

# ROAR Awards Celebrate RSOs, Students

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On Wednesday, April 25th, in E-LVIS the Office of Student Involvement and Student Center (SISC) held the annual Registered Organization Awards and Recognition (ROAR) awards ceremony. About 150 students, staff, and faculty and their loved ones gathered to celebrate Registered Student Organizations (RSOs) and students for achievement in academics, and service.

The awards were hosted by Jason Harris, President of the Phi Xi Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity on campus. The ceremony featured live music performances from the GGC Jazz band, and Uniqo, official band of GGC's chapter of the National Collegiate Entertainment Group (NCEG).



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“Organizing [the event] was very stressful,” said Mr. Allen Clark, Assistant Director of SISC, “But I am very thankful to our committee made up of staff and students... the team made me feel the work we did was important.”

The following awards were presented

#### RSO Awards

Most Outstanding Grizzly Legacy Award- *Chris Reagan*

Spirit of the Grizzly Award- presented to staff member- *Diana Gonzalez*

RSO Officer of the Year- *Gaby Sifuentes*

RSO Advisor of the Year- staff member- *Allen Clarke*

New RSO of the Year- *NCEG Chapter X*

Collaborative Program of the Year- *Organization of Latin American Students (OLAS) and Black Student Union (BSU)*

Making a Difference Award- *Miranda Darlington*

The Diversity Award- *OLAS*

Unsung Hero Award- *Truman Sok*

RSO of the Year- *OLAS*

Special Award presented to *Vanessa Cook* on behalf of the SISC Office

#### Student Awards

Outstanding Student Creativity Award *Emerald Hardy*

Outstanding Student Leadership Award *Abigail Ruiz*

Outstanding Student Service Award *Harrison Clark*

Outstanding Student - School of Business *Andrea Rojas*

Outstanding Student - School of Health Sciences *Sophia Beers*

Outstanding Student - School of Liberal Arts *Alex Johnston*

Outstanding Student - School of Education *Andrew Katsarsky*

Outstanding Student - School of Science & Technology *Miranda Darlington*

Outstanding Student Employee Award *Bailey Rungruang*

Outstanding Student - Division of Student Engagement & Success *Hannah Ballentine*

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