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Year, Daphne Kapolka

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MEMORANDUM

From: Provost and Academic Dean
To: NPS Faculty and Staff

Subj: REAR ADMIRAL JOHN JAY SCHIEFFELIN AWARD FOR TEACHING EXCELLENCE FOR
THE 2015 ACADEMIC YEAR

1. Annually, students and alumni are polled in the spring by the NPS Schieffelin Award Committee. This year's committee members were:

Associate Professor Robert Koyak, Chair (OR)
Assistant Professor Naazneen Barma (NS)
Associate Professor Samuel Buttrey (OR)
Senior Lecturer George Lober (DA)
Associate Professor Timour Radko (OC)
Senior Lecturer Elliott (Cory) Yoder (GSBPP)

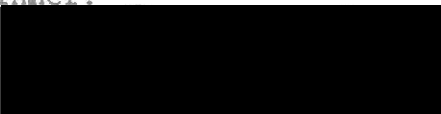
Approximately 878 student and alumni responses were processed and evaluated by the Committee. All faculty who taught at least 11 credit hours or three or more courses in Calendar Year 2015 were eligible. Previous Schieffelin winners, committee members, and contractors are ineligible.

2. This year's Schieffelin Award for Teaching Excellence will be presented to **Daphne Kapolka**, Senior Lecturer, from the Physics Department, at the June 2016 Graduation Awards Ceremony.

3. In addition to determining the winner of the award, the evaluation process also identifies those candidates who were ranked in the top 5% of those eligible for consideration. We take great pleasure in announcing the top 5% of the current faculty in this year's Schieffelin Teaching Award polling, in alphabetical order:

Assistant Professor Robert Beverly (CS)
Research Associate Paul Clark (CS)
Senior Lecturer John Fulp (CS)
Associate Professor Frank Kragh (ECE)
Senior Lecturer Gregory Mislick (OR)
Associate Professor Paul Montgomery (SE)
Lecturer Charles Racoosin (SSAG)
Assistant Professor Preetha Thulasiraman (ECE)
Assistant Professor Lucas Wilcox (MA)

I want to thank the Schieffelin Award Committee for their excellent job in selecting this very deserving winner.


J. H. NEWMAN
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