition of their superior academic achievement in their respective programs.

**College of Education**

**Early Childhood and Bilingual Education**

*Bilingual Education*
Cheryl Jordan

*Special Education*
Deborah Riddle
James Ramazinski

*Early Childhood Education*
Dorcas Owusu
Jennifer Patton
Stephanie Smith

**Elementary and Middle Level Education**

*Elementary Education*
Darrell Johnson
Amber Lewis

**Graduate Programs in Education**

*Curriculum and Instruction*
Assunta Hogan

*General Administration*
Libra Duncan
Sharon Edwards

*Higher Education Administration*
Marlyn Flores

*Information Studies*
Rebecca Dowling
Eddie Ferrell
Lori Martin
Daniel Murrah
Barbeth A. Peck
Elizabeth Tamayo
Steven Wallace

*Secondary Education, Professional Studies and Recreation*

*Physical Education*
Ryan Begley
Katrina Lewis
Anastasios Mourikis
Duc Nguyen
Herve Nyenti
College of Arts & Sciences

Biological Sciences
Ibrahim Hamad
Denise Medrano

Computer Science
Sahithi Basani
Kishor Legala
Sampath Palreddy

Counseling
Peter Agostino
Jazmin Bazan
Lissette Flores
Judith Guerrero-Isaac
Denise Miles
Stacie Wallace

Criminal Justice
Edlicia Riddle
Maciej Szajinert
Andrian White

English
Tiffany Smith
Oubria Tronshaw

Geography
Raja Alfraihat
Kyle Boatright
Tamara Freihat
Laura Roedl

Mathematics
Percy Austin
Steve Damarjian
Eyad Massarwi

Social Work
Brittanie Butler
Elia Lagunas
Hannah Mngwamba
Melanie Tyler

College of Health Sciences

Health Studies & Health Information Administration
Verella Morris
Ifeoma Okorafor
Ismael Reyna

Occupational Therapy
Austin Aper
COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Presenting: Dr. Satasha Green, Interim Dean

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION/CSU FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS
Chicago State University Foundation Scholarships were established to assist students in their academic endeavors based on their outstanding academic scholarship. During academic year 2013–2014, the following education majors received $500 to $1,000 per semester. This award is presented today in recognition of their achievements.

Tiffany Arnold
Salimah Boufath
LaToya Davis

Martha Frimpong
Maricela Haro
Andre LaCour
Jazmine Ochoa

Shana Samuels
Briana Sublett
Seliece Wiggins

ALICE SMITH MEMORIAL AWARD
Alice Smith, a Chicago Teachers College alumna, a Charter Alumni Board Member and a Chicago Board of Education Physical Education Supervisor, established this award to honor majors in Health, Physical Education, and Recreation who have demonstrated excellence in their field experience and promise in future research and practice. Each student will receive $100.

Physical Education
Ronald Carone

Recreation
Joel Gutierrez

BILINGUAL EDUCATION OUTSTANDING SENIOR SCHOLAR AWARD
The Bilingual Education Outstanding Senior Scholar Award in the amount of $500 is presented to a senior who has maintained superior academic performance in the study of bilingual education.

Janet Lopez

BILL AND KITTY ROBINSON SCHOLARSHIP
This award and $500 are presented to a student teacher in Early Childhood or Elementary Education. The award is made in two equal installments (mid-semester and end of semester) based on evaluations from field-based supervisors during student teaching.

Wendy Martinez
DR. JOYCE JONES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
This award of $250 is presented to a student teacher with a GPA of 3.0 or higher. The candidate must possess an outstanding attitude and an excellent professional disposition and behavior. The sole purpose of the award is to provide students from the College of Education with funds to offset the costs incurred while student teaching.

Secondary Education (Mathematics)
Kim Kirksey

FIELD BASED TEACHER INTERNSHIP PROGRAM (FB/TIP) SCHOLARSHIP
The FB/TIP Scholarship is given to teacher candidates who have exemplary performance in the field practicum while gaining real world teaching experience. During the academic year 2013–2014, this award of $1,000 is given to candidates in two disbursements ($500 after the first eight weeks and $500 upon completion of the practicum) to help defray the costs of supplies and expenses during the field experience.

