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SAPD AWARD RECAP



Megan Simmons

Silent ROAR Award

Megan Simmons, Assistant Director of Aubrey & Annie Looney Disability Support Services

“Megan is always working but is rarely in the light. She doesn't put in hard work for gratification; she wants to ensure student success.”

“Megan does such an incredible job supporting our students, and by the report of students, is a "gem.””



UNA Spirit Award

Calviee Tandy, Assistant Director of Residential Experience

“Calviee embodies the UNA spirit through her enthusiastic support of students and campus life. Her passion, creativity, and commitment to UNA are contagious and inspiring.”

“One of her most notable contributions this semester was leading the choreography for the faculty/staff performance in the campus step show.”



Calviee Tandy



Rebecca “Becca” Bush

Dedicated Service Award

Becca Bush, Assistant Director of Student Activities & Leadership Development

“Becca has guided students with passion and purpose. Her unwavering reliability, professionalism, and commitment to students set her apart.”

“Becca leads by example, teaching students to lead with purpose and program with intentionality. Her impact is felt not just in numbers, but in the lives she inspires every day.”



Dedicated Service Award

Tiffani Hill Patterson, Executive Assistant to the VPSA/DOS

“With compassion, understanding, and care, [Tiffani] brings a steady and positive presence to every task.”

“Tiffani exemplifies dedicated service through her unwavering support and heartfelt commitment to the Division of Student Affairs.”



Tiffani Hill Patterson

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STRENGTHSQUEST

STRATEGIC THINKING

Analytical: Reanna

Context: Anna, Gloria, Jimmy, LJ

Futuristic: Jami, LJ, Matthew, Meagan

Ideation: Chase

Input: Boogie, Chase, Glenda, Juliette, Tiffani, Zeynep

Intellection: Alyson, Duell, Jenn, Tiffani

Learner: Charlee, Boogie, Chase, Glenda, Matthew, Natalie, Rosemarie, Tiffani, Zeynep

Strategic: Anna Leigh, Jakson, Jayson, Jimmy, Minnette

RELATIONSHIP BUILDING

Adaptability: Anna, Gigi, Jayson, Meagan, Reanna, Tiffani

Connectedness: Addie, Jenn, Jimmy, Megan

Developer: Addie, AJ, Becca, Bobbi Jo, Darlene, Duell, Gigi, Holly, Jami, Jean Ann, Jenn, Kate, Laci, Linda, Maggie, Matthew, Megan, Natalie, Rosemarie, Rachael, Sheena, Tammy, Tabettha,

Empathy: Addie, AJ, Anna, Becca, Calviee, Gigi, Holly, Jami, Jean Ann, Jenn, Jessie, Laci, Linda, Maggie, Meagan, Natalie, Patty, Stacy, Tabettha, Zeynep

Harmony: Allison, Alyson, Bobbi Jo, Gloria, Jean Ann, Jessie, Juliette, Kate, Linda, Luke, Maggie, Mary Katherine, Patty, Reanna, Sheena, Tabettha, Tammy

Includer: Darlene, Duell, Gigi, Kate, Laci, Minnette, Rachael, Stacy

Individualization: Alyson, Chase, Jakson, Jeremy, Jessie

Positivity: Bobbi Jo, Calviee, Darlene, Duell, Gigi, Jami, Jeremy, Jessie, Kate, Laci, Matthew, Megan, Rachael, Rosemarie, Sheena

Relator: Allison, Charlee, Jakson, Jayson, KC, LJ, Luke, Maggie, Mary Katherine, Natalie, Nick, Patty, Reanna, Tabettha, Tiffani

INFLUENCING

Activator: Minnette, Stacy

Command: Jakson

Communication: Anna, Anna Leigh, Calviee, Chase, Duell, Glenda, Jeremy, Megan, Sheena, Stacy, Zeynep

Competition: Juliette

Maximizer: Addie, Glenda, Jenn, Maggie

Self-Assurance: Jayson

Significance: Jakson, Jeremy

Woo: Anna Leigh, Calviee, Jami, Meagan, Rachael, Rosemarie, Sheena, Stacy

EXECUTING

Achiever: Alyson, Anna Leigh, Bobbi Jo, Darlene, Holly, Gloria, Jimmy, KC, Mary Katherine, Natalie, Nick, Rosemarie

