Outstanding Student Employees and Staff Recognized

Chancellor Kumble R. Subbaswamy recognized ten student employees, eight staff members and two teams of employees for outstanding contributions to the University of Massachusetts Amherst at a reception held at the Old Chapel – Great Hall on May 9, 2017.

Congratulations and thank you to each of this year’s award recipients for your dedication to the University and its mission – for making a difference every day and inspiring the same in others.

The 2017 Gerald F. Scanlon Student Employee of the Year Award Recipients
Pictured in the back row from left to right are Olivia Clark (University Relations), Thomas Novotny, Jr. (Residential Life Facilities Operation), Chancellor Kumble R. Subbaswamy, Celeste Blodgett (Disability Services) and Olivia Laramie (Center of Multicultural Advancement & Student Success). Pictured in the front row from left to right are Evelyn Miller (Isenberg Undergraduate Online Programs), Paul O’Connor (Stockbridge School of Agriculture), Truc Vo (Graduate School), James Abdow (IT – Instructional Innovation / Computer Classrooms), Ainsley Brosnan-Smith (Physical Plant / Sustainable UMass) and Caitlyn Hatch (Hotel UMASS). Photograph by Thom Kendall.

Place cursor on award recipient’s name (blue hyperlink) and left click to view video presentations. Videography by Daniel Madsen.
The 2017 Chancellor’s Citation Award Recipients
Pictured from left to right are Robert Laford (Office of Emergency Management / EHS), Katherine Dorfman (Biology Department), Joanne Dolan (Humanities & Fine Arts), Chancellor Kumble R. Subbaswamy, Barbara Picard (Auxiliary Enterprises), Catarina Dias (Auxiliary Services), Richard Leibe (UMass Cranberry Station). Not pictured are Thomas Maxfield (Linguistics Department) and Kamal Souccar (Astronomy Department). Photograph by Thom Kendall.

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The 2017 Chancellor’s Citation Team Award Recipients

**Kennedy Tower Maintainer Staff - Residential Life**

Pictured in the back row from left to right are Luz Navarro Melendez, Purna Khadka, Chancellor Kumble R. Subbaswamy, Padma Tamang and Mark Dubuque. Pictured in the front row from left to right are Patricia Tomala, Richard Trzpit, Cheryl Anne Gamache, Purna Subedi and Rosa Bonilla. Photograph by Thom Kendall.

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Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design (CPTED) Team

Pictured from left to right are Damian DeWolf (UMass Police Department), Eric Beal (External Relations and University Events), Chancellor Kumble R. Subbaswamy, Sally Linowski (Dean of Students Office) and Ian Cyr (UMass Police Department). Photograph by Thom Kendall

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Video presentation links, of the 2017 Chancellor’s Citation Award recipients and the Gerald F. Scanlon Student Employee of the Year Award recipients are listed below.

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