Tiffany Crawl
Elliott Hines
Kim Kirksey
Jacinta Maiden
Kathy McClure
Chanel McGhee
Renee Melvin
Michelle Murff-Arrington
Rosa O’Connell
Ian Robinson
Veronica Sierra
Nika Smith
Arturo Soto
Robert Williams

FRED BONNER MEMORIAL PHI DELTA KAPPA SCHOLARSHIP
This award is presented to African-American students majoring in science or mathematics at the sophomore, junior or senior levels who have maintained a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher. The award helps support the students in their preparations for teaching at the K-12 levels. For 2013, the following science students are being awarded.

Barbara Burke
Lauren Kent
Angela Moore
Kenneth Ofodile

LOTTIE C. PATARINI AWARD
The Lottie C. Patarini Award in the amount of $100 is presented to undergraduate majors in the Health, Physical Education, and Recreation programs for their scholastic achievement and leadership potential.

Physical Education
Brian Turner
Recreation
Erica Mitchell
MARYANN C. MACKEY MEMORIAL AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN BILINGUAL EDUCATION

This award in the amount of $500 is presented to a Bilingual Education major who has shown great potential to impact the lives of English language learners. It was established in memory of Maryann Mackey, a 1994 graduate of the M.S. in Bilingual Education program.

Ada Ramirez
DEPARTMENTAL HONORS AND MERIT AWARDS

Departmental Merit and Honors Awards are presented to undergraduate students chosen by each department in recognition of students’ high academic achievement in their particular disciplines.

Early Childhood and Bilingual Education

**Bilingual Education**

*Honors*
Ada Ramirez

*Merit*
Janet Lopez
Jazmine Ochoa
Ylada Rodarte

**Elementary Education**

*Honors*
Lauren Kent

*Merit*
Renee Anderson
Jacqueline Richardson
Candis Ridley

**Early Childhood Education**

*Honors*
Salimah Boufath
Wendy Martinez

*Merit*
Khyla Hampton
Simona Neda
Litonya Perry-Woodfork
Shanay White
LaTisha Williams

**Physical Education**

*Honors*
Brian Turner

*Merit*
Angela Johnson
Hector Rico
Joseph Ross

**Recreation**

*Honors*
Romanin Mattingly

*Merit*
Jaya Emerson
Gerard Maslanka
Katrina Rose Place
COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES

Presenting: Dr. David Kanis, Interim Dean

AFRICAN-AMERICAN STUDIES MA’AT AWARD
This award is given to an African-American Studies major who has maintained high scholarship of at least a 3.0 GPA (cumulative) and has demonstrated the characteristics of MA‘AT in his or her life. These characteristics are: truth, harmony, balance, justice, reciprocity, honesty, fairness, faithfulness, rectitude, integrity and propriety. MA‘AT epitomized the moral/ethical principles of the ancient Kemetic African society.

Arlina Worrill

AFRICAN-AMERICAN STUDIES W.E.B. DU BOIS AWARD
This award is given to an African-American Studies major who has maintained high scholarship in the major of at least a 3.0 GPA and has demonstrated the characteristics of a budding Du Boisian intellectual, exhibiting an independence of mind that values the connection between academic excellence and social responsibility.

Charleen Adkins

AL RABY MEMORIAL AWARD
In honor of the late Al Raby, graduate of Chicago Teachers College and civil rights activist whose focus was on education, this award is presented to an outstanding political science major who demonstrates academic zeal and exceptional achievement in the major.

Dennis Johnson

AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY AWARD
The American Chemical Society, Division of Analytical Chemistry, sponsors this award to recognize a student with aptitude for a career in the field. The recipient receives a subscription to the journal Analytical Chemistry.

Chijioke Chira
AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY AWARD IN INORGANIC CHEMISTRY
The American Chemical Society, Division of Inorganic Chemistry, sponsors this award to recognize a student who has demonstrated excellence in the field of inorganic chemistry at the undergraduate level.

Brittny Ridenbaugh

AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTS OUTSTANDING SENIOR AWARD
This award is given in recognition of a student’s potential achievement in the chemical professions on the basis of his/her demonstrated record of leadership ability, character and scholastic achievement.

Helema Smith

CHEMISTRY & PHYSICS AND ENGINEERING STUDIES STUDENT LEADERSHIP AWARD
This honor is awarded to a student in Chemistry, Physics or Engineering Studies who has demonstrated outstanding leadership in student organizations and service to the department.

Chrismond Smith

CMAT SPECIAL RECOGNITION PUBLIC RELATIONS AWARD
Communications, Media Arts and Theatre recognizes the following students for their excellent performances in program projects in the field of public relations.