Arranger: Darlene, Glenda, Juliette, KC, Minnette

Belief: Addie, Anna, Becca, Boogie, Charlee, Holly, Jayson, Jimmy, KC, Laci, Maggie, Minnette

Consistency: AJ, Allison, Bobbi Jo, Charlee, Gloria, Linda, Luke, Mary Katherine, Nick, Patty, Rachael, Reanna, Tabettha, Tammy

Deliberative: AJ, Luke, Nick

Discipline: Allison, Calviee, Gloria, Jean Ann, Linda, Matthew, Nick, Tammy, Patty

Focus: n/a

Responsibility: AJ, Allison, Anna Leigh, Charlee, Holly, Jean Ann, KC, LJ, Mary Katherine, Luke, Tammy

Restorative: Alyson, LJ

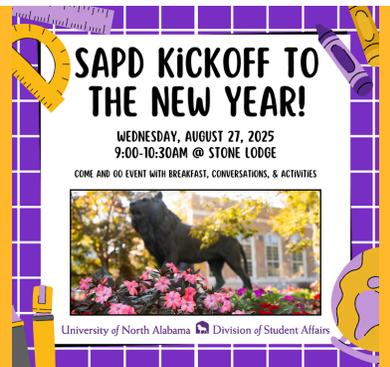
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NEW HIRES/PROMOTIONS

- Rosemarie Carrillo**
Executive Assistant for Housing & Residence Life (May 2025)
- Jakson Elliot**
Area Coordinator for Housing & Residence Life (May 2025)
- Jimmy Roberts**
Coordinator, Military & Veterans Affairs (May 2025)
- Mia Batchelor**
Graduate Assistant for Leadership - Student Activities & Leadership Development (May 2025)
- Sarah Lewis**
Graduate Assistant - Club Sports (June 2025)
- Shirley Navarro Borrila, Candice Buford, Timia McKenzie, Jose Zambrano Macias**
Graduate Assistant - Housing & Residence Life (June 2025)
- Dr. Jackie Sneed**
Medical Director - University Health (July 2025)
- Jake Russell**
Director of University Events (August 2025)
- TBA**
Clinical Mental Health Counselor
- Laci Lake**
Clinical Mental Health Counselor -> Assistant Director, Student Counseling Services (June 2025)

UPCOMING

- SAPD Kickoff to the New Year:**
Wednesday, August 27, 2025
@ 9-10:30am - Stone Lodge
- Boo-st Your Development:**
Wednesday, October 29, 2025
@ 9-10:30am - Performance Center
- SAPD Holiday Celebration**
Wednesday, December 10, 2025
@ 9am-until - GUC Game Room



SUMMER BIRTHDAYS

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| <p><u>MAY</u></p> <p>2nd: Dr. Minnette Ellis (DoS)
5th: Gloria Doxie (HRL)
24th: Jessie Lindley (Student Engagement)
26th: Jenn Sutton (HRL)
31st: Jayson Jackson (HRL)</p> <p><u>JUNE</u></p> <p>1st: Anna Leigh Rossi (FSL), Glenda Richey (SRC)
13th: Gigi Broadway (UE)
21st: Jean Anne Gresham (UHS)
30th: Becca Bush (SALD)</p> <p><u>JULY</u></p> <p>5th: Dr. Nick Gordon (Conduct)
25th: Alyson Bergner (MWC)
27th: Justin "Boogie" Junipher (FSL)
29th: Juliette Butler (SALD)</p> | <p><u>AUGUST</u></p> <p>7th: Jeremy Martin (DSS), L.J. Jefferson III (HRL)
15th: Luke Persall (SRC)
20th: Rosemarie Carrillo (HRL)
21th: Chase Wise (Title IX)
22nd: Darlene Crowden (DSS)
25th: Kate Hanbery (Title IX)</p>  |
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WE NEED YOU TO
UNPACK THE PRIDE

THURSDAY, AUGUST 14TH - SATURDAY, AUGUST 16TH




We invite faculty, staff, students, alumni, individuals, and organizations from UNA and the Shoals to help us welcome our students as they move into their North Alabama Home!

www.una.edu/housing/fall-opening/unpack-the-pride.html