

RT @ OSU News

Summer 2006

A Distinguished Class



With 18 graduates, the Class of 2006 is distinguished for being the largest graduating class and having highest graduating GPA in history of RT @ OSU. Sixteen students graduated as Certified Respiratory Therapists and 8 as Registered Respiratory Therapists. Thirteen participated in the 2006 Denman Undergraduate Research Forum, 4 were inducted into the Lambda-Beta National Honor Society, 2 graduated magna cum laude, and 1 received the President's Salute to Undergraduate Achievement. CONGRATULATIONS to the Class of 2006! They are:

- Bradley Joseph Asbury
- Stephanie Jane Brindza, CRT
- Manual Jesus Cestari, RRT
- Kristina Marie Davis, RRT
- Melissa Dina Figueiroa, CRT
- Jason Dean Galloway, RRT, Lambda Beta
- Erin Sue Hensley, CRT
- Nikki Leigh Johnson, CRT
- Jolynne Isabelle Kohli RRT, Lambda Beta
- Brittany Rene Locklear, CRT
- Joseph Paul Manuel, RRT
- Sarah Jane McNee RRT, *magna cum laude*,
Lambda Beta, President's Salute
Undergraduate Academic Achievement
- Daniel Anthony Muran, RRT, *magna cum laude*, Lambda Beta
- Christine Suzanne Snider RRT
- Katrina Renee Strayer, CRT
- Kayla Jean Williams RRT
- Gavin Wan-Ki Wong RRT
- Heather Marie Zuber, CRT

Student RRT Recognition Dinner

Congratulations! to the 8 senior RT students who earned the RRT credential prior to their graduation, the RT faculty hosted dinner for them at the Columbus Fish Market on May 31. Being recognized for earning the advanced-level RRT credential were: Kristina Davis, Jason Galloway, Jolynne Kohli, Joseph Manuel, Sarah McNee, Christine Snider, Kayla Williams and Gavin Wong.

The event was sponsored with the generosity of Rob Dahn of Boehringer Ingelheim. Thanks Rob!



RT at 2006 Denman UG Research Forum

Stephanie Brindza, Brittany Locklear, Kayla Williams: Level of Health Literacy and Smoking Behaviors in Pre-Allied Med Students.

Kristina Davis, Jolynne Kohli: Baccalaureate Degrees in Respiratory Therapy: Advanced Clinical Skills, Clinical Experience, and Curriculum.

Melissa Figueroa, Erin Hensley, Gavin Wong: The Relationship Between The Use Of Clinical Patient Care Protocols And Department Characteristics On Job Satisfaction And Employment Longevity Of Respiratory Therapists.

Nikki Johnson, Heather Zuber: The Role of the Respiratory Therapist in Providing Smoking Cessation Education.

Sarah McNee, Christine Snider, Katrina Strayer: The Use of Airway Clearance Techniques in Ohio Hospitals.

Alumni and friends who wish to donate to RT Scholarship Fund or the RT Support Fund can donate on-line at [Give to OSU](#). To designate a gift, choose "Other: Please specify in special instructions" and specify "The Respiratory Therapy Scholarship Fund # 646030 or "Respiratory Therapy Development Fund # 308046 in the special instructions. Questions? Contact RT@osumc.edu

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