LaSalle Body Mornice Purnell

CRC PRESS FRESHMAN CHEMISTRY ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
This award is given in recognition of outstanding academic performance by a freshman chemistry student. In addition to receiving a certificate, the student also will receive a copy of The CRC Handbook of Chemistry and Physics.

Thuymi To
CREATIVE ACHIEVEMENT IN CMAT AWARD
This certificate of merit is awarded annually to a major in Communications, Media Arts and Theatre who has evidenced superior creative achievement in speech, theater or broadcasting.

Mamadou Bah  Roaa Nakira  Shonda Royal
Lisa Medlock  Melissa Powell

THE CREATIVE WRITING AWARD IN ENGLISH
This certificate of merit is awarded annually to an English major who has evidenced superior performance in the area of creative writing.

Samuel McKinney  Steven Mosley

CSU SOCIOLOGICAL IMAGINATION AWARD
Students receiving The Chicago State University Sociological Imagination Award exemplify both the principles of sociological inquiry as described by Mills in The Sociological Imagination and the drive and determination to make sociological learning a life-long pursuit.

Cordell Bovestro  Sandra Gillespie  Brandon Woods
Cornell Bullock  Stephanie Widel

DANIEL C. STONE MEMORIAL AWARD
In memory of Dr. Daniel C. Stone, former Professor of English, this award honors an English major entering the junior or senior year for his/her outstanding achievement both in academic performance and service to the University.

Atarah Jeffers

DR. BOBBIE M. ANTHONY BLACK STUDENT PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION FOUNDER’S AWARD
This award and $100 are given to a junior or senior member of the Black Student Psychological Association. The student must be in good academic standing, have successfully completed at least one African-American Studies psychology course, and provided significant service and/or leadership to the Association for two academic semesters or more.

Enrique Duncan
DR. MARIAN WILSON-COMER BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES AWARD
The Dr. Marian Wilson-Comer Biological Sciences Award is issued to an African-American biology major who has maintained a better-than-average grade point average and who is active in one of the biology student organizations.

Aaron Thompson

EDWARD C. COLIN & EARL E. SHERFF MEMORIAL AWARD
The Edward C. Colin and Earl E. Sherff Memorial Award is given each year to a major who shows promise as a scholar in the sciences. The award was established to honor the former chairpersons of the Department of Biological Sciences at Chicago State University.

Ermias Weldeyohannes Teresa Pham

EDWIN SAUER AWARD
The Edwin Sauer Award is given in the name and memory of Dr. Edwin Sauer, former Professor of English, in recognition of the student’s outstanding achievement and promise in teaching English at the secondary education level.

Amira Wilbourn

EXCELLENCE IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE AWARD
This award is conferred at Chicago State University’s Annual Honors Convocation to outstanding graduating seniors who have a GPA of 3.5 or higher in their criminal justice courses and an overall GPA of 3.0 or higher, and who have contributed to the criminal justice program or the administration of criminal justice through their service to the department, college, University or community.

Joelh Calixto George Green
Stephanie Canada LaKenya Land

FOREIGN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURE SERVICE AWARD
The Foreign Languages and Literature Department issues this certificate of merit to students who best exemplify service to the faculty, staff and students of the department.

French Spanish
Magdalena Gallagher Marta Haro
FOREIGN LANGUAGES OUTSTANDING TUTOR AWARD
The Foreign Languages and Literature Department issues this award to a Spanish major who donates their time tutoring fellow students, thus helping them to improve their academic performance.

French
Samantha Norris

Spanish
Santiago Toledo

GLADYS SCOTT COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD
This award recognizes an outstanding Chicago State University Master of Social Work Student and continues the legacy of Gladys Scott, a dedicated community and political activist and motivational group worker from Chicago’s Hyde Park. Dr. Doris Perry, Director of the Chicago State MSW program from 1998 to 2006, established the scholarship in her mother’s memory in 2001.

Anita Strange-Rebecchi

HERBERT E. SMITH MEMORIAL AWARD
The Herbert E. Smith Memorial Award was established in his memory to honor minority science majors who have demonstrated outstanding scholarship and intent to pursue graduate studies in the biological and physical sciences.

