

ITM STUDENT AWARDS

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The Awards:

Awards are presented annually to recognize outstanding performance by students in the **Department of Information Technology and Management**, part of the **College of Computing** at **Illinois Institute of Technology** in Chicago, Illinois, USA. At our Annual Awards Ceremony, each awardee receives an Illinois Tech Information Technology and Management medallion suspended from a ribbon to be worn with academic regalia, and a Certificate recognizing their accomplishment. This is our record of these awards and of the awardees. Each awardee's name links to their LinkedIn.com profile if one is available.

Award Criteria:

The **Outstanding Student Awards** are presented in recognition of outstanding performance as a student in the area indicated in the award title; selection is by an award committee consisting of ITM leadership, staff, and selected faculty from each area of focus.

The **Angela Jarka Service Award** is presented to recognize exceptional service to the university, the department, and their fellow students by a graduating student in an Information Technology and Management degree, as well as exceptional service to their discipline, the university, the department, and our students by a faculty or staff member in the Department of Information Technology and Management. It is the only Information Technology and Management award presented to both students and faculty or staff. Before the award was named in memory of Information Technology and Management Department Manager Angela Jarka, it was noted in the awards as "*Recognized and Thanked for Service to the Department of Information Technology and Management.*" Selection is by an award committee consisting of ITM leadership and staff.

Recognition as a **Distinguished Graduate of the Department of Information Technology and Management** is presented to reflect superior academic performance, exemplary technical expertise, leadership aptitude, positive impact, and significant career potential in Information Technology and Cybersecurity. It may also be awarded for exceptional and notable career or life accomplishments by a Department graduate. Any holder of an Information Technology and Management degree may be eligible. Nomination may be made by any ITM Department faculty or staff member or by another ITM graduate, and selection is by an award committee consisting of ITM leadership. It is rarely awarded and only in recognition of extraordinary performance.

Department of Information Technology and Management Student Awards presented in Spring 2017

Photo: 2017 Student Award Winners

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management / Master of Cyber Forensics and Security Co-Terminal degrees:

Alfredo Fernandez

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management / Master of Information Technology and Management Co-Terminal degrees:

Hong Zhang

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Cyber Forensics and Security degree:

Gentiana Desipojci

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Computer and Information Security curriculum:

David Calero

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Data Center Operation and Management curriculum:

Rajesh Azmeera

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Data Management curriculum:

Sonali Nimbalkar

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Digital Systems Technology curriculum:

Maxime Descos

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Information Technology Management and Entrepreneurship curriculum:

Francisco Rois Siso

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Management Information Systems curriculum:

Rakini Murugesan

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Software Development curriculum:

Quentin Bayart

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Voice, Data, and Communications Technology curriculum:

Nthenya Matheka

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Web Design and Application Development curriculum:

Deepak Bandi

The Outstanding Transfer Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management degree:

Cindy Xie

The Outstanding Chicago Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management degree:

Eric Tendian

The Outstanding United States Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management degree: **Seth Carpenter**

The Outstanding World Wide Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management degree:

Dharval Patel

The Outstanding First-Year Student in the Department of Information Technology and Management:

Cooper Van Kampen

Department of Information Technology and Management Student Awards presented in Spring 2018

Photo: 2018 Student Award Winners

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Cyber Forensics and Security degree:

John Siergiej

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Computer and Information Security curriculum:

Alexandre Florent Pierre Buisson-Chavot

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Data Management curriculum:

Moein Mayeh

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Digital Systems Technology curriculum:

Nour Al-Habash

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Information Technology Management and Entrepreneurship curriculum:

Gabriel Garcia Ardiles

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Information Technology Infrastructure curriculum:

Mohnish Anand

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Management Information Systems curriculum:

Sumit Anand Asati

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Software Development curriculum:

Harsh Jagdishkumar Patel

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Web Design and App Development curriculum:

Christopher Montufar

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management who entered as a First Year Student:

Zachary Fleck

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management completing the transfer curriculum:

Jaina Parekh

The Outstanding First Year Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management degree:

Daniel Kolodziej

Department of Information Technology and Management Student Awards presented in Spring 2019

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management / Master of Cyber Forensics and Security Co-Terminal degrees:

Akvile Kiskis

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management / Master of Information Technology and Management Co-Terminal degrees:

Shameemah Fuseini-Codjoe

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Cyber Forensics and Security Curriculum:

Aneeshwar Botla

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Data Management Curriculum:

