



RESOLUTION

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honoring

JOANNA JERUZAL

on receipt of the

CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM FOUNDATION HENRY BARNARD DISTINGUISHED STUDENT AWARD

April 3, 2003

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- WHEREAS, The 12 recipients have been selected from approximately 4,000 graduating seniors, and
- WHEREAS, The criteria for selection for this award include outstanding academic achievement, as well as service to family, university or community, and
- WHEREAS, Joanna Jeruzal will graduate from Central Connecticut State University in May with a bachelor's degree in biology with a 3.9 GPA, where she has been involved in an independent research program seeking to identify the chromosomal location of the mutant gene that causes hairlessness in the Charles River hairless rat, and where she's a member of both the Tri Beta science honor society and the Golden Key International Honour Society, and
 - WHEREAS, Jeruzal is a four-year, scholarship member of Central's women's basketball team and was voted Central 's top female student-athlete in 2001 and 2002, and where she's also a member of the Biology Club and treasurer of the Caducean Club, and has been a volunteer for the Race for the Cure and Central's Student-Athlete Day, and has donated time to Fairfax Hospital in her hometown of Fairfax, Virginia, and
 - WHEREAS, Joanna Jeruzal has been selected by the Connecticut State University System Foundation to receive its Henry Barnard Distinguished Student Award, therefore, be it
 - RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System commends Joanna Jeruzal for her academic and service achievements, congratulates her on receipt of the Henry Barnard Award, and extends its best wishes for a happy and successful future.

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- WHEREAS, Carol Sullo will graduate from Central Connecticut State University in August with a bachelor's degree in business administration with a near-perfect 3.90 GPA, and is a member of the Golden Key International Honour Society, and
- WHEREAS, While attending Central's School of Business, she has been actively involved in the campus community, serving as president of the Delta Mu Delta honor society and president of the Dean's Student Advisory Board, and has also served as a Girl Scout troop leader for six years and served as a member of the Hubbard Elementary PTO in her hometown of East Berlin, and
- WHEREAS, Carol Sullo has been selected by the Connecticut State University System Foundation to receive its Henry Barnard Distinguished Student Award, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System commends Carol Sullo for her academic and service achievements, congratulates her on receipt of the Henry Barnard Award, and extends its best wishes for a happy and successful future.

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- WHEREAS, Richard M. Freeman will graduate in May from Eastern Connecticut State University with a bachelor's degree in mathematics and computer science with a G.P.A. of 3.96 and is a member of Kappa Mu Epsilon, the national mathematics honor society, and
 - WHEREAS, Before enrolling at Eastern, he served in the U.S. Air Force for 22 years at various bases across the U.S. and Europe, in the field of logistics management, and now provides volunteer service to the Church of Christ in Sterling, and
 - WHEREAS, Richard Freeman has been selected by the Connecticut State University System Foundation to receive its Henry Barnard Distinguished Student Award, therefore, be it
 - RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System commends Richard Freeman for his academic and service achievements, congratulates his on receipt of the Henry Barnard Award, and extends its best wishes for a happy and successful future.

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WHEREAS, Christine Guarnieri will receive a bachelor's degree in May from Eastern Connecticut State University with an individualized major in interdisciplinary media writing and production with a 3.98 GPA and has received a number of honors at Eastern, including the President's Excellence Achievement Award, an Excellence Award for Outstanding Student in the School of Education and Professional Studies, an Excellence Award for Outstanding Scholar–Mentor from the Communications Department and Student of the Year from the Communications Department, and

She is a member of the International Thespian Society and the NAACP, and has written, produced and directed several programs for television, radio and theatre, directing more than fifty productions in community theater in Hawaii, Connecticut, Washington, California, and Virginia, including productions for the hearing impaired at Three Rivers Community College, and has served as a theater adviser at Ledyard High School and a technical assistant at the Garde Arts Center in New London, and also as stage manager for the National Theatre for the Deaf: Deaf Touring Company in New York and Connecticut in 2002, and

WHEREAS, Christine Guarnieri has been selected by the Connecticut State University System Foundation to receive its Henry Barnard Distinguished Student Award, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System commends Christine Guarnieri for her academic and service achievements, congratulates her on receipt of the Henry Barnard Award, and extends its best wishes for a happy and successful future.

