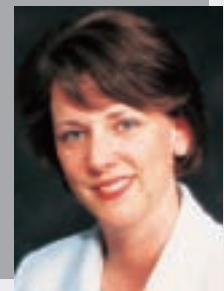


High School Awards Program
of
THE COLLEGE OF WESTCHESTER
HONORING
Outstanding High School Students
Saturday, March 3, 2007

**The College of Westchester Salutes
High School Business and Computer Education**

A Message from the President, Karen Smith



Congratulations award recipients! You have distinguished yourselves among your peers.

The College of Westchester exists to develop, in our students, the skills and abilities needed for the greater marketplace of the future. Over the past 90 plus years, the primary mission of The College of Westchester has been focused on the success of our students and graduates. Therefore, it is fitting that in our modern history (for the last 33 years) we have chosen to honor high school students who excel in

business and computers. The college recognizes the fact that today's employers are looking for more than business and computer skills. They seek young men and women with outstanding leadership abilities. Consequently, we have added the Outstanding Leadership award to keep up with today's ever-changing marketplace. As a result we renamed the event to The Annual High School Awards Program.

The College of Westchester prides itself on not only providing quality education but also supporting the community. And what better way

for the college to show its support than by holding an awards program that enables local area high school students to pursue their dreams of obtaining a college education, whether it is at CW or elsewhere. In my ten years as president, over 20 years with the college, and as a graduate myself, I have always believed that the Annual High School Awards Program speaks volumes about CW's commitment to the community at large as well as education overall. This is an exciting event for not only those high school students who attend but also for our faculty and staff.

CW would like to thank the parents and families of these young men and women for providing a solid foundation which enables tomorrow's adults to be receptive to the lifelong process of learning. Another hearty salute is warranted for the business and computer educators and counseling professionals who provide not only quality education, but an additional support system. They represent Westchester, Rockland, Orange, Sullivan, Putnam, Dutchess, Fairfield and Bronx Counties. Lastly, thanks to our Westchester County Executive, Andy Spano, for his time and his thought provoking words and guidance.



Keynote Speaker

Andy Spano

Westchester County Executive

Elected by large margins in 1998, 2001 and 2005, County Executive Andy Spano was the second Democrat to be elected to the county's highest office. As County Executive, Mr.

Spano has initiated dozens of programs to improve the quality of life in Westchester: Programs that protect the environment, encourage affordable housing, combat domestic violence and enhance the security and safety of all county residents.

Mr. Spano has a love for history, which stems from his 25 years as

an educator. Teaching social studies ultimately gave way to a career as an administrator and advocate for children with special needs. An innovator in his field, he started an alternative school for children and ultimately became a founder and one of the leaders of the United Federation of Teachers in New York City.

Mr. Spano has been the recipient of numerous awards in the areas of human rights, education, government and labor. Some of these include: An honorary doctorate in Commercial Affairs awarded by Pace University in 2004, The O' Hare Medal awarded by Fordham University's School for Social Justice in 2005, and the Westchester Arts Council's 2000 "Man of the Year" award.

Born April 17, 1936, Mr. Spano grew up in the Bronx and holds bachelor's and master's degrees from Fordham University. He and his wife, Brenda Resnick Spano, live in Yorktown and have six grown children and six grandchildren.

