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Department of Geography Newsletter

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Paul W. and Marie K. Baumann Scholarship Awarded



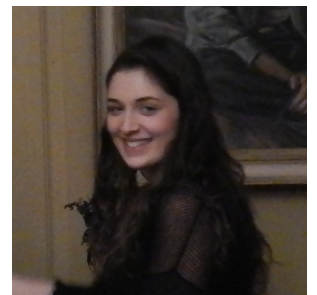
Jonah Butler, of Trafalgar, Indiana, is this year's recipient of the Paul W. and Marie K. Baumann Scholarship. This award is given annually to support undergraduate scholarships in Geography. Jonah, a Geography major, has shown a good work ethic, while maintaining a solid academic record. The scholarship will be used to offset academic expenses as he continues his education at Indiana University.

Congratulations Jonah!

Leuthart Given Robert N. Johnson Scholarship

The recipient of the Robert N. Johnson Scholarship is **Kassandra Leuthart**, of Borden, Indiana. The Johnson Scholarship is given annually to a student majoring in Geography, who demonstrates academic merit and financial need.

Congratulations, Kassandra, as you continue your degree at Indiana University!



Kimmel Named Outstanding Senior

The Outstanding Senior Award this year was given to **Lane Kimmel**. Lane concentrated in GIS and Remote Sensing and worked full time during his undergraduate career. He hails from Fishers, Indiana. Congratulations Lane on a job well done!



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Christopher Meulbroek Awarded William R. Black Leadership Memorial Scholarship

Christopher Meulbroek is the recipient of the William R. Black Leadership Memorial Scholarship. This scholarship honors the late W.R. (Bill) Black who was internationally renowned for his research on sustainable transportation. He also served twice as chairperson of the Department of Geography and was instrumental in founding Bloomington Transit, the Indiana Department of Transportation, and Conrail.

Christopher is a double major in Geography and Economics, he has shown a good work ethic, while maintaining a solid academic record. He was instrumental in the founding of the IU Geography Club.

Well done, Christopher!



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William R. Black Leadership Memorial Fellowship Given to Trevis Matheus



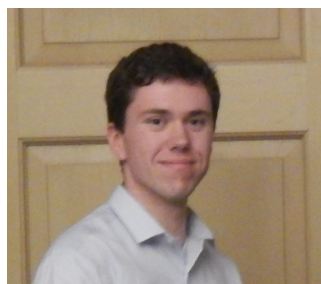
This year's recipient of the William R. Black Leadership Memorial Fellowship is graduate student **Trevis Matheus**. His research focus is paleoclimate and his current research involves reconstruction of the climate record from tree rings. In addition to his work within the department, where he teaches Weather and Climate. Trevis has served in several posts within the IU Geography Graduate Student Association and volunteers with Big Brothers of Bloomington.

Congratulations Trevis!

Other Awards Night Recipients

Stephen S. Visher Award

G109 Weather and Climate
Awarded to Jacob Barker



Norman J. G. Pounds Award

G120 World Regional Geography
Awarded to Hannah Stadler



Thomas F. Barton Award

G110 Human Geography
Jamie Lin Sanidad



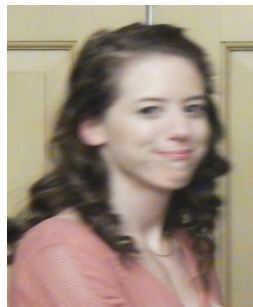
Alumni AI Teaching Award

Awarded to Hamed Gholizadeh



Robert C. Kingsbury Award

Awarded to Beatrice Kutis



John Odland Graduate Research Fellowship

Awarded to Samapriya Roy



Graduate Fellowships

Awarded to Beth Ciaravolo



Awarded to Paul McCord



Chair's Graduate Student Recognition Awards

Abdul Aijaz
Carmen Antreasian
Angela Babb
Jordan Blekking
William Burke
Beth Ciaravolo

Edgar Espinoza
Hamed Gholizadeh
Dan Johnston
Nian Liu
Trevis Matheus
Paul McCord

Tyler Schlachter
Anika Tabassum
Nicholas Vare
Matt Wenzel
Ryan Wyeth
Landon Yoder



From left to right: Nicholas Vare, Ryan Wyeth, Anika Tabassum, Trevis Matheus, Hamed Gholizadeh, Carmen Antreasian, Daniel Johnston, Tyler Schlachter, Beth Ciaravolo and Paul McCord.

Friends of the Department of Geography, 2015 / 2016

Melvin H. Aamodt	Curtis Knudsen	Rebecca Rupright
Majed Akhter	Dan and Linda Knudsen	Mark Sadler
James and Mary Babb	Daniel Knuth	Steven and Ingeborg Scheumann
Emmalean M. Baumann	Daniel Koch	Eric Schweitzer
Paul and Barbara Baumann	Kraft Foods Group, Inc.	Marsha Selmer
Donna Black	Andrew Krmeneč	Marcia Sullivan and Steven Jansen
Bee and David Buegler	John Marquis	Antonio Tebesceff
Angele and Paul Byskosh	Robert Martin and Susan L. Schwartz	Chris Van Allen
Joseph and Sharon Dearing	John Nichols	Eric and Susan Wilcox
Richard and Cynthia Dennerline	John and Bonnie	Richard Wright and Sheila Colbert
Tom Evans and Jacqui Bauer	Stephen and Mary Pawlow	
Darren Ficklin	Carol and Wade Peacock	
Jonathan and Marna Gettleman	Richard Piecewicz	
John Goetz	Bruce Pigozzi, Ph.D.	
Margaret Gross	Janice Prentiss	
Taehee Hwang	Beatriz and Deryl Richter	
Dan Johnston	Deborah and James Riley	
Karin Kiefer	Scott and Teresa Robeson	



Of Note:

While it is expected that faculty members attend and present at the Annual Meetings of the Association of American Geographers Meetings each year, the Department of Geography took the recent meetings in San Francisco by storm with a number of students presenting papers or posters at the meeting. Those presenting included:

Abdul Aijaz	Carmen Antreasian	Angela Babb	Lilly Brown	Dan Johnston
Trevis Matheus	Paul McCord	David Massey	Tyler Schlachter	Nitasha Sharma
Steve Volan	Landon Yoder			

In closing, we thank our many incredible alumni who have made the many departmental awards for our students possible. We thank you very, very much!

Dan