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- WHEREAS, Yolanda Lee-Gorishti will graduate in May from Southern Connecticut State University with a bachelor's degree in anthropology and bachelor's degree in earth science with a GPA of 3.79, and has participated in Southern's Paleoanthropological Field School in Laetoli, Tanzania, and is a member of Zeta Delta Epsilon, the honorary service organization at Southern, and
 - WHEREAS, She joined with faculty members to make presentations to both the Geological Society of America and the Society for American Archaeologists, and previously served terms as president and treasurer of the university's Anthropology Club and one year as a university assistant within the sociology-anthropology department, and
 - WHEREAS, Yolanda Lee-Gorishti has been selected by the Connecticut State University System Foundation to receive its Henry Barnard Distinguished Student Award, therefore, be it
 - RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System commends Yolanda Lee-Gorishti for her academic and service achievements, congratulates her on receipt of the Henry Barnard Award, and extends its best wishes for a happy and successful future.

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- WHEREAS, Lori Rubino, a mathematics major with a certificate in secondary education, will graduate from Southern Connecticut State University in May and has maintained a 3.88 GPA while also participating in intercollegiate athletics as a member of the Owls' field hockey and women's lacrosse teams, and
- WHEREAS, She is a midfielder and captain in lacrosse and was named to the NCAA's national academic team in 2002 and also has neen named a Northeast 10 Conference Gold Scholar and a National Field Hockey Coaches Association Division II National Academic Scholar, and
- WHEREAS, Lori Rubino has been selected by the Connecticut State University System Foundation to receive its Henry Barnard Distinguished Student Award, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System commends Lori Rubino for her academic and service achievements, congratulates her on receipt of the Henry Barnard Award, and extends its best wishes for a happy and successful future.

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- WHEREAS. Meredith Ruck will graduate in May from Southern Connecticut State University with a bachelor's degree in exercise science and has compiled a 3.91 GPA, and is a member of the Golden Key International Honour Society and Zeta Delta Epsilon, and
- WHEREAS. She is the recipient of a National Athletic Trainers Scholarship, an Eastern Athletic Trainers Scholarship and a Connecticut Athletic Trainers Scholarship, and has twice been named an outstanding athletic training student at Southern, and has been president and treasurer of the Sports Medicine Club, and has participated in the Midnight Run to feed New Haven's homeless and served as a medical volunteer for the Hartford Marathon, and
- WHEREAS, Meredith Ruck has been selected by the Connecticut State University System Foundation to receive its Henry Barnard Distinguished Student Award, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System commends Meredith Ruck for her academic and service achievements, congratulates her on receipt of the Henry Barnard Award, and extends its best wishes for a happy and successful future.

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- WHEREAS, Robin Thomson graduated from Southern Connecticut State University in December with a bachelor's degree in sociology, with a teaching certificate, and completed her degree with a near-perfect 3.98 GPA, and was inducted into the Alpha Kappa Delta Honor Society and has been a member of Zeta Delta Epsilon, and
- WHEREAS, She participated in public dental health projects in the Dominican Republic, Belize and Guatemala, and also coordinated a collection of medical supplies that were distributed in Tanzania, and she received of the Ford Motor Company Award for Academic Excellence and Community Service and a participant in the 2000 Young Women's Day of Action, and
- WHEREAS, Robin Thomson has been selected by the Connecticut State University System Foundation to receive its Henry Barnard Distinguished Student Award, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System commends Robin Thomson for her academic and service achievements, congratulates her on receipt of the Henry Barnard Award, and extends its best wishes for a happy and successful future.

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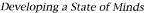
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- WHEREAS, Dianne Hammersley will graduate from Western Connecticut State University in May with a bachelor's degree in social work and a GPA of 3.94, and was named an All-American Scholar in 2001 and inducted into the Phi Alpha honor society in 2002, and
- WHEREAS, She is president of WestConn's Social Work Club and has volunteered her time to such organizations as the Literacy Volunteers, the Multiple Sclerosis Society, the Red Cross and United Way, and has been a leader of foreign language study groups on the WestConn campus and participated in a program to teach English to a Korean family, and also worked as a counselor with Green Chimney's Arbor House, a program that serves at-risk, runaway, homeless and street youth in Putnam County, New York, and
- WHEREAS, Dianne Hammersley has been selected by the Connecticut State University System Foundation to receive its Henry Barnard Distinguished Student Award, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System commends Dianne Hammersley for her academic and service achievements, congratulates her on receipt of the Henry Barnard Award, and extends its best wishes for a happy and successful future.