Chemistry
Tarita Holloway

Biology
Clara Pham

HERBERT RAU GEOGRAPHY GRADUATE AWARD
The Herbert Rau Geography Graduate Award is in memory of Dr. Herbert Rau, a former professor in the Geography Program who had a positive impact on his many students in the graduate Geography Program over the years. The award is given annually to a graduate student who maintains an exceptional commitment to the discipline and demonstrates excellence in geographic inquiry.

Tamara Freihat

JOSEPH CHADA MEMORIAL GRADUATE AWARD
The Joseph Chada Memorial Graduate Award is presented to a history major who shows great promise of scholarly achievement in historical research.

Eldridge Dockery
MARVA JOLLY MEMORIAL AWARD
The Marva Jolly Memorial Award is presented annually to an Art major in the Craft concentration who shows great promise in the field of crafts. This award was established to honor Marva Jolly who was an Assistant Professor of Ceramics in Art & Design.

Clive Gahungu

NANCY JEFFERSON MEMORIAL AWARD
This award is presented in honor of the late Nancy Jefferson in recognition of her outstanding contributions to the well-being of people. The student named below is a political science major who has demonstrated academic excellence and, as did Ms. Jefferson, a commitment to public service.

Tanesha O’Neal

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION NOYCE SCHOLAR AWARD
Noyce Scholars are students who are pursuing degrees in Science Secondary Education at Chicago State University. As Noyce Scholars, they receive full tuition support, engage in internships, travel to conferences and are dedicated to teaching science in high-needs areas.

Dominique Brooks
Ashley Furnace
Tasha Williams

John Brown
Brian Geiss

PHI LAMBDA UPSILON NATIONAL CHEMISTRY HONOR SOCIETY
Phi Lambda Upsilon recognizes undergraduate students who achieve excellence in the study of chemistry. To qualify for membership, a student with senior standing must have completed 30 credit hours of chemistry and rank in the top 20% of the class or have a grade point average of 3.5 or higher.

Patrick Adamptey
Tara Brown

Nathan Frierson
Mario Noboa Zurita
PHYSTECC CHEMISTRY AND PHYSICS AWARD
PhysTEC Fellows are students who have excelled in introductory physics and want to share their passion for the subject with other students. As PhysTEC Fellows, they work with both University students as Learning Assistants (LAs) and with high school teachers and their students. PhysTEC Fellows are supported by a grant from the American Physical Society.

Ryan Goode  Timothy Sanders  
Kenneth Ofodile  Niya Taylor

POLYED AWARD FOR ACHIEVEMENT IN ORGANIC CHEMISTRY
The Polyed Award for Achievement in Organic Chemistry is sponsored by the Joint Polymer Education Committee of the American Chemical Society to recognize achievement in organic chemistry by undergraduate chemistry majors.

Patrick Adampte

PRE-HEALTH PROFESSIONS PROGRAM ROLL OF HONOR AWARD
This award is given annually to a freshman, sophomore, junior and senior who have demonstrated academic excellence, leadership and service to the Pre-Health Professions Program and Chicago communities.

Freshman:    Steven Franklin  
Sophomore:   Brianna Mackey  
Junior:      Alexa Guest  
Senior:      Adesuwa Igbinosun

SIGMA PI SIGMA NATIONAL PHYSICS HONOR SOCIETY
Sigma Pi Sigma exists to honor outstanding scholarship in physics; to encourage interest in physics among students at all levels; to promote an attitude of service by its members toward their fellow students, colleagues and the public; and to provide a fellowship of persons who have excelled in physics.

Isiaka Sulaimon  Michael Tyler
W. WILBUR HATFIELD AWARD IN THE TEACHING OF ENGLISH
The W. Wilbur Hatfield Award in the Teaching of English is awarded in honor of W. Wilbur Hatfield, former chairman of the Department of English, to an outstanding undergraduate student who shows promise in a future of teaching English.

Brian Mahoney

W. WILBUR HATFIELD MEMORIAL AWARD
The W. Wilbur Hatfield Memorial Award is presented annually to an English major whose academics indicate great promise as a scholar in the field of English Letters. This award was established to honor W. Wilbur Hatfield, former chairman of the English department, who was instrumental in the development of the National Council of Teachers of English and was editor of The English Journal from 1921 until 1958.

Philip Purkett

WALTER P. TROST MEMORIAL AWARD
The Walter P. Trost Memorial Award is given to a biology major with an above-average academic record who has demonstrated sustained service to his/her fellow students and community.