Participating High Schools

Recipients Selected By

Adlai Stevenson High School.....	Alicia Martin
Archbishop Stepinac High School.....	Anthony Caramele, Patricia Murphy
Blessed Sacrament-St. Gabriel High School	Erika Miklus, Rosemarie Livoti
Blind Brook High School.....	Charlene Decker, Colin Byrne
Carmel High School	Gail Cohen, Nancy Cornell, Mary Odell, Bob Urvater, Susan Rowley
Eastchester High School	Noel Ruane, Phyllis Rothschild
Fox Lane High School	Warren Groeger, Melissa Crea
Gorton High School	Ken Texler, Alan Weil, Phyllis Carter, Marco Bunocore
Hendrick Hudson High School.....	Maura Koch
Kennedy Catholic High School.....	Sr. McCaffrey
Lakeland High School	Debra Hauser, Ann Marie Sialiano, Charlene Nigro
Lehman High School	Bernard DiCristofalo, Eugene Li, Jill Saunders, Rich Esposito
Lincoln High School.....	Don Suchy
Mamaroneck High School	Eileen Multari
Maria Regina High School	Business Department, Guidance Department
Monsignor Scanlan High School.....	Ellen Brown, Wanda Jones
Mount Vernon High School.....	Pauline Williams, William Rundle, Martin Annunziata, Connie Fantini
New Rochelle High School	Tina Amato, Gurney
North Rockland High School.....	Tim Ahle, Stephanie Beloff, Tonia DeSimone
Orange Ulster CTI Boces	Robt Sherman
Our Lady of Victory High School	Sonia Brown, Mr. Pader
Pleasantville High School.....	Andrew Marino, James Maron
Putnam/Northern Westchester BOCES Technical Ctr	Douglas Geer, Josephine Scala, Andrea Ward-Elliott, Sharlene Bass, Gerry Markel
Rockland BOCES Technical Center.....	Rosalie Sauter, Rich Siddi
Roosevelt High School.....	Henry Manley, Ann Marie Lanni
Salesian High School	Vincent Moliterno
Saint Joseph's High School.....	Sr. Clare Cicillia
Saint Raymond High School for Girls.....	Theresa Baione
Saunders High School	Laura Bather, Paula Shapiro, Angela Soccodato, Lou Arvelo
Southern Westchester BOCES Technical Center	Janet Rodriguez
Spring Valley High School	Sol Krug, Janice Binder, Nancy Brezovsky, Joe Verboys
Tappan Zee High School.....	Yu Bong Ko
Trinity Catholic High School	Paul Borella
Ursuline High School	Winnifred Riker, Edwinna Lucyk, Mary Ann Boustead
Valhalla High School.....	Jennifer Cronk
Walter Panas High School.....	Candie Lorenz
Westlake High School.....	Elizabeth Zand
White Plains High School.....	Steve Shell, Anna Burns, Joanne Bayuk
Woodlands High School	Frank Gluberman, Sharon McGee

Program

WELCOME
INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER

MARY BETH DEL BALZO

*Assistant Vice President for
Student Life & Community Outreach
The College of Westchester*

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

ANDREW SPANO

Westchester County Executive

PRESENTATION OF 2007 AWARDS

SARA HUMPHREYS

*Director
High School and Community Relations
The College of Westchester*

LISA PANARELLO

*Presenter
High School and Community Relations
The College of Westchester*

NICK SEKKAS

*Presenter
High School and Community Relations
The College of Westchester*

DEMI RIVERS

*Coordinator
Awards Program High School and
Community Relations
The College of Westchester*

DEACON ROBERT GONTCHARUK

*Guidance Counselor
Blessed Sacrament-St. Gabriel High School*

MARY ODELL

*Business Educator, FBLA Advisor
Carmel High School*

Reception Immediately Following Presentation of Awards

**Senior Recipient
Outstanding Achievement
In Leadership**

Ann Marie Alexis
Charles Arborne
Sean Banton
Gayle-Laurence Bathan
James Blocker
Michelle Brito
Cristina Campana
AJ Carpenito
Amy De Lynn
Andrew DeSoiza
Shiana DiCarmine
Michael Durant
Jovan Fernandez
Naquasha Gadsen
Santasia Hardy
Janay Holder
Davin James
Betsy Kurian
Jessica C. Lopez-Rivera
Jeannette Maateo
Christopher J. Mojica
Adam Reid
Robert Rosenthal
Luke Rush
Chelsea Tobias
Christopher Torres
Jennifer Walsh

**Senior Recipient
Outstanding Achievement
In Business**

Paul Bennett
Lisa Bilanca
Tajah Bracy
Stephen Brophy
Raquel Calise
Matthew Convency
Stephen DeGroat
Robert Dexter
Christine Fellbusch
Chris Galante
Jennai Gaskin
Angela Grecco
Anthony Hannigan
Christopher Hanretty
Kenneth Hudson
Bryant Issac
Clark James
Fennell III James
Carlos Jenesacca
Gabrielle Leigh
Felipe Lozada
Colin McGovern
Lauren Middleton
David M. Mintz