Harshit Kumar

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Digital Systems Technology Curriculum:

Rohit Desai

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Information Technology Infrastructure Curriculum:

Abdullah Suhail

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Information Technology Management and Entrepreneurship Curriculum:

Ruchika Akhand

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Management Information Systems Curriculum:

Nupura Mohite

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Software Development Curriculum:

Bhavinkumar Patel

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Web Design and Application Development Curriculum:

Jarron Bailly

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management degree:

Cameron Williamson

The Outstanding First-Year Student in the Department of Information Technology and Management:

Adam Patton

Recognized and Thanked for Service to the Department of Information Technology and Management:

Isabel Jaramillo

Recognized and Thanked for Service to the Department of Information Technology and Management:

Maa Osei

Recognized and Thanked for Service to the Department of Information Technology and Management:

Travis Smith

Department of Information Technology and Management Student Awards presented in Spring 2020

2020 Awards Presentation Program

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management / Master of Cyber Forensics and Security Co-Terminal degrees:

Jacob A. Krupa

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management / Master of Information Technology and Management Co-Terminal degrees:

Modupeoreoluwa Omolara Olotu

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Cyber Forensics and Security degree:

David Miles Sobel

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Computer and Information Security curriculum:

Clement Lefeu

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Data Analytics and Management curriculum:

Ridhima Kishor Bhalerao

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Information Technology Infrastructure curriculum:

Kyle D. Willett

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Information Technology Management and Entrepreneurship curriculum:

Yewande A. Ogunedina

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Management Information Systems curriculum:

Vih Modeste Dogo

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Software Development curriculum:

Jordan Cloud

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management degree:

Jacob Gerald Huebner

The Outstanding First-Year Student in the Department of Information Technology and Management:

Nandi Patel

Department of Information Technology and Management Student Awards presented in Spring 2021

2021 Awards Presentation Program

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management / Master of Cyber Forensics and Security Co-Terminal degrees:

Cooper Timothy Van Kampen

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management / Master of Information Technology and Management Co-Terminal degrees:

Trevor Loveday

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management degree:

Teodora Nikolova

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Cyber Forensics and Security degree:

Andy Kukuc

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Computer and Information Security curriculum:

Barry Eugene Speller

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Data Analytics and Management curriculum:

Arpitha Jagadish

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Information Technology Infrastructure curriculum:

Hoang Vu

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Management Information Systems curriculum:

Sonita Bose

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Smart Technology and Innovation curriculum:

Dhiraj Prakash Jain

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Software Development curriculum:

Gemma Chowdhury

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Web Design and Application Development curriculum:

Shruthi Venkata Bhavaraju

The Outstanding First Year Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management degree:

Adrian K. Grabowski

The Outstanding First Year Student in the Bachelor of Science in Applied Cybersecurity and Information Technology degree:

Tyree Spears

The First Student Recipient of the Angela Jarka Service Award:

Harshini K. Chellamy

Department of Information Technology and Management Student Awards presented in Spring 2022

2022 Awards Presentation Program

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management / Master of Cyber Forensics and Security Co-Terminal degrees:

Greg Eure

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management / Master of Information Technology and Management Co-Terminal degrees:

Hannah Leyland

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Cyber Forensics and Security degree:

Shraddha Vijay Lashkare

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Computer and Information Security curriculum:

Vivek Sharma

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Data Analytics and Management curriculum:

Gonzalo Florez Arias

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Information Technology Infrastructure curriculum:

Arun Pandiyan Perumal

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Information Technology Entrepreneurship and Management curriculum:

Rafael Ines Guillen

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Management Information Systems curriculum:

Ritu Mishra

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Software Development curriculum:

Divya Ramanathan

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Web Design and Application Development curriculum:

Kinza Haque

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management degree:

Aisha Shahid

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Science in Applied Cybersecurity and Information Technology degree:

Razvan A. Rus

The Outstanding First Year Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management:

Sofia Robles

The Outstanding First Year Student in the Bachelor of Science in Applied Cybersecurity and Information Technology:

Krish Dhungana

The Second Student Recipient of the Angela Jarka Service Award:

Fizza Arif

Department of Information Technology and Management Student Awards presented in Spring 2023

2023 Awards Presentation Program

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Cyber Forensics and Security degree:

Aishwarya Verma

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Data Analytics and Management curriculum:

Arnold Liu

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Information Technology Entrepreneurship and Management curriculum:

