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## 28th Annual Awards for Excellence Dinner

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On the evening of April 13, 2016, the Department of Risk, Insurance, and Healthcare Management and the Sigma Chapter held its 28th Annual Awards for Excellence Dinner at the Hyatt at the Bellevue in Center City, Philadelphia. This event serves as a proud homecoming for alumni, as well as a platform to show industry professionals in attendance the progress and accomplishments of the Risk, Insurance, and Healthcare Management Department.

The event recognizes students who have truly excelled in their studies in the Risk Management and Actuarial Science majors, as well as alumni who have made great impacts in the insurance industry. The event began with a networking cocktail hour, followed by awards and dinner, and closing out the evening was this year's keynote speaker, Thomas F. Motamed, Chairmen and CEO of CNA Insurance, who spoke about the impact of emerging risks, such as cyber security and terrorism, on the insurance industry.



Thomas F. Motamed

Chairman and CEO of CNA Insurance



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# 2016 Award Recipients



*2016 Norman A. Baglini  
Distinguished Young Alumni Award in  
Risk Management and Insurance*  
Sabrina Hanitz, ARM  
Assistant Vice President  
AIG US Commercial Broker Engagement  
Practice  
Class of 2007



*2016 G. William Glendenning Distinguished  
Young Alumni Award In Actuarial Science*  
Julia Zvenigorodsky, ASA, MAAA  
Actuary  
Mercer  
Class of 2011



*2016 Bonnie Averbach Distinguished Alumni  
Award in Actuarial Science*  
Peter Vogt  
Executive Vice President and Chief  
Operating Officer  
AXIS Insurance  
Class of 1985



*2016 H. Wayne Snider Distinguished Alumni  
Award in Risk Management and Insurance*  
Marty Purcell  
Vice President and Account Manager  
The Graham Company  
Class of 1985



*2016 G. William Glendenning Award for  
Excellence in Actuarial Science*  
Elena Cipparone  
Senior Actuarial Science Major  
Class of 2016



*2016 G. William Glendenning Award for  
Excellence in Actuarial Science*  
Sean Miller  
Senior Actuarial Science Major  
Class of 2016

# 2016 Award Recipients



*2016 Joseph E. Boettner Award for Excellence in Risk Management*

George Braun, CEBS  
Senior Risk Management and Insurance  
Major  
Class of 2016



*2016 Joseph E. Boettner Award for Excellence in Risk Management*

Shannon Nolan  
Senior Risk Management and Insurance  
Major  
Class of 2016



*2016 Joseph E. Boettner Award for Excellence in Risk Management*

Timothy Donahue  
Senior Risk Management and Insurance  
Major  
Class of 2016



*2016 Jerry S. Rosenbloom Award in Employee Benefits*

Julie Riccardi  
Senior Risk Management and Insurance  
Major  
Class of 2016



*2016 H. Wayne Snider Award in Risk Management*

Melanie Waltrich  
Risk Management and Insurance  
Class of 2015



*2016 Nancy Barrett Baglini Memorial Award for Professionalism and Ethics*

Yasmin Ahmed  
Senior Risk Management and Insurance  
Major  
Class of 2016



# 2016 Award Recipients



*2016 Nancy Barrett Baglini Memorial  
Award for Professionalism and Ethics*

Colin Anderson  
Senior Actuarial Science Major  
Class of 2016



*2016 Nancy Barrett Baglini Memorial  
Award for Professionalism and Ethics*

Carolyn Murset  
Senior Actuarial Science Major  
Class of 2016



*2016 Nancy Barrett Baglini Memorial  
Award for Professionalism and Ethics*

Richard Rosenbaum  
Senior Actuarial Science Major  
Class of 2016