TRITON COLLEGE BOARD BRIEFS

Recognizing Student Achievement!



Chairman Mark Stephens, Xavier Skinner, Bertha Sanchez, Oumou Toure, Sarah Cuevas, President Mary-Rita Moore

The Board of Trustees was pleased to honor the following students.

Sarah Cuevas – 2021 DREAM Student Scholar. The Achieving the Dream (ATD) DREAM Scholars Program is an experiential learning program designed for student leaders to enhance their leadership skills and use them to influence positive change on their campus and in their community. Ms. Cuevas is one of eight scholars selected nationally.

Bertha Sanchez – Aspen Young Leaders Fellowship (AYLF). The AYLF is an intensive yearlong leadership training for support towards degree completion where students engage in values-based leadership essential for transforming their lives and society for the better. Ms. Sanchez is one of thirty students selected for this honor.

Xavier Skinner – 2021 Coca-Cola Academic Team Gold Scholar. Coca-Cola Gold Scholars are selected based on scores earned in the All-USA Academic Team competion, from among more than 2,000 applications received. As part of this honor, Mr. Skinner earned a \$1500 scholarship.

Oumou Toure: NASA Community College Aerospace Scholar. NCAS gives community college students an authentic NASA experience and encourages them to finish a two-year degree or transfer to a university to pursue a NASA-related field or career. Ms. Toure is also competing in the US Department of Energy Solar Cup Competition.

A Special Thanks to Employees Chairman Stephens took a moment to thank the employees of Triton College for pulling together through tough times and keeping things going for students.

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Steven Page – Student Trustee 2019-2021. Mr. Page was recognized for his unselfish service to the Board of Trustees and students of Triton College upon his completion of a distinguished two-year term as Student Trustee.

Bertha Sanchez – Student Trustee 2021-2022. Ms. Sanchez was elected by the student body as new Student Trustee for the upcoming school year. She was administered the oath of office by the college attorney.

Action Exhibits & Purchasing Schedule Approved All of the exhibits presented to the Board were approved, including media buys and curriculum changes. See the <u>Board of Trustees</u> website for information on all of the items that went to the Board of Trustees in April.

CMA Program Congratulations was extended to the Certified Medical Assistant program for receiving full accreditation after a recent site visit.

Board Organizational Meeting Chairman Stephens announced that the Board of Trustees will hold its Organizational Meeting on Tuesday, April 27, 2021 at 6:30 p.m.