Khashayar Vafaii Fakhr

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Management Information Systems curriculum:

Milan Debnath

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Software Development curriculum:

Chelsey Dugger

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Systems Analysis curriculum:

Youngbeen Jang

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Web Design and Application Development curriculum:

Zara Marks

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management / Master of Cyber Forensics and Security Co-Terminal degrees:

Yulia Moiseyenko

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management / Master of Information Technology and Management Co-Terminal degrees:

Anthony M. Irizarry

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Science in Computer and Cybersecurity Engineering / Master of Cyber Forensics and Security Co-Terminal degrees:

Anthony E. Bañuelos

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management degree:

Grace D. Sopha

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Science in Applied Cybersecurity and Information Technology degree:

Luis F. Matos Gonzalez

The Outstanding First Year Student in the Department of Information Technology and Management:

Nidia A. Guadarrama

The Third Student Recipient of the Angela Jarka Service Award:

Ranu Ginare

Named as a Department of Information Technology and Management **Distinguished Graduate**:

Phallyn Habercoss

Department of Information Technology and Management Student Awards presented in Spring 2024

2024 Awards Presentation Program

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management / Master of Cyber Forensics and Security Co-Terminal degrees:

Andrew N. Haines

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management / Master of Information Technology and Management Co-Terminal degrees:

David I. Singer

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Science in Applied Cybersecurity and Information Technology/ Master of Cyber Forensics and Security Co-Terminal degrees:

Jovany Melchor

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Science in Information Technology and Management degree:

Navaneeth S. Kamath

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management degree:

Kethe Dileepkumar

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Cyber Forensics and Security degree:

Agathamudi Vikram Naidu

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Computer and Information Security curriculum:

Naga Prasath Saravanan

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Data Analytics and Management curriculum:

Munawar Ali

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Information Technology Entrepreneurship and Management curriculum:

Prishita C. Meshram

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Management Information Systems curriculum:

Rudra Thorat

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Software Development curriculum:

Mallikarjuna Pooja

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Web Design and Application Development curriculum:

Lucie L. Ye

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management degree:

Martin S. Grill Poblete

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Science in Applied Cybersecurity and Information Technology degree:

Jakub Urbaniak

The Outstanding First Year Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management:

Abby A. Garcia

The Outstanding First Year Student in the Bachelor of Science in Applied Cybersecurity and Information Technology degree:

Carlos D. Ayala

Department of Information Technology and Management Student Awards presented in Spring 2025

2025 Awards Presentation Program

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Cyber Forensics and Security degree:

Ivan Zziwa

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology degree:

Zeng Hao

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Data Analytics and Management curriculum:

Pratik Padmakar Bhojkar

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Information Technology Infrastructure curriculum:

Kaushal A. Nai

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Information Technology Entrepreneurship and Management curriculum:

Cristina Valero De Urquia

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Management Information Systems curriculum:

Naga Krishna Chaitanya Sajja

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Software Development curriculum:

Aditya Pradhan

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management Web Design and Application Development curriculum:

Rupak Pradeep Potdukhe

The Outstanding Student in the Master of Information Technology and Management General Program of Study curriculum:

Rahul Nagaraj

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management / Master of Information Technology and Management Co-Terminal degrees:

Kevin A. Aguilar

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management / Master of Cyber Forensics and Security Co-Terminal degrees:

Bisma Khan

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Science in Applied Cybersecurity and Information Technology / Master of Cyber Forensics and Security Co-Terminal degrees:

Azzam M. Abu Hamdan

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Science in Applied Cybersecurity and Information Technology / Master of Science in Computer Science Co-Terminal degrees:

Tyree J. Spears

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Science in Computer and Cybersecurity Engineering / Master of Cyber Forensics and Security Co-Terminal degrees:

Robert John M. Soler

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Systems / Master of Information Technology and Management Co-Terminal degrees:

David A. Halmy

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology degree:

John Dandrea

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Information Technology and Management degree:

Alexander E. Medina

The Outstanding Student in the Bachelor of Science in Applied Cybersecurity and Information Technology degree:

Ali M. Makhoul

The Fourth Student Recipient of The Angela Jarka Service Award:

Anthoinette Ilolo

The Fifth Student Recipient of The Angela Jarka Service Award:

Bhuvan Kumar Panduranga

The Sixth Student Recipient of The Angela Jarka Service Award:

Astha Sharma

Named as a Department of Information Technology and Management **Distinguished Graduate**:

Joshua Lau

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