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GRADUATE SCHOOL

## Outstanding Graduate Assistant Awards for AY 2022-2023

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### College of Agriculture and Natural Resources

Edmund Benefo, *Nutrition and Food Science*  
Akanksha Hada, *Animal Sciences*  
Manisha Mahanty, *Nutrition and Food Science*  
Sarah Rothman, *Environmental Science and Technology*  
Adam Schoen, *Plant Science*  
Audrey Seiz, *Plant Science and Landscape Architecture*

### School of Architecture, Planning, and Preservation

Rory Davis, *Architecture*  
Maria Farieta, *Architecture*

### College of Arts and Humanities

Drew Ashby-King, *Communications*  
Danielle Laplace, *Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies*  
Dylan Lewis, *English Language and Literature*  
John McGovern, *Music*  
Robert Ragsdale, *Philosophy*  
Matthew Salzano, *Communications*  
Alice Santana, *American Studies*  
Sarah Scriven, *Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies*  
Logan Willis, *Music*

### College of Behavioral and Social Sciences

Erin Hill, *Psychology*  
Hsin Jaw, *Criminology and Criminal Justice*  
Hyung Kim, *Psychology*  
Seung Kim, *Sociology*  
Ruohan Li, *Geographical Sciences*  
Kathleen Oppenheimer, *Hearing and Speech Sciences*  
Henry Overos, *Government and Politics*  
Jingjing Xu, *Geographical Sciences*  
Yesenia Yanez, *Criminology and Criminal Justice*

## Outstanding Graduate Assistant Awards for AY22-23, continued

### **College of Computer, Mathematical, and Natural Sciences**

Kristen Behrens, *Behavior, Ecology, Evolution, and Systematics*

Zihan Chen, *Atmospheric and Oceanic Science*

Alexander Dittman, *Astronomy*

Ethan Dudley, *Mathematics*

Haleigh Eppler, *Biology*

Nakul Garg, *Computer Science*

Hyojung Han, *Computer Science*

Thomas Howard, *Chemistry*

Jegug Ih, *Astronomy*

Nathan Janus, *Statistics*

Logan Kaler, *Biophysics*

Matthew Kusche, *Marine, Estuarine, and Environmental Sciences*

Benjamin Lanham, *Chemistry*

Vlasios Mastrantonis, *Mathematics*

Shams Mehdi, *Biophysics*

Mazda Moayeri, *Computer Science*

Silvia Montagut, *Geology*

Ziqin Ni, *Geology*

Jou-Tsen Ou, *Chemistry*

Leena Pade, *Chemistry*

Binod Pant, *Applied Mathematics & Statistics, and Scientific Computation*

Yuyin Shi, *Statistics*

Sudheer Shukla, *Mathematics*

Luis Suarez, *Mathematics*

Yanchao Sun, *Computer Science*

Valerie Wray, *Applied Mathematics & Statistics, and Scientific Computation*

Yijia Xu, *Chemical Physics*

Huijing Xue, *Molecular and Cellular Biology*

Rui Yin, *Biology*

Zeyu Yan, *Computer Science*

### **College of Education**

Amanda Cataneo, *Teaching and Learning, Policy and Leadership*

Julianna Kim, *Counseling, Higher Education, and Special Education*

Riley Sims, *Human Development and Quantitative Methodology*

### **A. James Clark School of Engineering**

Robert Allsopp, *Chemical Engineering*

David Boegner, *Bioengineering*

Victoria Castagna-Ferrari, *Materials Science and Engineering*

Kristen Croft, *Civil Engineering*

Jacques De-Beer, *Fire Protection Engineering*

Antonios Gementzopoulos, *Aerospace Engineering*

Jinjing Han, *Electrical and Computer Engineering*

Liu Jiang, *Civil Engineering*

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Abhishek Kalpattu, *Materials Science and Engineering*  
Priyanka Kaswan, *Electrical and Computer Engineering*  
Vedant Kumar, *Mechanical Engineering*  
Kasun Kulathun-Mudiyanselage, *Electrical and Computer Engineering*  
Sajani Pallegoda-Vithana, *Electrical and Computer Engineering*  
Srijal Poojari, *Systems Engineering*  
Shrey Shah, *Bioengineering*

**Philip Merrill College of Journalism**

Carolina Velloso, *Journalism*

**Robert H. Smith School of Business**

Maya Mudambi, *Business and Management*  
Hyunsun Park, *Business and Management*

**School of Public Health**

Amara Channell Doig, *Health*  
Elsie Essien, *Health Policy and Management*  
Hongjie Ke, *Epidemiology and Biostatistics*