Edgar Nava
Jasmine N. Reed
Geraldine Reyes
Christina Rowley
Amanda Salera
Dawn Schiavone
Robert Schoenherr
Assad Tawil
Gentiana Thaqi
Christine Tomlinson
Marisa Varian
Jeffery Veras
Jamila Witherspoon

**Senior Recipient
Outstanding Determination in
Business**

Rodney Adkins
Maria Batista
Glenda Belezari
Reenu Bhatia
Lianne Bird
Stephen Bogucki
Kern Brian
Colleen Byrnes
Fabin Cabrera
Virna Echeverria
Mary Engler
Hello Eugene
Jac C. Gnirrep
Joseph Graziani
Candice Howcott
Barrington Howell
Thomas Kirkwood
Sean Latella
Jane Lee
Cherilyn Luquis
Meika Murray
Carol Ann Peterson
Amento Michael Plan
Zoila Quizpha
Allen Rohan
Edward Russel
Christina Serrao
Vincent Severi
Thompson Tonian

**Senior Recipient
Outstanding Achievement
in Computers**

Joe Adelson
Amanda Alayon
Melvin Arias
Julissa Avila
Andres Basurto
Ryan Belmont
Danielle Bertram
Benjamin Bookbinder

Nicholas Brownchweig
Kerry Brugger
Jasmine Bryan
AJ Carpenito
Yandeh Ceesay
Maloney Christopher
George Chummar
Rebecca Cividanes
Michael Coco
Sheldon Codner
Scott Colao
Kim Deltosta
Joanna DePalma
Katherine DiAngelo
Theresa Duggan
John Falzerano
Nicole Farrell
Lourdes Guartazaca
Mykael Harrigan
Islede Laguerre
George Mathew
Mark Mazzella
Genesis Mendez
Christopher Noye
Ashley Redican
Jamie Rivera
Tiffani Robinson
Jamie Rudd
Taylor Stolarski
Mark Theroux
Joseph Viinciguerra

**Senior Recipient
Outstanding Determination
in Computers**

Tiffany Bauza
Cristina Bruno
Keya Burgess
Lauren Calderon
Ashley Cole
Mark DeMuro
Michael Donnelly
Renee Giardina
Santasia Hardy
Doreen Hollis
Ashley Jankowski
Garcia Jesse
Gonzalez John
Steve Kollias
Kassandra Kristoferson
Megli Lemus
Ian Levy
Jenna Lingg
Mark Lo Giudice
Jessica Maldonado
Lindsey Mariani
Dalisera Michael
Michael Negulic

David Orellana
Bret Parker
Alison Popp
Anthony Rodriguez
Margaret Roy
Chrystal Sanchez
Daniel Seegars
Natalie Servones
Elissa Swartz
Christopher Vera
Nicole Williams

**Junior Recipient
Outstanding Achievement
In Leadership**

Michael Abbatiello
Crystal Arvelo
Christopher M. Carlson
Bernardo De La Cruz
Samantha Erickson
Brittany Gordan
Douglas Healy
Stephanie Jean
Raymond Kluger
Maurine Korentang
Tracey Lewis
Kyle Mac Lean
Rosemary Moya
Carlos Pijuan
Daniel Thomas
Daniel Wexler
Natasha Williams

**Junior Recipient
Outstanding Achievement
in Business**

Rossella Appollonio
Shaun Bailey
Brendon Berkowitz
Fabio Caputi
Christine Carter
Carolyn Cary
Scott Cestone
Patrick Cummings
Kenneth Frawley
Juliani Garcia
Avdi Gecaj
Kathy Greene
Stephen Gruber
Jane Hanna
Guadalupe Hernandez
Benjamin Litvin
Daniel Orellana
Heath Prichard
Pedro Quijada
Rebecca Raider
Allison Rank