Ermias Weldeyohannes

W.E.B. DU BOIS SOCIOLOGY AWARD
This award is presented to a senior-level sociology major who has demonstrated academic promise and success and who embodies the principles of sociological inquiry.

Elizabeth Glover

WILLIAM A. DAUGHERTY MEMORIAL AWARD
This award for excellence in developmental psychology was established by faculty colleagues in memory of William A. Daugherty. The award honors a psychology major who has demonstrated scholastic achievement and a career commitment to working with children and youth.

Austin Johnson
DEPARTMENTAL HONORS AND MERIT AWARDS

Departmental Merit and Honors Awards are presented to undergraduate students chosen by each department in recognition of the students' high academic achievement in their particular disciplines.

Art & Design, Communications, Media Arts & Theatre

Art and Design Honors
Karyn Emeralda

Merit
Alexis Berry
Marcus McCoy
Thomas Stone

Communications, Media Arts and Theatre Honors
Shanel Johnson
Monice Purnell
JoAnna Matthews

Merit
Kendra Crawford
Miguel Frost
Sheila Howard
William Richards

Biological Sciences Honors
Clara Pham

Merit
Amarachukwu Akujieze
Lucinda Boyd
Danielle Nunley

Chemistry and Physics

Chemistry Honors
Brittney Ridenbaugh

Merit
Tarita Holloway
Douglas Jenkins
Helema Smith

Physics Honors
Rodney Carmona

Merit
Bernard Boston
Kiara Fenner
Isiaka Sulaimon

Criminal Justice, Philosophy and Political Science

Criminal Justice Honors
Christopher Muldrow

Merit
Briana Howard
Angela Snell
Tamous Willis
International Studies  
Honors  
Evelyn Perez-Castro

Merit  
Aissata Diallo  
Johnny Johnson  
Robert Perez

Political Science  
Honors  
Angela Gill

Merit  
Kenyatta Land  
Byron Stanley

English, Foreign Language and Literatures

English  
Honors  
Brian Mahoney

Merit  
Vanessa Sheppard

French  
Honors  
Evelyne Castro

Merit  
Kham Gwin  
Candice Smith

Spanish  
Honors  
Marta Haro

Merit  
Joseph Anderson

Geography, Sociology, History, African-American Studies and Anthropology

African-American Studies  
Honors  
Tamous Willis

Merit  
Malazja Anderson

History  
Honors  
Alexis Mayfield  
LeSean Young

Merit  
Rosie Jones  
David Ramirez  
Gerald Shinn  
Cassandra Townsend

Sociology  
Honors  
Lankeeda Ruth

Merit  
Suzanne Catillo  
Nicole Lewis  
Antonio Lightfoot

Liberal Studies  
Honors  
Meisha Edwards-White

Merit  
Ronisha Preckwinkle
Mathematics, Computer Science and Economics

**Mathematics**
*Honors*
Wanda Dean

**Computer Science**
*Merit*
Margaret Pledger

**Music**
*Honors*
Margaret Murphy-Webb

*Merit*
Gerald Crawford
David Flowers
Aaron Washington

Pre-Health Professions Programs

*Honors*
Vincent Pham

*Merit*
Ariana Oatman
JaTerra Castine
Ashvi Patel

**Psychology**
*Honors*
Erin Courtney

*Merit*
Areen Nemri
Carnetta Green
Dominique Falls
COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Presenting: Mr. Derrick Collins, Dean

DEPARTMENTAL HONORS AND MERIT AWARDS

Departmental Merit and Honors Awards are presented to undergraduate students chosen by each department in recognition of the students’ high academic achievement in their particular disciplines.

Accounting and Finance

**Accounting**

*Honors*
Malgorzata Moreno

*Merit*
Zandy Bautista
David Keenan
Rana Nemri

**Finance**

*Honors*
Paisley Harper

*Merit*
Latrishia Horton
Luis Ulloa Trivino
Anthony White

Management, Marketing and Management Information Systems

**Management**

*Honors*
Theresa Brown

*Merit*
Rahel Andeson
Symone Bridges
Phyllis Dixon

**Management Information Systems**

*Honors*
Lisa Daniel

*Merit*
Vincent Martin
Kevin Nanfuri
Frank Wilson

**Marketing**

*Honors*
Erica Moore

*Merit*
Yewande Peters
COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES

Presenting: Dr. Leslie Roundtree, Interim Dean

ARTICE W. HARMON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
The Artice W. Harmon Memorial Scholarship awards $500 to a graduate-level Occupational Therapy major and underrepresented minority who demonstrates initiative in scholarly pursuits, leadership abilities and diligence in the pursuit of a career in occupational therapy.