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- WHEREAS, Erin McDonald will graduate in May from Western Connecticut State University with a bachelor's degree in psychology, sociology and anthropology with a 3.9 GPA and is a member of the University Scholars Academic Program and Psi Chi, has been named to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities, and has been presented with the university's Outstanding Psychology Student Award in 2001 and the Outstanding Student Award in 2002, and
- WHEREAS, She has served as the Connecticut State University System's student representative to the Connecticut Board of Governors for Higher Education and was elected to two terms as the student representative to WestConn's psychology department, co-founded the university's honors club, then served as its vice president and president, and served as student director of the university's freshman orientation program, and founded Girl Talk, a self-growth program for adolescent girls operating at schools in the Danbury area, and
- WHEREAS, Erin McDonald has been selected by the Connecticut State University System Foundation to receive its Henry Barnard Distinguished Student Award, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System commends Erin McDonald for her academic and service achievements, congratulates her on receipt of the Henry Barnard Award, and extends its best wishes for a happy and successful future.

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- WHEREAS, A senior at Central Connecticut State University, Benjamin Graves will graduate with a bachelor's degree in construction management with a 3.89 GPA and is a member of the Golden Key Honour Society, and
- WHEREAS, He also has served the past three years of the campus chapter of Associated General Contractors, has held a position as project engineer for the LTC Construction Company and has served a house captain for the Christmas in April organization, and
- WHEREAS, Benjamin Graves has been selected by the Connecticut State University System Foundation to receive its Henry Barnard Distinguished Student Award, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System commends Benjamin Graves for his academic and service achievements, congratulates his on receipt of the Henry Barnard Award, and extends its best wishes for a happy and successful future.

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- WHEREAS, Margaret Helming will graduate from Central Connecticut State University in May with a bachelor's degree in two majors -- English and history -- and has received departmental honors from the English Department, is a member of the Alpha Lambda Delta honor society, is a recipient of a Golden Key International Honour Society senior scholarship and an Alliance 21st Century scholarship, and
 - WHEREAS, She serves as correspondence secretary for the Golden Key International Honour Society and as historian for the honors club, is a tutor at the Central's Writing Center and is a member of the staff at Helix, Central's student literary and artistic journal, where she has had both a short story and poem published, and
 - WHEREAS, Margaret Helming has been selected by the Connecticut State University System Foundation to receive its Henry Barnard Distinguished Student Award, therefore, be it
 - RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System commends Margaret Helming for her academic and service achievements, congratulates her on receipt of the Henry Barnard Award, and extends its best wishes for a happy and successful future.

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ITEM

Henry Barnard Distinguished Student Awards

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

In past years, the Board of Trustees has passed resolutions honoring twelve recipients of the Connecticut State University System Foundation's Henry Barnard Awards. This student award banquet honors twelve graduating seniors from the entire system who have been recognized for their academic achievement and voluntary commitment to their university and community.

Attached is the sample resolution. At this time, we are waiting to confirm the biographical information from the recipients. The Henry Barnard Awards is scheduled for Tuesday, April 15, 2003.

Below is the list of 2003 recipients of the CSU System Foundation's Henry Barnard Distinguished Student Awards

Central Connecticut State University

Margaret J. Helming Joanna Jeruzal Carol Sullo Ben Graves

Eastern Connecticut State University

Matthew Turko Christine Guarnieri-Benam

Southern Connecticut State University

Yolanda Lee-Gorishti Lori A. Rubino Meredith L. Ruck Robin Thomson

Western Connecticut State University

Dianne Hammersley Erin McDonald

CHANCELLOR'S RECOMMENDATION

Recognition of the twelve Connecticut State University System students recommended for the Henry Barnard Distinguished Student Awards