Zenille Saunders
Gueye Sayenabou
Kwecinski Shaye
Amandeep Singh
Steven Soleiman
Lyn Stevenson
Ian Stowe
Amy Vayalattu
William Walters
Kantor Zachary

**Junior Recipient
Outstanding Determination
in Business**

Sandra Akhareyi
Daniel Bachelet
Robert Baldino
Kadidja Bangoura
Josimar Brown
Angelyna Cabral
Michael Carozza
Jonathan Chiu
Amanda Delloretta
Nathan Engel
Kevin Foltmer
Ana Victoria Hernandez
Eric Koval
Christine Lander
Allen Lenese
Omar Marji
Joyce Macedo
Carnaghi Matthew
Kujak Pajtesa
Arbnor Rugova
Matthew Russell
Jonathan Ruiz
Brendan Thompson
Marbella Vidals
Tiana Wilkins
Garrett Zendman

**Junior Recipient
Outstanding Achievement
in Computers**

Cathryn Abrams
David Akin
Brian Alevis
Vanessa Awuor
Andrew Beck
Matthew Blindman
Carbelim Bruna
David Cohen
Crystal Conklin
Vincent Devita
David Doyle
Adam Dishaw
Sheree Geller

Wilson Hidalgo
Chinnu Jacob
Jeffrey Jones
Chris Langley
Megan Lavecchia
Jonathan Ljuljdjurovic
Kenneth Lloyd
Valerie Motieram
Tajarrah Reid
Dillen Roggensinger
Craig Santiago
Michael Sepowski
Faruk Shahzad
Gabriella Simone
Adrian Szlolar
Lyn Stevenson
Besa Ukaj
Vincent Devita
Kevin Vullo
Keith Ward
Sharon Yeung
Jordan Zaslav

**Junior Recipient
Outstanding Determination
in Computers**

Jaleesa Austin
Andrew Becker
John Bohannon
Chris Butler
Chacha Christian
Chris Cutchin
Alicia Demilla
Sean Diebold
Shawn Edwards
Soto Estefania
Eric Flores
Stephen Forlini
Jennifer Gonzalez
Stephanie Gonzalez
Amanda Greenberg
Sarah Guenther
Sebastian Kooyman
Jordan Lassiter
William McHenry
Jennifer Mignanelli
Milos Mladenovic
Taelor Morrisey
Jorge Pabon
Raul Prado
Gregory Rothstein
Kaitlyn Schnalzer
Steven Soleimani
Latty Tewado
Luis Toledo-Esparza
Angela Williams
David Yanuck

**Sophomore Recipient
Outstanding Achievement
in Business**

Sadia Ahmad
Kevin Becker
Kayla Casailinova
Shaqueena Chatman
Dante Dante
Gina Engley
Elias Everett
Kelly Farewell
Maria Garcia
Ericka Jackson
Nicole Kavalan
Madeline Levine
Jefery Marron
Thelusma Minuse
Riza Mohamed
Ben Razinovsky
Gabrielle Reyes
Kevin Ryan
Elizabeth Schatkun
Sandra Tamarin
Ashley Tracey

**Sophomore Recipient
Outstanding Determination
in Business**

Tal Ackerman
Robert Barat
Monique Collins
Phoebe Farber
Sojier Gieger
Jennifer Haastrup
Anita Huerta-Lema
Matthew Kanterman
Brittany Lischinsky
Christopher Perugini
Mercedes Pierce
Franklin Porche
Mario Salas
Hannah Sarokin
Nicole Selvaggi
Katherine Siliva
Rose Tatoute
Matthew Vilardi
Dana Yang

**Sophomore Recipient
Outstanding Achievement
in Computers**

Hemrajani Anshu
Jean Arenas
Roselyn Baldevieso
Evelyn Berger
Stephen Bond
Darren Breda

Kevin Chambers
Melvin Douglas
Courtney Ferguson
Evan Gelfand
Cameron Glass
Benjamin Himmelstein
Erik Hinrichsen
Adam Jeraci
Eddie Keisha
Luan Kryeziu
Vincent Leventis
Isidoro Lorena
Jaimie Magneri
Mart Jan Monis
Isabella Panero
Nina Perez
Jennifer Poole
Marlene Rosado
Elie Rosen
John Schule
Adam Swietek
Jane Telcy
Karen Tolber
Sandy Vargas
Tania Villa
Shana Williams
MinYang