Tricia Willis

CYNTHIA HEATH-BALDWIN PROFESSIONAL GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT AWARD
This award is given in the name and memory of Cynthia Heath-Baldwin, former alumna and faculty of Occupational Therapy, to a student who has demonstrated significant personal and professional development in the field of occupational therapy.

Judy Martinez

COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES/CSU FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS
During the 2013–2014 academic year, the following students from the College of Health Sciences received $1,250 scholarship awards from the CSU Foundation in recognition of their academic and service achievements.

Brandon Briggance
Dalisha Gatewood
Erica Green
LaTanya Hambrick
Kierra Harris
Andrea Hathorne
Courtney Nichols
DEPARTMENTAL HONORS AND MERIT AWARDS

Departmental Merit and Honors Awards are presented to undergraduate students chosen by each department in recognition of the students' high academic achievement in their respective disciplines.

Health Studies
Honors
Kyra Shannon

Merit
Caryn Harris
Falilatu Lasisi
Thuymi To

Occupational Therapy and Pre-Occupational Therapy
Honors
Nicholas Rodriguez

Merit
Michelle Brisard
Rocio Flores
Amber Shannon
COLLEGE OF PHARMACY

Presenting: Dr. Miriam Mobley Smith, Dean

COLLEGE OF PHARMACY/CSU FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP
Chicago State University Foundation Scholarships were established to assist students in their academic endeavors based on their outstanding academic scholarship and active engagement in community service. This award is presented today in recognition of their achievements.

Linh Do  
Gerald Enriquez  
Nancy Koo

Nunmoula Mazhari  
Hieu Nguyen  
Nataliya Sidelnikova

Keane Soluade  
Coty Tunwar

CVS/CAREMARK CHARITABLE TRUST, INC. SCHOLARSHIP
The CVS/Caremark Charitable Trust, Inc. Scholarship is given each year to pharmacy students who demonstrate academic excellence and have an interest in community pharmacy.

Teresa Lewis  
Brandon Orawiec

Meera Patel  
Hai Wang

ILLINOIS COUNCIL OF HEALTH-SYSTEMS PHARMACISTS
The Illinois Council of Health-Systems Pharmacists is an organization composed of pharmacists who strive to improve the delivery of pharmaceutical services in Illinois institutions. The organization recognizes that participation by pharmacy students is important and necessary. As a result, the Council grants monetary awards to pharmacy students who demonstrate leadership in health-system pharmacy.

Taylor Highland

JEWEL-OSCO/NEW ALBERTSON’S, INC. SCHOLARSHIP
The Jewel-Osco/New Albertson’s, Inc. scholarship is given each year to pharmacy students who are currently employed in a community pharmacy setting and reside in a state where the pharmacy school is located or an adjacent state in which there are Jewel-Osco/New Albertson’s stores.

Kristine Manlimos  
McWade Palmer

Jay Patel  
Ruchi Patel

Keane Soluade
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF CHAIN DRUG STORES FOUNDATION PHARMACY STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP
The National Association of Chain Drug Stores Foundation Pharmacy Student Scholarship is given each year to support the development of future leaders in the chain community pharmacy industry.

Athanasios Andriopoulos  Isaias Isaac  Gagandeep Singh
Nicole Banks  Kristine Manlimos

STUDENT NATIONAL PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION (SNPhA) CSU PHARMACY DIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP
This scholarship is awarded to a student pharmacist who has embraced the mission of SNPhA, by combating health disparities and promoting diversity and inclusion initiatives in pharmacy.

Nancy Edwards

TARGET SCHOLARSHIP
This scholarship is awarded in recognition of the student’s high scholastic standing, demonstrated leadership and commitment to community service.

Linh Do

WALMART SCHOLARSHIP
This scholarship is awarded in recognition of the student’s high scholastic standing, demonstrated leadership and commitment to community service.

Bernice Man

WALGREENS DIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP
This scholarship is awarded to student pharmacists who have demonstrated significant efforts toward raising the awareness of playing an active role in educating others about cultural competency and diversity-related matters impacting the pharmacy profession.