**Sophomore Recipient
Outstanding Determination
in Computers**

Ernest Amoyaw
Nicholas Barreira
Diego Cabaleiro
Jose Cabrera
Christopher Ceriello
Nazly Contreras
Martin Diaz
Brooke Davidson
Andreanna Dempsey
JoAnne Desjardins
David Dunn
Gabriel Grizales
Danielle Gulle
Troy Hay
Scott Klasner
Gina Marie Leone
Miguel Martinez
Panayotidis Nicholas
Justin Pennella
Michael Schneier
Jasmine Spence
Carl Triano
Zachary Woodard
Ricardo Xelo

High School Scholars Honored

On Saturday, February 10, students from over 25 area high schools were recognized as The College of Westchester's 2007 High School Scholars.

The luncheon was held at Doral Arrowwood in Rye Brook, NY. Scholarships were awarded to over 80 students from throughout the New York metropolitan area based on scores they received on a competitive examination administered by The College of

Westchester. The recipients are also eligible to become members of the College Honor's Program when they enroll at CW. Kevin Tice, Director of Admissions and Sara Humphreys, Director of High School and Community Relations, presented the awards to the scholarship honorees.



Congratulations to this years scholarship honorees

Below is a list of students and high schools represented at the event:

Erica Marcial – Academy of Environmental Science
 Mary Ann Roman – Aquinas High School
 Kyndall Roberson – Blessed Sacrament, St. Gabriel H.S.
 William Reynolds – Brewster High School
 Stuart Williams – Bronx Aerospace Academy High School
 Carlos Vidot – Cardinal Hayes High School
 Caitlin Bosser – Carmel High School
 Nicholas Castro – Carmel High School
 Anthony Palmieri – Carmel High School
 Jessica Sommer – Carmel High School
 Greg Sposato – Carmel High School
 Ana Amalbert – Celia Cruz Bronx HS of Music
 Michael Khekoian – Clarkstown South High School
 Anthony Gonzalez – Fordham Leadership for Business & Tech.
 Richard Hinds – Fordham Leadership for Business & Tech.
 Cynthia Ramirez – Fordham Leadership for Business & Tech.
 Satie Tillack – Fordham Leadership for Business & Tech.
 Erica Kravitz – GED
 Melissa Herrick – George F. Baker
 Tony Guzman – Gorton High School
 Priscilla Merlo – Gorton High School
 Marcus Rodriguez – Grace Dodge High School
 Mike Macchia – Harrison High School
 Fabian Charlton – Harry S. Truman High School
 John Courtney – Hendrick Hudson High School
 Manuel Marcano – La Salle Academy
 Jarryed Scott – Lakeland High School
 Samantha Byrnes – Lehman High School

Antonio Gonzalez – Lehman High School
 Juneal Mulley – Lehman High School
 Robert Muzzillo – Lehman High School
 Royan Ramkissoon – Lehman High School
 Jamila Witherspoon – Lehman High School
 David Vasquez – Mahopac High School
 Jennifer Florentin – Maria Regina High School
 Joshua Kimble – Middletown High School
 Tara-Kay Miller – Millenium Academy, Adlai Stevenson Camp
 Emerson-Mario Pemberton – Millenium Academy, Adlai Stevenson Camp
 Jonathan Hernandez – Monroe Academy for Visual Art & Design
 Paly Arzu – Monsignor Scanlan High School
 Joshua Melendez – Monsignor Scanlan High School
 Justin Melendez – Mount Saint Michael Academy
 Michael Morales – Mount Saint Michael Academy
 James Blocker – Mount Vernon High School
 Erica Brand – Mount Vernon High School
 Florian Egger – Mount Vernon High School
 Bianca Jackson – Mount Vernon High School
 Tennesha Lynch – Mount Vernon High School
 Tiffani Robinson – Mount Vernon High School
 Stacy-Lee Simms – Mount Vernon High School
 Sean Mendez – Nanuet High School
 Kathleen Farrell – New Rochelle High School
 Santasia HardyvNew Rochelle High School
 Christopher Woods – New Rochelle High School
 Allison Cull – North Salem High School
 Blerita Demaku – Pawling High School
 Augustinas Barstys – Pelham Memorial High School
 Deirdre Aldana – Port Chester High School
 Luis Calixto – Port Chester High School