Abdel Bello  April Henson  Gagandeep Singh

WALGREENS DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP
This scholarship is awarded to a student pharmacist who has embraced diversity and promoted diversity and inclusion initiatives on campus.

Aisosa Okpogie
CONTINUING EDUCATION AND
NON-TRADITIONAL DEGREE PROGRAMS

Presenting: Ms. Nelly Maynard, *Interim Dean*

The awards listed below in the various categories are presented to students who have maintained a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 or better in their respective studies.

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Chicago State University offers this unique scholarship program to reward students of outstanding academic ability. The Presidential Scholars Program provides individualized educational opportunities to exceptional students and serves to stimulate scholarly activity between students and faculty. The scholars receive full-time tuition support for the fall and spring semesters, are given opportunities to participate in enrichment activities and special events, and receive individualized academic and career services support. Recipients are given special recognition for academic excellence on their transcripts.

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The following awards, presented annually by the Division of Student Affairs, are conferred upon juniors and seniors who have demonstrated better than average scholarship and who have shown outstanding dedication to the University and to their fellow students. Students are selected on the basis of performance in all areas of University life, with special emphasis upon leadership in the University community.

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“HONOR AND GLORY”

Here’s to Chicago, colors evergreen and white
Hail CSU, where we can reach the height
Proudly we raise all our voices to you
Helping each other to make it through

Chorus
Honor and Glory! Telling the story
Keeping our mission so true
Honor and Glory! We’ll tell the story
Lifting our voices to CSU

Hail CSU, where all our dreams come true
Meeting the challenge, making old things new
Onward and upward we proudly sing
All our devotion we gladly bring

Chorus

As we endeavor to achieve our goal
May we continue with a joyful soul
Fondly availing our school’s brave heart
With adoration we shall impart

Chorus

Composed by Deborah Williams
Assistant Professor, Department of Music
Written 1999
THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

“THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER”

Oh, say, can you see, by the dawn’s early light,
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight’s last gleaming?
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thru the perilous fight,
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly streaming?
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.
O say, does that star-spangled banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

On the shore dimly seen through the mists of the deep,
Where the foe’s haughty host in dread silence reposes,
What is it that which the breeze, o'er the towering steep,
As it fitfully blows, half conceals, half discloses?
Now it catches the gleam of the morning's first beam,
In full glory reflected, now shines on the stream:
Tis the star-spangled banner: O, long may it wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave!

And where is that band who so vauntingly swore
That the havoc of war and the battle's confusion
A home and a country should leave us no more?
Their blood has washed out their foul footsteps' pollution.
No refuge could save the hireling and slave
From the terror of flight or the gloom of the grave:
And the star-spangled banner in triumph doth wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.

O, thus be it ever when freemen shall stand,
Between their loved home and the war's desolation!
Blest with victory and peace, may the heav'n-rescued land
Praise the power that hath made and preserved us a nation!
Then conquer we must, when our cause it is just,
And this be our motto: "In God is our trust"
And the star-spangled banner in triumph shall wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave!

Lyrics by Francis Scott Key
Music by John Stafford Smith
THE BLACK NATIONAL ANTHEM

“LIFT EV’RY VOICE AND SING”

Lift ev’ry voice and sing
Till earth and heaven ring.
Ring with the harmonies of liberty;
   Let our rejoicing rise
High as the list’ning skies,
   Let it resound loud as the rolling sea.
Sing a song full of the faith that the dark past has taught us,
Sing a song full of the hope that the present has brought us.
Facing the rising sun of our new day begun,
   Let us march on till victory is won.

Stony the road we trod,
Bitter the chast’ning rod.
Felt in the days when hope unborn had died;
   Yet with a steady beat,
Have not our weary feet
Come to the place for which our fathers sighed?
We have come over a way that with tears has been watered,
We have come, treading our path through the blood
   of the slaughtered
Out from the gloomy past,
Where the white gleam of our bright star is cast

God of our weary years,
God of our silent tears,
Thou who has brought us thus far on the way;
   Thou who has by thy might
Led us into the light
Keep us forever in the path we pray.
Lest our feet stray from the places, our God, where we met Thee,
Lost our heart, drunk with the wine of the world, we forget Thee,
Shadowed beneath Thy hand,
   May we forever stand.
True to our God
   True to our native land.

Lyrics by James Weldon Johnson
Music by Rosamond Johnson

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