Sebastian Chica – Port Chester High School
 Alisson Guimaraes – Port Chester High School
 Christian Londono – Port Chester High School
 Steven Salguero – Port Chester High School
 Harlen Valenzuela – Port Chester High School
 Frannia Jimenez – Ramapo High School
 Nicholas Brownchweig – Roosevelt High School
 Joanna Cruz – Roosevelt High School
 Francisco Reyes – Roosevelt High School
 Jim Rubio – Roosevelt High School
 Brittany Bowers – Sacred Heart High School
 Anthony Latino – Sacred Heart High School
 Liam Moore – Sacred Heart High School
 Manny Nogueira – Sacred Heart High School
 Emily Pena – Saint Barnabas High School
 Michael Falcone – Saint Raymonds Academy Boys
 Thomas Harper – Saint Raymonds Academy Boys
 Rudy Moran – Saint Raymonds Academy Boys
 Christopher Guida – Salesian High School
 Carlton Richards – Samuel Gompers High School
 Aaron Santiago – Samuel Gompers High School
 Madelin De Los Santos – Saunders High School
 Sergey Chernata – Stratford High School
 John Runko – Tappan Zee High School
 Susan Molina – Walter Panas High School
 Robert Melkonian – White Plains High School
 Chane Mack – Woodlands High School
 Christopher Galvez – Yonkers High School
 Cherelle Johnson – Yonkers High School
 Vanessa Whitney – Yonkers High School
 Michael Donnelly – Yorktown High School
 Justin Rodriguez – Yorktown High School

See What

The College of Westchester Has to Offer

We aspire to be the college of choice for students because we are the college of choice for employers.

The College of Westchester (CW) is a student-centered, academically and culturally diverse college, dedicated to meeting the educational needs of students and the requirements of employers through the delivery of a carefully constructed and distinctive curriculum. Our environment encourages personal excellence and provides students of all generations with a

foundation of knowledge and skills highly transferable to the workplace and consistent with continuing education goals.

The College of Westchester's academic programs are uniquely designed to combine classroom learning with real-world experience to enhance your career and enrich your life.

"I have been working at CW for almost eight years and have continued to be impressed with the students who enroll. Because we maintain a strong, student-centered environment with small class sizes, learning in the classroom is always interactive. Additionally, I, as well as the other faculty members, focus not only on strengthening the students' academic skills but their social and interpersonal skills as well. Our goal is to graduate students who are well-rounded and ready for the workplace."

Stacy Larson, Professor



"I chose CW's Multimedia Development & Management program because I wanted to reinforce my self-taught skills with classroom knowledge as well as network with other designers and animators. With determination, I used what I learned every single day while at CW towards improving my business, Incision Network, LLC. I worked hard and achieved great results at The College of Westchester and would recommend CW to anyone willing to excel in life. I have always said, "life is about building relationships" because without them, it is very hard to survive in the business world."

Lou Procaccini Jr., Multimedia

Degree Programs include:

Accounting
Business Administration
Management/Marketing
concentrations in:
Entertainment, Music & Sports Management
Hotel & Resort Management and
Fashion/Retail Merchandising
Multimedia Development & Management
concentrations in:
Game Design
Web Design Development and
Digital Video & Animation
Medical Assistant Management
Medical Office Systems Management
Computer Network Administration
Computer Applications Management
Office Administration

Certificate Programs include:

Intensive Accounting
Computer Network Specialist
Medical Assistant Specialist
Medical Office Specialist
Pharmacy Technician
Multimedia Technology
Computer Applications Specialist
Word Processing Specialist
Microsoft Office Specialist

"Thanks for the Memories!"

Scenes from the 32nd Annual
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